

Local and Other Items.

ST. JAMES' BAZAAR—to-night. GOOD FRIDAY.—One week from to-day. MAILS.—The mails arrived this afternoon. RAPID.—The circulation of Toronto's new paper, the Empire, is rapidly increasing. STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—Three Scott Act cases were further adjourned this forenoon. EASTER.—We notice at the Diamond Bookstore a beautiful variety of Easter Booklets—something quite new. PENITENT.—Millman is reported as being in a penitent mood and very sorry for having assaulted Mr. Harvie. APROPOS.—Marriages should take place on Wednesday and public dinners given on Friday. Those are week puns. ANTI-POVERTY SOCIETY.—It is said that a movement is on foot to establish an anti-poverty society at Ottawa. WILLIAM I.—The life of the late Emperor of Germany (illustrated) may be had at the Diamond Bookstore for ten cents. BENEFIT.—Band benefit at the Excelsior Rink this evening. Good ice. Water drained off and good skating guaranteed. IMPORTANT.—The various corner crossings which have been removed should be replaced at once, before an accident occurs. SIGNS OF SPRING.—A gentleman living on Queen Street found a lively moth flying about his premises the day before yesterday. UNSURE.—Care should be taken in venturing on the ice from this time forward. A number of teams have already broken through. NECESSARY.—Several planks placed across Market Street, at the rear of the Post Office to connect with the Market House, are much needed. IMPORTANT.—The Bazaar and Tea in aid of St. James' Church will be confined this evening. An enjoyable time guaranteed all who attend. STILL TO THE FRONT.—Skating at the Excelsior Rink to-morrow afternoon, from three o'clock until half-past five. Splendid ice and music. PROHIBITION.—Thirty-six Michigan counties have now voted on the question of local option, and thirty-four of them have declared for prohibition and two against it. ADDRESS OF CONDOLENCE.—Hon. William Campbell and Mrs. Campbell have been the recipients of an address of condolence from Jubilee Division S. of T., on the lamented loss of their son. DRAMATIC.—We understand that it is the intention of the Lyceum Comedy Co., to perform the sensational drama entitled, "British Born," on Easter Monday night. Advertisement will appear shortly. TOTAL ABSTINENCE.—The Federation, N. B. Union has undertaken to endow a bed in the hospital now in course of erection under the patronage of Lady Tilly, in order to test the principles of total abstinence in the treatment of the sick. THE HOSPITAL LOTTERY.—Messrs. Norton & Pennell have received a letter from the Secretary of the drawing at Kelly's Cross, on St. Patrick's Day, which states that they held the winning ticket. The lucky number was 3626. ALL RIGHT.—Mr. A. D. Gillis, the boot and shoe drummer who disappeared so suddenly from St. John, on the 2nd inst., has turned up all right in Moncton, whither he had gone with a friend from Boston. He has not attempted, nor does he contemplate suicide. DROWNED.—Little Hattie Baker, the fourteen-year-old niece of A. N. Tupper, J. P., lost her life on Friday evening last by drowning in the Salmon river, at Truro, shortly after six o'clock. Both her parents are dead, and Mr. Tupper had adopted the child and was bringing her up as his own. SCOTT ACT FINES.—An Ontario Scott Act return shows the amount of fines received in the various counties. The total was \$93,115 in counties and \$81,466 in cities and towns. The largest amount from any one county was \$10,094, from Middlesex. The largest from a town was \$10,150, from Peterboro.

newspapers in the United States now numbers about fourteen hundred, consequently the five which were referred to must each sell an average edition two hundred times greater than the average of the others. BURGLARY.—The office of Poole & Lewis, on Lower Water Street, was entered by burglars late on Wednesday night or early Thursday morning. A pane of glass in one of the windows was first broken, and through the opening this made an entrance was effected. After getting inside, the burglars burst open three or four drawers in one of the desks, and strewed the papers kept therein about the floor. They also tried to open the safe, but failed. The only thing yet missed is a quarter pound of tobacco, which had been left in one of the drawers. There is no clue to the burglars. THE BAZAAR LAST NIGHT.—In spite of the inclemency of the weather the Bazaar and Tea in St. James' Hall was a decided success. The fancy tables were loaded with articles calculated to please the eye and draw the dollars from the pockets of susceptible youth. The refreshment table, under the management of Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. McEachern, and Mrs. W. B. Robertson, and the children's table, under the supervision of Miss Gertie Brown, were well patronised. The tea tables were served in the sumptuous style that we always expect to see at St. James' Church teas. They were attended by Mrs. MacNeill, Mrs. Angus, Mrs. Murray and Miss Henderson. The Art Gallery was a source of much amusement to the pleasure seekers. The bazaar will be continued to-night. Y. W. C. A. The fourth annual meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association took place yesterday, 22nd March, in the Basement Parlor of the Y. M. C. A. The rapidly increasing usefulness of this Association, and the good work done by it, is testified by the report of the past year, which will shortly be published, and is most encouraging. After the reading of the report, inspiring addresses were given by the Rev. E. Whitman, Chas. Palmer, Esq., and Judge Hensley, and the Association feel much encouraged by the interest taken. One thing respecting this association ought to be brought to the notice of the public, that is the great advantages for young women which are given under the auspices of this association. Since the first organization in 1884 many letters have been sent to the Y. W. C. A. of Boston, introducing young women, who, on arrival, have been received and welcomed, and excellent situations procured for them. The Executive Committee will be most glad to give letters to young women leaving the Island, and if they will apply to any of the Protestant ministers of this city, they can get full information and the names of the ladies who will write for them. Trotting Match. A trotting match for a purse of \$50, divided into two prizes of \$35 and \$15, came off on the Hillsborough ice Wednesday afternoon. The race was mile heats best three in five. The starters were W. F. Robins' mare Maud R. R. Steele's mare Blackbird. A. Cairns' mare Josie C. J. McKie's horse Telephone. The first heat was won by Blackbird by about twenty yards, with Maud R. second, Josie C. third and Telephone fourth, the three latter well together. The second heat was also won by Blackbird but the contest was close between her and Maud R. who came in a good second, with Telephone third and Josie C. fourth. The third heat was closely contested all round, Maud R. coming in ahead with Blackbird at her heels, Josie C. third and Telephone fourth. The fourth heat was also captured by Maud R. with Telephone second Blackbird third and Josie C. fourth. The fifth and last heat was the most exciting of the lot. Maud R. took a good lead at the start but had not gone far when she was passed by Blackbird who was galloping. Blackbird, after settling down again did some lively trotting, the contest between her and Maud R. on the home stretch being very pretty. Blackbird came in about a neck ahead of Maud R. but the judges gave the heat to the latter owing to the former's galloping. Josie C. came in third and Telephone fourth. The ice was in very bad condition. CHILDREN'S and Misses' Rubber Boots at R. K. Jost's. RUBBERS at Goff Bros. tf—mch23 COME and get the Big Discounts before our sale is over.—Goff Bros. tf—mch23

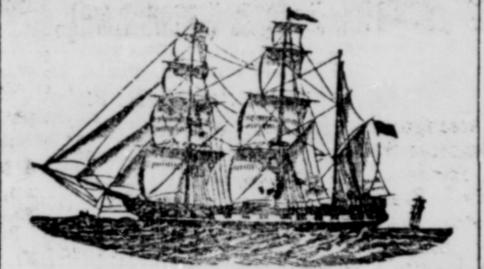
LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Public Meeting in Georgetown.

A large public meeting was held in the Town Hall on Friday evening 16th inst., for the purpose of considering matters relative to the interests of Georgetown. The meeting was organized by appointing Wm. Sanderson, Esq., Chairman, and the undersigned Secretary. The Chairman, with a few suitable remarks, opened the meeting, stating its object and showing the advantages derived from similar meetings on former occasions, and trusted that some good results might follow from the present meeting. Mr. John Lavers was the first speaker. He said that, as he was instrumental in having the meeting called, he considered it his duty to explain his reasons for having it called; and also the chief topics which demanded the attention of the meeting. To the first his reply was, that for a number of years the representatives of Georgetown had neglected to call a meeting of the electors to inquire into the local requirements of their constituency previous to the opening of Parliament; and that he considered such meetings of considerable importance to any electoral district; and therefore had drafted a petition to the senior magistrate requesting him to call the meeting. He directed attention to the unsatisfactory accommodation afforded the travelling public by means of the present ferry accommodation (?) connecting Georgetown with Montague and Cardigan. He said that some arrangement should be made to provide for continuous steam ferry accommodation on the Georgetown-Montague Ferry. He referred to the miserable accommodations provided on the Cardigan Ferry, and endeavored to urge on the representatives the necessity of providing steam-ferry accommodation between Georgetown and Cardigan at once. Quite a lively discussion arose on these questions, in which Hons. A. J. McDonald, D. Gordon, Capt. James Bourke, Messrs. Logan, Croucher and others took part, after which the following resolution was moved by Hon. D. Gordon, seconded by Mr. P. G. Ross, and carried unanimously: "Whereas, A steam ferry boat is necessary on Cardigan Ferry;— Therefore Resolved, That representation be made to the Government to obtain a sufficient grant to carry out the contract as originally intended. The discussion on the Georgetown-Montague Ferry was again taken up by Capt. Jas. Bourke, who strongly denounced the Government for the manner in which the ferry accommodation is tampered with. Mr. R. I. Jenkins also took part in the discussion. He complained very greatly of the inconvenience of the said ferry. The following resolution was moved by Mr. John Lavers, seconded by Capt. Jas. Bourke, and carried: "Whereas, It is the opinion of this meeting that the present arrangement for the Georgetown-Montague Ferry causes very great inconvenience to the travelling public;— Therefore Resolved, That the members for Georgetown be requested to use their influence with the Government to have the steamer Montague placed on said ferry to ply continuously, so as to meet the requirements of the travelling public. The meeting was afterwards occupied for some time in the discussion of local matters, when, at 10.30 p. m., on motion of Mr. D. H. Logan, it was adjourned to meet on Wednesday evening next, 21st inst., at 7.30 p. m., to resume the discussion of matters of local interest. The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman. F. CHARLES LAVERS, Sec'y. Georgetown, March 17, 1888. The Millman Trial. SIR,—As has been announced, a pamphlet containing the addresses of counsel for the prosecution and defence, as well as the evidence taken at the "Millman Murder Trial," has been published and offered for sale. The Herald of Wednesday last, in noticing the pamphlet, reflects upon both the printer and compiler, and complains that the address of the Attorney-General is only a summary, while the other addresses are given in full with sub-headings. The sneering comments of the Herald are only what might be expected. The compiler could have had no object in curtailing any of the addresses or evidence, being, no doubt, desirous of giving a full and correct report of the proceedings in connection with this case. On looking over the pamphlet, the compiler, I believe, took the report of the Attorney-General's address as it appeared in the Herald, and which one would naturally expect to be "revised and improved," when appearing in that journal. Your correspondent fails to see in what manner "sub-headings" would add to the force of any address, and considers the Herald has small matter for complaint. The Summerside Journal, which gave a very full account of the trial, says: "We are in receipt of copies of a 'Verbatim Report of the Millman-Taplin Trial,' a pamphlet of 68 pages, printed by Mr. G. W. Gardner, of Charlottetown. It is what its title purports, and will prove valuable to those who take an interest in the history of our Island." The above is the opinion of an independent newspaper, and which will, I feel sure, counteract the false impression of the pamphlet attempted to be created by the Herald. The compiler of the pamphlet has evidently gone to a great deal of trouble, and it is to be hoped his efforts will be appreciated. Yours, &c., ONLOOKER. March 23, 1888. Swinging Signs. SIR,—I think the City Council were rather hasty in ordering down all signs and entailing loss, merely upon the suggestion of a crank. A handsome modern or projecting advertisement of this kind is an improvement to a city, and is tolerated in the larger and more bustling places. If any signboard were considered dangerous the authorities should demand its immediate removal, but there should be a limit to the prohibition. The action of our able and discreet City Fathers should be reconsidered, and the placing of an attractive or regulation sign-board in front of our places of business made allowable. If the height of their ambition is to rob the city of all signs of progress, we may hear before long that an order has been given to have the town fenced in. BUSINESS.

FROM BOSTON

FOR—Charlottetown, P. E. Island. SPRING, 1888.



THE FAST SAILING BARK MOSELLE, R. RENDELE, Commander, WILL SAIL—

From Boston for Charlottetown About the 10th April.

For Freight apply in Boston to Messrs. Chas. Hunt & Co., 19 Broad Street, or here to the owners. PEAKE BROS. & CO. Ch'town, March 21, 1888—cod tf

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tenders for S. A. Milton Rectory," will be received by the undersigned until THURSDAY, 5th day of April, work to be completed not later than July 1st. Two good sureties will be required for the faithful performance of the work. Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. Plans and specifications can be seen at the residence of Mr. A. W. HOLROYD, Winslow Road. A. W. HOLROYD, J. R. HOOPER, F. H. HORNE, C. COLES, D. HOOPER, Committee. mch22—31 cod wky 21

P. E. Island Railway.

EASTER EXCURSION.

RETURN TICKETS, at one first-class fare, will be issued to and from all Stations on this Railway on GOOD FRIDAY, 24th inst., and from Summerside, Souris, Georgetown and Intermediate Stations to Charlottetown by Forenoon Trains on SATURDAY, 25th inst., good to return up to and on APRIL 2, 1888. J. UNSWORTH, Acting Superintendent. Railway Office, Charlottetown, March 22, 1888. mch22—pat cod wky ps 11

DR. TAYLOR

—WILL DEVOTE A— PORTION OF HIS TIME To the Treatment of the following Specialties: Diseases of Women (Gynecology), Diseases of Eye, Ear and Throat, Surgical Diseases and Operations. mch17—4w 2aw (tues & fri) pd

THE Clearance Sale LONDON HOUSE

Is Still Going On. Many Fine Grades of Goods. LARGE DISCOUNTS, And every effort made to meet the requirements of CASH BUYERS. F. W. MOORE, Assignee of HARRIS & STEWART. Ch'town, MARCH 2, 1888.

EGGS

(Season 1888) WANTED THIS YEAR MORE THAN EVER. HIGHEST PRICES Always Paid.

WE have greatly increased our facilities for handling large quantities, and are prepared to pay better prices than ever for good stock. Bring your Eggs while fresh, and you can rely on getting THE VERY HIGHEST PRICE to be obtained in the City. Dealers will find it to their advantage to come and see us before making their arrangements for the season. Customers furnished with Cases free of charge. AULD BROS., Successors to J. M. AULD. Ch'town, March 12, '88—2aw wky

Charlottetown Boot & Shoe Factory.

WITH Improved Premises, Experienced Workmen, New Lasts, Better Leather, we now turn out NEATER, BETTER FITTING AND WEARING BOOTS than ever. Every Pair Warranted.

FOREIGN MAKE.—We import from Canada and the United States the latest styles in Ladies' and Gents' Boots, Shoes, Slippers and Rubbers. Buying in large quantities, for cash, it enables us to sell cheap. You do not require a heavy purse when dealing with us.

SHOEMAKERS, ATTENTION!

CUSTOM SOLE LEATHER by the Side, 24 cents per lb. Kip, Grain, French Calf, Kid and Goat. Awls, Welts, Shoe Thread, Heel Ink, Dressing, Pegs, Pincers, Hammers, Wax, Bristles, Nails, Eyelets, English Tops, &c. As we have to keep these articles for our own use, and buying them in large quantities, we can afford to sell cheaper than any in the trade.

GOFF BROS.,

Successors to Dorsey, Goff & Co. February 23, 1888—cod & wky

"MAGIC HEALER" SALVE.

A 25 cent trial Box will convince the most sceptical of its virtue in healing Burns, Cuts, Chapped Hands, Cold Sores, Pimples, Boils, Sore Lips, Weak Eyes, Chafing, Scalds, Frost Bites, Bruises, or any wound from external causes. Sold at Drug and Country Stores, or by the proprietors, wholesale and retail. JOHN ROSS & CO., 276 King Street, Charlottetown. P. O. Box 457. Full ch4—dy 61 cod wky 31

BRAN & SHORTS FOR SALE.

Enquire at the Store of GEO. E. FULL, QUEEN STREET. mch13—61 cod

Valuable Farm For Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale, by private contract, his Farm at Kinloch, Lot 48, within two miles from Southport. Also, all his Farming Implements and stock of Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Pigs, &c. If not previously disposed of, the whole will be offered for sale at Auction on or about the first of May next. Full particulars on application to the subscriber, DUNCAN STEWART, Kinloch, March 17, 1888—dy 21 wky

SMITH BROS.,

WHOLESALE Dry Goods and Millinery. Received into Stock This Week: Ex S. S. Circassian, 54 Cases. " Sarnia, 27 Cases. " Ulunda, 48 Cases. 41 Cases Staple Department. 81 Cases Millinery Department. Kinloch, March 17, 1888—dy 21 wky

3,000 Pieces Prints, Drillets, Lamas, &c., LATEST DESIGNS AND COLORINGS.

Cretonnes, Regattas, Reversible Cambrics, Moosins, Turkey Reds and Damasks, Table Damasks and Napkins, Quilts, Flannels, Scotch Tweeds, Gloves, Hosiery, Hats, Flowers, Feathers and Millinery Novelties. Grenville and Duke Streets, Halifax. mch19

PRIVATE RESIDENCE FOR SALE

AND— Dwelling Houses To Let. THE Subscriber, having in view giving up house-keeping, offers for sale the Dwelling House and Premises occupied by him on Dorchester Street, with Stable and Out-buildings, and one-half a Town Lot of Land. The house is well finished and commodious in every respect, and the Rooms are large and conveniently arranged. Also, To Let—The new Dwelling House on corner of Prince and Dorchester Streets, containing nine Rooms, and heated by

Hot Water Heating Apparatus.

Also—The new Dwelling House fronting on Prince Street, adjoining the last-mentioned House, and of the same size. Tenants seeking good comfortable Dwellings are invited to examine these. Immediate possession. For terms apply to GEORGE ALLEY. Ch'town, March 3, 1888—2aw pat guar

FARM STOCK & IMPLEMENTS.

I am instructed by JAMES E. WELSH, ESQ., to sell by Auction, on his Premises, on THURSDAY, 29th inst., at 2 o'clock, p. m., his Farm Stock and Implements, consisting of 3 Horses, 1 Brood Mare, 1 Colt, 5 Milch Cows, 4 Heifers, 2 Calves and several Pigs, 1 Ossi's Improved Hay Rake, 1 set Hand-harrows, 1 set Iron Harrows, Cultivator, Scuffer, Plow, Potato Digger, Mowing Machine, set Fanmills, Hay Cutter, 2 Carts, 2 Driving Wagons, 1 Farmer's Bolter, lot Hay, Straw, &c. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. mch19

FOR SALE.

THREE ACRES OF LAND in the Village of Souris East, fronting 33 chains on the Main Street, and bounded on the north by land of Stephen A. McDonald, on the east by lands of Marshal Paquet and William Cantwell, and on the west by Souris River, at present in the possession of Michael McCormack, Esq. For particulars apply in Charlottetown at the office of McLEOD, MORSON & McQUARRIE, Solicitors. mch13—dy & wj law (tues) tf

FOR SALE.—A large Fire and Burglar Proof safe, cost at factory \$350. Will be sold cheap. Apply to Norton & Pennell. mch14—3w 2aw wky 31

WANTED.—A small property (a mile or two out of town), having on it a never-failing spring of water. Information of such places furnish to "C. B." P. O. Box 33, Charlottetown, or this mch 6

Desirable Residence FOR SALE.

I am instructed by GEORGE MACLEOD, ESQ., to sell BY AUCTION, at the Premises, ON THURSDAY, 29th INST., AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON, His two-and-a-half story brick, slate-roofed Dwelling House on East Kent Street. This is one of the best built and most comfortable Houses in Charlottetown, and is heated throughout with the latest hot water system. There are also large Stables and Coach House attached. The property, which is situated in one of the most pleasant and healthy parts of the city, comprises 180 feet by 74 feet 4, and commands an extensive view of East River. Part of the purchase money may remain on mortgage if desired. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. mch7

Furniture, Stoves, &c.

I am instructed by CHAS. J. PATON, ESQ., to sell by Auction, at his Residence, East Sydney Street, ON Wednesday, 28th Inst., AT 11 O'CLOCK: All his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising Parlor, Bedroom and Dining Room Sets, Brussels and Tapestry Carpets, Rugs, Oil Cloth, Crockery, Glassware, Kitchen Utensils, &c. &c. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. mch12—cod 121st, then dy 121st

Citizens' Skating Rink.

THE Subscriber offers for sale the CITIZENS' SKATING RINK, together with the Land, comprising one whole Town Lot. Possession first May next. Apply to WILLIAM DODD. Ch'town, March 5, 1888—2w cod

WOODS' GERMAN BAKING POWDER

WANTED.—A Nurse for three children. Must be well recommended. High wages paid. Apply at EXAMINER'S office. 31—mch23 WANTED.—A Servant Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. CHARLES SMALLWOOD, Richmond Street. 21—mch22 WANTED.—Sportmen to examine our new Goose Boats. Guaranteed to work well. Will sell cheap.—BLACKFORD & HAYDEN, Boat Builders, S. N. Co.'s Wharf. 31—mch22 WANTED.—A Girl for general housework. Apply to A. McNeill's, Hillsborough Square mch22—4f PIANO.—A fine upright Piano, in good order, warranted perfect in every respect, can be had at a bargain by applying at this office. mch22—31 WANTED TO PURCHASE.—A heavy double-barreled breach or muzzle-loading Gun. Apply to SAMUEL GAY, in Market House. mch21—4f 14 GIRL WANTED.—A general Servant to whom good wages will be given. Apply to Mrs. FRED. PERKINS, St. Peter's Road. 21—mch19 FOR SALE.—A Webster's Unabridged Dictionary. Will be sold at half price. Apply at EXAMINER'S office. 31—mch19 FOR SALE CHEAP.—1 Light Sloven and Harness, 1 Double Wagon, 1 Single Wagon, all in good repair. Also—1 good Fire Proof Safe.—JOSEPH KNIGHT & SON. 31 cod—mch16 TO LET.—Those commodious Stables on Graf-ton Street, Charlottetown, lately occupied by Mr. John F. Powers, adjoining the premises of Mr. J. D. McLeod. Possession given immediately. Apply to EDWARD J. HODGSON. mch29—dy 1f WANTED.—A Housemaid. Apply at Chief Justice Palmer's. mch16 WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A plain Cook and Housemaid. Washing given out. Good references required. Apply at EXAMINER'S office. mch5—1f WANTED.—By the 1st May, a House with 5 or 6 or 7 comfortable rooms, centrally located. Apply to "D. R. H." P. O. Box 337, City. feb21 BOARDERS ACCOMMODATED.—At Mrs. McLean's, Hillsborough Street, between Dorchester and King. oct19 cod 1f

VALUABLE Real Estate Sale

LANDS IN CHARLOTTETOWN. I am instructed by the Honorable Judge Peters to sell at Public Auction, on the premises, On Monday, the 26th day of March next, AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON, That Valuable Property lying between the Malpeque Road and Upper Queen Street. The Property has been laid off in fourteen Building Lots, some fronting on Queen Street and others on the Malpeque Road, the balance fronting on a new street to be opened between Queen Street and the Malpeque Road. A plan of the proposed Building Lots can be seen at the office of Peters & Peters, Solicitors. Conditions of sale will be made known on day of sale. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. Ch'town, Feb. 20, 1888—cod & wky

Contract To Let.

THE undersigned will receive Tenders up to SATURDAY, 24th inst., for the Erection and Completion of a Hall at Vernon River Bridge, according to plan and specification to be seen at the office of GEO. FORBES, ESQ. Address.—HALL BUILDING COMMISSION, Vernon River Bridge. mch16—wky 21

THE PRESS.—Mr. Geo. P. Rowell, of New York, who is an authority on such matters, in an address before the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, at Indianapolis, proved that five newspapers issue more than one-seventh of the total edition of all the fifty papers printed. The number of daily