

Local and Other Items.

MASTERS a specialty—Beer Bros. I. O. F.—Wildy Lodge meets to-night at 8 o'clock, sharp.

A. O. H.—A regular meeting will be held this evening at 7.30. A full attendance is requested as business of importance will be transacted.

THE POLINO.—The steamer Polino is expected to arrive here to-morrow. Passengers to St. John in this steamer may return in her to Pictou, but she will not call on her return trip.

BEAR FILES are reported along the line of railway between Colville and Milton. These files probably account for the dense smoke and smell of burning brush so noticeable about the city last evening.

POLICE COURT.—This morning, a young man named Benjamin Waughan was summoned to answer a charge of maliciously destroying a fence on the premises of Mrs. Theophilus DesBrisay, Spring Park, but failed to respond, and a warrant was issued for his arrest.

V. C. C.—The Victoria Cycling Club "run" last evening was very pleasant. In the course of the "run" a meeting was held at Victoria Park, where the track committee reported that the tender of Patrick Kelly, for the building of the track, had been accepted. The tender is for \$100. Several new members were elected.

CRICKET.—Another cricket match will be played at the park grounds to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, between civilians and militiamen. All members, or prospective members of the Phoenix Club then on the grounds will be taken into the game. The new equipment is expected from Halifax to-night and will be used to-morrow.

THE WHEEL.—A. A. Zimmerman, the noted New York Athletic Club bicyclist, attempted to lower his mile path record of 2 minutes and 53.5 seconds, but failed badly on account of a strong wind which was blowing directly in his face at the time. Later in the afternoon he won the 5,000 metre race, beating Harmal by 25 yards. Zimmerman left Paris next day.

STEAMSHIP INSPECTION.—The steamer Northumberland will be laid off for the annual inspection on Monday next, consequently there will be no steamer to Point DuChene on that day. The inspection will be concluded on Monday, and the Northumberland will resume work on Tuesday.

The steamer St. Lawrence will be laid off on Tuesday for the same purpose. She will resume her trips between Charlottetown and Pictou on the following morning.

FOR BOSTON.—The steamer Carroll, Captain Hansen, left for Boston at 6 o'clock last evening with a good general cargo, which included 4000 bushels potatoes and 900 cases eggs. Her passenger list was made up as follows: Miss Hensley, James Kelly, Samuel Macdonald, Frank Morrissey, Mrs. Macbeth, Frank Simpson, H. Anderson, A. Mahar, J. A. Munn, Ida L. Hoar, D. Macdonald, Miss Bohannan, E. Heary, H. Bowler, Kate McCarthy, John Macdonald, Mrs. Keneff, A. Keneff, M. Keneff, K. Keneff, John Keneff, J. O. Sprague, E. Hughes, Miss Coles, E. Smith, D. W. Smith, K. A. McElvey, H. Finleson.

RECEPTION.—The "Y's" held a very enjoyable reception in their rooms last evening, from eight to ten o'clock. There were about one hundred persons present. The programme was as follows: "Our Banner hymn," prayer, Mr. Ross; quartette, Messrs. Gillis, Melasac, Harcourt and Campbell; solo, Miss Brown; talk, Rev. Mr. Sutherland; song, Mrs. Roome; paper, "The cost of the liquor traffic," Mr. Clarke; solo, Miss Hettie Collings; social chat and refreshments. Closing piece "God be with you till we meet again" About thirty new pledges were taken.

THE MARKET.—To-day's attendance at the market was better than usual, both of buyers and sellers. Prices were little changed. Butter (fresh) sold at from 18 to 20 cents per pound; butter (tub) at from 17 to 19 cents per pound; eggs in good supply, sold at 11 to 12 cents per dozen; fowl in small supply, sold at from 50 to 55 cents per pair. Prices outside the market were: Hay in fair supply, 60 to 65 cents per cent; oats, poor supply, 45 to 44 cents per bush; potatoes in good supply, 34 cents per bush; lobsters in very large supply, 3 to 6 cents each; cod in plentiful supply, 4 to 8 cents each.

BILLIARDS.—The American and English champion billiard players, Ives and Roberts, resumed their play on Tuesday afternoon at Humphrey's hall, Knight Bridge, London, and at the close of the afternoon's and evening's play Roberts' score stood 1,972 points and Ives' 1,670. The last breaks made by Roberts were 64, 94, 111. Ives 63, 88, 74 and 367 respectively, including 182 caroms. A large crowd was present to witness the contest, and towards the end of the game the interest was intensified by some brilliant work by the American champion Ives.

PROGRAM FOR JUNE.

May has closed with flying colors—the largest month's business ever done by us June has opened in excellent form and promises to surpass May. We intend to offer such an attractive program from day to day as shall win hundreds of additional customers.

No. 1. To-morrow we will offer our usual Saturday Bargains, with the following notable additions: WHITE GOODS—Laws, Muslins, Flouncings, Embroideries, Baskets of Laces and Edgings at 1c. and 2c. per yard; wide Flouncings 19c. per yard, &c. &c. SUMMER VESTS—Spun Silks, Merino, Cotton, India Gauze, &c., &c., at a few low prices yet touched. A few dozens odd Vests at clearance prices.

BEER BROS. CARPETS—Our clearance sale of Carpets still continues—call early and share in the best of them. CHILDREN'S SUMMER JACKETS and Unders—95c., \$1.95, \$2.95; worth double.

Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, June 2, —10 a. m. Moderate west; fine weather; not much change in temperature.

The Behring Sea Court

SIR CHARLES RUSSELL FINISHES HIS ABLÉ ARGUMENT.

Sir Charles Russell finished his argument before the Behring Sea tribunal on Wednesday, summing up the British contentions. The following is his peroration: "In every form in which the claim of property right can be put it is untenable. It is opposed to the great principle which lies at the very root of the whole controversy—the principle of the freedom of the seas—the principle that upon the sea ships of all nations are equal, whether the ship of a great or an insignificant power; the principle that upon the high seas ships are part of the territory of the nation; the principle that upon the high seas subjects of every nation can take at their will, according to their ability, of the products of the sea. It is not a light matter that this is the first time in the history of the world that any nation or individual has ever claimed the right of property in any free swimming animal in the ocean; that this is the first time in which exception has been sought to be made to the right of all mankind to take from the ocean the fish and animals contained therein. The advancement of this proposition is grave enough; still graver are the sanctions invoked in the name of international law for the vindication and defence of those extravagant and unfounded pretensions. What are those sanctions? They are the affirmation of the right on the part of the United States for all time to search, seize and condemn the vessels of a friendly power engaged in, or about to be engaged in, pelagic fishing, to take from them the seals they have acquired, and drive these to ports from which they sailed. In other words it is this, an assertion of those acts on the high seas, only permitted by international law, to belligerents, or exercised against pirates, with whom no nation is at peace. I have endeavored to argue this question with as much closeness of reasoning as I could command. I have not indulged in vague speculation, nor embarked upon metaphysical discussion. I have felt it my duty to try to assist the tribunal in ascertaining what law is, because I conceive it to be the function of the tribunal not to make but to declare the law; not to consider what the law ought to be, but to say what the law is; not to formulate new rights, but to affirm what they believe to be existing rights in this domain of law. The armory of the argument is full. Here indeed are the weapons of Achilles, but where are the strength and skill to use them with full force and effect? I have dealt with the law as I believe it to be. I am content to think that that law as it has come down to us, fashioned by the wisdom of ages, modified by experience in its evolution by human society, is a fitting and noble instrument to serve the just purposes of mankind in the adjudication of their rights. Mr. Carter in his impressive opening well said that submission to arbitration was a great fact. Mr. President, it is a fact of weighty moral significance. Here are two great powers before you, one a representative of the civilization of the old world—great in its extent of dominion; greater still in its long enduring traditions of well ordered liberty and the stability of its institutions. The other a young but stalwart member of the family of nations; great also in the extent of territory, and almost boundless resources; great, too, in the genius and enterprise of its possessing enormous potentialities for good on the future of the human race. These nations are in difference. Britain conceives that she is wronged by these seizures; that her sovereignty has been invaded; her rights upon the high seas set at naught. Happily the broad extremity was avoided. These nations have not sought to turn their plough shares into swords to settle their differences. They are here before you, friendly litigants, peaceful suitors, asking by pacific means the adjustment and determination of their right of international peace. This is indeed a fact of great moral significance. "Peace hath her victories not less renowned than war." This arbitration is a victory for peace. Will your award be a victory for peace. You alone can answer. It will be a victory for peace if it conforms to principles of the law, which have been consecrated by long usage; stamped with the approval of generations. That law which has grown up in response to that cry of humanity, heard through all time; a cry sometimes inarticulate, sometimes drowned by discordant voices of passion, pride and ambition, but still a cry that has gone up through all the ages, "for peace on earth and good will among men."

The President said: Sir Charles, you have reaped so much applause in the course of your profession as a lawyer, and far-famed speaker, that what I might add would be but of small purport. I will merely say that the vigor and incisiveness of your argument has been fully appreciated. We feel that England has done honor to this tribunal when she chose as her counsel in this honorable case one of her ablest and most powerful legal debators. Webster followed, supporting Russell's argument against the restricted meaning placed upon the terms "northwest coast" and "Pacific ocean," quoting American authorities against each other most effectively.

DRILL.—No. 2 Battery, G. A., will drill to-night.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, the great blood and nerve remedy.

To-morrow (Saturday) we offer wonderful bargains in ladies' kid gloves, all sizes, in black and colored only, 65c a pair at James Paton & Co.

Canadian trade with Germany is increasing rapidly. The exports to that country from the Dominion have risen in value from \$142,749 in 1889 to \$842,312 in 1892, while the imports from Germany have increased in the same period from \$3,602,570 to \$5,883,530.

Are You Tired of using harsh and drastic medicines that gripe until you think the cure as bad as the disease? EVERYBODY'S PILLS do not gripe, but are mild and pleasant in their action. Guaranteed purely vegetable. Sold by all druggists at 25 cents per box. Prepared only by A. S. JOHNSON, Cor. Kent & Prince Sts. Pownal, May 27, 1893—law 17

DRESS GOODS!

No Precedent In this Season's Dress Goods Growth.

STANLEY BROS. STANLEY BROS.

McKAY WOOLEN MILLS, TWEED MANUFACTURERS.

Purchase Your Spring Tweeds Direct from the Maker!

A Heavy Union Tweed for 25 cents per yard. An All-wool Tweed, in a variety of Patterns, 30 cents per yard.

Gents' Furnishings, Hats and Caps for Boys and Men. Ready-made Clothing of Every Description. ALL AT LOWEST PRICES IN THE CITY.



DOBELL LINE.

S. S. POLINO is intended to leave Montreal on SATURDAY, 27th inst., for Charlottetown, Pictou and St. John's, Nfld. For Freight or Passage apply to HENRY DOBELL & CO., Montreal, or ROSS & CO., Quebec, or N. B. & M. RATTENBURY, Agents, Charlottetown.

HOUSE AND LOT BY AUCTION, Saturday, June 3rd, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

THE property of Mr. P. Coyle, consisting of House containing six rooms and shop, outbuildings and a large lot of land, situate at the east end of Kent Street, near the Railway Crossing. Sale positive. Terms at sale. E. H. NORTON & CO., Auctioneers. Charlottetown, May 20, 1893.



GAY'S PLANTS!

HARDY PERENNIALS blooming and about to bloom. Carnations (double), Indian Pinks, Perennial Sweet Pea, Forget-me-not, Hollyhocks, Sweet William, Pansies in bloom, most every shade; Daisies, double, white and pink, prices ranging from 3 to 50 cents, 30 to 50c per dozen—the highest price are the largest and choicest plants. Pansies and Daisies, this year's growth, 6 and 12c per dozen. Annual Flower Plants transplanted and rooted in cold frames at 12c per dozen; Asters, Balsams, Zinnias, Portulaca, Petunias, Chrysanthemum, Nasturtium, Convolvulus Major, Sweet Pea, Stocks and Phlox. Candytuft, Everlastings (mixed), Mignonette, African and Pot Marigold, Convolvulus Minor at 8c per dozen. Large Stocky Phlox, 15c per dozen; Choice Verbena just in bloom, 40c per dozen, later planted; Verbena, 20c per dozen; Canary Creeper, 15c per dozen; Lobelia and Golden Feather for edging, 40c per hundred; Double Dahlia (named), 12c each, a mixed variety 6c each; Gladioli, 6 to 8c each; Vegetable Plants, extra early, transplanted from hot beds to cold frames; Early Cabbage, 40c per hundred; Cauliflowers, 50c per hundred; Tomato, 12c per dozen; Main Crop Cabbage from seed bed, 12c per hundred, \$1 per thousand; Cauliflower, 25c per hundred. The above for sale at our place of business, Charlottetown Market, and at home. We ship plants to all the Maritime Provinces. The plants are packed in moss good for a long distance. Orders sent by mail, boat or rail as directed.

WHY NOT!

Come early and secure one of our NOBBY SPRING SUITS. Hundreds are taking advantage and leaving their orders daily with us. Our Cloths are very attractive—new shades and patterns. If you never had the pleasure of wearing our make of Suits give a trial order, and be convinced that we are the people to make the good fitting and handsome finished Clothing. Should you want a Ready-made Suit, we have a lot of our own make. We have a large stock of Furnishings, Hats, Shirts, Ties, Collars, Underclothing, etc., and offer some extra good values. D. A. BRUCE. Charlottetown, May 20, 1893.

Facts for the People!

THE BAZAAR COMPANY

HAVE THE CHEAPEST Wall Paper, Shade Blinds, Curtain Poles, etc., IN THE CITY. NEW GOODS ARRIVING EVERY DAY. GREAT BARGAINS in everything in the STATIONERY line. See our new style FRINGED BLINDS—they are immense, the latest out. BAZAAR COMPANY, A. FULTON, MANAGER. Ch'town, May 20, 1893.

Baking Powders. BULLETIN NO 10.

Cream of Tartar Powders: WOODILL'S GERMAN, Victoria. Cream of Tartar Powders containing Ammonia: ROYAL, Princess. 'There is no such official in existence as the Government Analyst of Ontario.' THOMAS MACFARLANE, Chief Analyst, Inland Revenue Dept., Ottawa. ap26

Boots and Shoes.

OUR SPRING IMPORTATIONS ARE ABOUT COMPLETE, AND WE OFFER Latest Varieties & Styles

SUMMER WEAR. Tan, Dongola and Kid Shoes. OUR PRICES LOWER THAN EVER. IMPORTANT! We buy for cash and get cash discounts, and being manufacturers ourselves, we get special manufacturers' discounts, so that we are able to give our customers the very lowest prices and best value possible in imported lines as well as in our own make.

GOFF BROS.

Charlottetown, May 26, 1893. APPRENTICE WANTED. AN APPRENTICE WANTED to learn the Ship and General Blacksmith Trade. One from the country preferred. Apply to GEORGE H. FOSTER, Pownal Wharf, Ch'town, June 1.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c FOUND—On Queen Street, near THE EXAMINER Office, to-day, a purse containing a small sum of money. Owner may obtain same by proving property and paying advertising expenses. WANTED—A small farm of about 20 or 40 acres of land, for cash. Near Charlottetown preferred. Apply to THOMAS CAMERON, Railway House, Richmond Street. June 21 11 1/2

TO LET—House on King Square lately occupied by K. Ross, Esq. All in good order. Possession immediately. Apply to HENRY SMITH, Pleasant Street. may31 11 1/2 PASTURE for one Cow. Water in the same. R. K. BRACE. may29 11 1/2

AGENTS WANTED—To canvass for the Font-hill Nurseries, the largest, longest established, most reliable and best known Nurseries in Canada. Over 700 acres under cultivation. Good pay, regular and constant employment to right men; no ironies need apply. Elegant outfit. Address STONE & WELLSINGTON, Temple Building, Montreal. J. W. Beall, Manager. Name THE EXAMINER. 2m-ap27

HOUSE TO LET—A Dwelling House on Bayfield Street, containing six rooms and stable and coach house. Heated with hot water and in good condition. Possession given at once. Inquire of A. HERMAN, Queen Street. ap24-11

TO LET—A dwelling house on Dorchester Street, containing six rooms, next to residence of J. B. Macdonald, Esq. Also, a dwelling house with five rooms, on Alley Street, near Upper Prince, and adjoining residence of Mr. Alfred Large. Both houses are offered at moderate rent and immediate possession given. Inspection solicited. Apply to Thomas Alley. may23 11 1/2

FOR SALE OR TO LET—House with garden and stable attached, corner Kent and Cumberland Streets. House heated with hot water. Apply to E. W. TAYLOR. 2aw-may18

TO LET—A house containing ten rooms, pleasantly situated on Hillborough Square, stable in the rear. Rent moderate. Apply to Mrs. LOWDEN, Dundas Esplanade. 11-may26

LOST—In or near the city, during this week, a lady's set ring. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at the Patriot office. TO LET—That desirable Cottage on Upper Prince Street, with stable and coach house in rear, at present occupied by Mr. David Stewart. Possession given 1st June. Apply Miss GEORGE WEBSTER. 42 H. WY 11-may27

WANTED—A good servant girl for general work. Apply at this office. may11

WANTED—A servant for general housework in a small family. Apply to Mrs. ALLEY, Dorchester Street. d & w 11-may17

WANTED—A Girl to do general housework. Reference required. Apply between six and eight o'clock in the evening to Mrs. W. W. WELLS, Prince Street. may30 11

WANTED—Two or three smart Boys. Apply to MARK WRIGHT & Co. (Ld.) may31 11aw

TO LET—A House situated on Fitzroy Street, containing five large rooms, with good yard and stable. Possession given immediately. Rent moderate. Apply to A. D. MARTIN, Chestnut Street, or Robert Kennedy, corner of King Square. may31 11aw