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LOOK HERE!

BRITISH WAREHOUSE.

As we intend to make a change in our business at the end of the year, we are now closing out our

Large and Well-Assorted Stock of DRY GOODS

At Unusually Low Prices, Which, we are Sure, Will Meet the Hard Times.

Dress Goods from 6 cents upwards.
Grey Cottons from 4 cents upwards.
Prints from 6 cents upwards.
Hemp Carpeting from 12 cents upwards.
Tapestries from 59 cents upwards.
Brussels from \$1.00 upwards.

All other lines we are closing out at Prices that Defy Competition.

W. & A. BROWN.

Charlottetown, June 30, 1879.

SEASIDE HOTEL

RUSTICO BEACH, P. E. ISLAND.

THE ABOVE BEAUTIFUL WATERING PLACE HAS BEEN MUCH IMPROVED this Season and is now open for the accommodation of Guests.

For CHARMING SCENERY, INVIGORATING and BRACING ATMOSPHERE, and splendid Surf Bathing, this Hotel has no equal in the Dominion. Terms, \$2.00 an \$2.50 per day, \$10.50 per week. Special arrangements made for Families, Picnic Parties, &c.

To get to the Seaside Hotel: get tickets from all points for Hunter River.

BY TRAIN:—Trains leave Ch'town for Hunter River at 6.20 a. m.; 10.05 a. m.; and 5.25 p. m. Trains leave Summerside for Hunter River at 9.05 a. m.; 12.49 p. m.; and 5.30 p. m. Coaches meet trains from all points and convey passengers to the "Seaside." Charges Moderate—distance between 7 and 8 miles, through a beautiful country.

BY COACH, DIRECT:—Coaches leave Ch'town Wednesday and Saturday evenings calling for Guests at all points in City limits at 6 o'clock. Returning arrive at Ch'town about 9 o'clock, on Thursday and Monday morning. Fare, \$1.25, distance 15½ miles. Address: JOHN NEWSON & Co, Ch'town.

July 8th, 1879.—2m. pat. & arg.

J. B. MacDonald

HAS JUST RECEIVED

NEW FANCY DRESS GOODS,
NEW BLACK LUSTRES,
NEW BLACK & COLORED CORDS,
VELVETEENS & SILK VELVETS,
NEW FLOWERS AND FEATHERS,
New Straw Hats, (Fall Styles),
FRILLINGS, FRINGES, AND RIBBONS,
AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Queen Street, Charlottetown, Aug. 22, 1879—her

PICKLES.

50 Dozen Chow-Chow.

CARVELL BROS.

Ch'town, Aug. 25, 1879—3in eod

Cash! Cash!

ALL PERSONS indebted to me are requested to make immediate payment. All accounts remaining unpaid on the 10th of September next will be handed over to the Court for collection.

HENRY A. HARVIE.
Aug 23, 1879—eod 5in

QUEEN INSURANCE CO'Y.

OF ENGLAND.

CAPITAL . . . TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

INSURANCE effected on all kinds of Buildings, Merchandise and Produce. Also, on Vessels on the stocks.

Special rates for isolated residences. Losses settled promptly.

GEORGE MACLEOD (Union Bank),
Agent for Prince Edward Island,
June, 1877—

BRITISH AMERICA Assurance Company.

FIRE AND MARINE.

Cash Capital & Assets, \$1,176,491.45.

INCORPORATED 1833.

Head Office, - Toronto, Ont.

Risks taken on all descriptions of Property at lowest rates.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF LOSSES.

HORACE HASZARD, Agent.
Office, South Side Queen Square.
July 10, 1879.

MACLEAN & MARTIN,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Newson's Building, Opp. Post Office,
Charlottetown, P. E. I.

A. A. McLEAN. D. C. MARTIN.
June 18' 1879.—ex2aw

UNION HOUSE,

Queen Street, Charlottetown.

P. P. CILLIS, . . . PROPRIETOR.

CHOICEST WINES & LIQUORS.

NEW YORK LAGER BEER.

TABLES set at all hours, with every luxury of the season.

FRESH OYSTERS received daily.

Rooms large and comfortably furnished.

COACHES from this House meet all Trains and Steamboats.

First Class BARBER SHOP.

July 4, 1879—3m

FURTHER REDUCTION

IN PRICE OF

Albion Mines (Pictou, N. S.) SLACK COAL.

SLACK and ROUND COAL can now be obtained at the above mentioned Mines.

Slack Coal, only \$1.30 per ton; Round Coal, \$2.00.

For orders, apply to

G. W. DEBLOIS,
Sole Agent for P. E. Island.
OFFICE: No. 35 Water street.
Ch'town; June 23, 1879—patsj kca h sp2m

No. 35 Water St.,

Charlottetown.

Prince Edward Island Branch

—OF THE—

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

FIRE AND LIFE.

INSURANCE CO.

Subscribed Capital, \$9,733,332.00
Paid up Capital, - 1,216,666.00

CHIEF OFFICES—Edinburgh, 64 Prince Street; London, 61 Threadneedle Street.

Nine-Tenths of the Profits of the Life Assurance Business are divided every Five Years. The Tables of Rates are moderate.

Fire Insurances effected on nearly every description of Property, at the LOWEST RATES of Premium, corresponding to the nature of the risk.

Losses settled with promptitude and liberality.

G. W. DEBLOIS,
General Agent.
Dec. 14.

Dress & Mantle Making.

MISSIS CRANDALL

HAVING taken a shop from Mrs. Burris, Great George Street, would respectfully announce to the public that, having had a large experience in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, they are prepared to do DRESS & MANTLE MAKING in all the new and leading styles, at moderate prices.

August 7, 1879—2aw1m

TEA PARTY

—AND—

PIC-NIC SUPPLIES!

—AT—

BEER & GOFF'S

Lemon, Raspberry, and Pine Apple Syrup

Sold in bottles and by the gallon.

Plain and Fancy Biscuits

Sold in Boxes & Bbls. and by the pound.

Iceing Sugar, Raisins, Currants, Pastry Flour, Essence of Coffee, Confectionery, Nuts, Oranges, Potted Ham, Drivelled Ham, Potted Tongue, &c.

BEER & GOFF

June 23, 1879.

MAIL NOTICE.

MAILS for Great Britain will be closed at 10 o'clock, p. m., on THURSDAY in each week, to be forwarded via Rimouski, and also on MONDAY, the 4th and 18th inst., at 4 o'clock, a. m., to be forwarded via Halifax.

Mails to be forwarded via Summerside and Shediac and also for all places on the route to Summerside and in Prince County, will be closed daily at 5.30 o'clock, a. m., also for Summerside direct, at 5 p. m.

Mails to be forwarded via Steamers to Pictou will be closed every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 5 o'clock, a. m.

Mails for Georgetown and Souris East, and all places on those routes, will be closed daily at 6 o'clock, a. m.

Post Office open from 8, a. m., till 9, p. m.

A. A. MACDONALD,
Postmaster.

Post Office Charlottetown, }
Aug. 2nd, 1879. }

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

CANADIAN.

QUEBEC, Sept. 5.

Outside of the Legislative Council there is a good deal of speculation with regard to the present crisis, though there are no rumors of any importance.

Quebec is to receive the benefit of the Blake Act, notice having been received of its having been put in force for the city by the Dominion authorities.

TORONTO, Sept. 5.

The Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise arrived here by special train at 11 a. m. A tremendous crowd assembled at the station. Six thousand children sang songs of welcome; a procession formed and escorted the party to Horticultural gardens where the civic address was presented, after which His Excellency proceeded to the Exhibition grounds and formally opened the Exhibition. There is a grand illumination to-night. Their Excellencies are staying at the Government House.

WINNIPEG, MA., Sept. 5.

By the arrival of the Saskatchewan mail it has been ascertained that great uneasiness was caused at Battleford by the non-arrival of the money to pay the Indians who had assembled to receive their annuities. Difficulty was prevented by Dickson, the Acting Superintendent, paying them in notes at thirty days, which was accepted by the tradesmen as cash.

UNITED STATES.

FALL RIVER, MASS, Sept. 5.

All the property of Jefferson Borden, one of the founders of Fall River manufacturing industries and an officer in many banks there and other corporations, has been attached. His complications are largely due to the downfall of Borden's sons-in-law, Paine & Duffee. His liabilities are fabulous in amount, and the creditors will receive little.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.

At the instance of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, a warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of Gustave Amberg, Manager of the Hungarian Cadet Band of thirty musicians, whose ages vary from eight to sixteen, now playing in this city. The society claims that the health of the children is injured, and that the playing of musical instruments by children under sixteen, for public entertainments is against the law. It is stated that the children appear healthy and happy.

SACKETT HARBOR, N. Y., Sept. 5.

The sailing yacht "West Wind" capsized and immediately sank in Henderson Bay to-day. There were nine persons on board, some of whom attempted to swim ashore, a distance of half a mile, and four were drowned. Two clung to an oar and were rescued.

BOSTON, Sept. 5.

The steamer "Alaska," while a few miles from the mouth of the Detroit River, in Lake Erie, this morning, exploded the dome of her boiler, killing both engineers and one deck hand, and seriously scaling ten other deck hands, two fatally. Of the large number of passengers on board, only one was injured, and that but slightly.

LEAVENWORTH, Sept. 5.

Four men fell with a scaffolding on a building sixty feet, yesterday; two, it is feared, were fatally injured.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.

It is rumored that the Astley belt has been stolen. Rowell discredits the report.

MEMPHIS.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 5.

Father Cheyonomestomus, the only priest in the city of the Franciscan order, was stricken with the fever to-day.

John Raquet, a letter carrier, died to-night.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

The Standard says it has authentic information that the deep sea sounding of the French cable has been laid and the line is now complete from Brest to St. Pierre. The Farrady is now returning to Europe to ship the sections of the cable which is to connect St. Pierre with New York.

The celebrated "Wheel of Fortune" has been scratched for the St. Leger.

LONDON, Sept. 5.

The steamer "Indus" reports that she from Cardiff for New York passed August 29, the steamer "Rheola" with mainmast gone. She signaled that her damage was serious.

MEXICO.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.

City of Mexico dates to August 30, state that the Government of the District of Mexico has ordered to stop and question all persons on the streets after midnight.

The Council of the City of Mexico has asked Councils of other cities to initiate movements for raising funds to pay the next instalment of the city debt, and the President has ordered the national treasury to set aside \$1,000 daily for the same purpose.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Sept. 5.

A well known architect here has laid before the Emperor designs for buildings for the exhibition of 1885.

It is believed that Count Fon Moltke has visited the Czar at Warsaw.

PORTUGAL.

Oporto, Sept. 5.

The newspaper "Comercio do Minho" will be prosecuted by the Portuguese Government, at the request of the Spanish Ambassador, for using offensive language towards King Alfonso.

SPAIN.

PARIS, Sept. 5.

It has been denied that that ex-Queen Isabella will be present at the wedding of King Alfonso.

THE MARRIAGE OF KING ALFONSO.

MADRID, Sept. 5.

It is believed that the Cortes will meet November 3rd, and that the marriage of Alfonso will be celebrated in December.

THE NORTH-EAST PASSAGE.

YOKOHAMA, Sept. 4.

The Swedish exploring steamer "Vega," belonging to the Nordenskjold expedition, arrived here on Tuesday, having accomplished the North-east Passage. The expedition sailed on the 4th July, 1878. On Aug. 19th, Tsejdekin, the extreme northern part of Asia, was reached, where a short rest was taken. There was not much trouble with the ice till Sept. 28th, when they were enclosed in pack ice about a mile from the land, where they wintered, near a Tchukem settlement of 4000 inhabitants, who supplied them with game. They were detained here by ice 264 days, being released July 18th, arriving off Yokohama on the evening of Sept. 2nd. All were well and no deaths occurred.

Prof. Nordenskjold thinks the voyage from Europe to Asia by Behring's Straits certain and safe. Much valuable scientific information was obtained by the expedition. They will tarry in Japan a fortnight before sailing homeward.

The "A. E. Nordenskjold," sent to the relief of the "Vega" which was lost off Yesso Aug. 5th, has arrived safely at a northern Japanese port.

CABLE NOTES.

GENEVA, Sept. 5.

A French engineer has been instructed by his Government to make a preliminary study for the tunnelling of Mont Blanc.

ODESSA, Sept. 5.

The newspaper "Pravda" accuses the Porte of violating treaty obligations in allowing the United States steamer "Wyoming" to cruise in the Black Sea with the American Ambassador to Turkey on board.

ALEXANDROWO, Sept. 5.

The precautionary measures of the police at the meeting of the Emperor is absurdly rigid.

PEITH, Sept. 5.

The crops in Bulgaria have failed, the Government has forbidden the exportation of cereals.

Important demolitions of fortifications around Rustchuk have been completed.

SZEGEDIN, Sept. 5.

A smart shock of earthquake was felt in this vicinity to-day.

It is said that the Russian Government has lately had under consideration the project of disestablishing the monasteries of the empire, or, in other words, of taking possession of their landed, funded and other property and administering it for the national benefit, paying them such incomes as may be deemed sufficient for their support upon something like a reasonable scale. The present income of the Russian monasteries and convents, as estimated by the officials who have framed the scheme now under consideration, exceeds three millions of roubles; and the value of their possessions in the way of gold and silver plate, precious stones and works of art, has been appraised at between thirty and forty millions sterling. Some of them are large holders in Russian stock; others are stated to have accumulated enormous sums in bullion. The Imperial Exchequer is suffering from chronic depletion; existing taxes are collected with great difficulty; and it would prove a hopeless enterprise to attempt the infliction of further fiscal burdens upon the already overburdened peasants. In its distress it was suggested that the monasteries might be utilized, and it is thought the advice will be followed. Under a despotic rule like that of St. Petersburg, the Czar and his government can carry out any plan that suits them, quite regardless of its justice or the wishes of those whom it may concern.

Swarms of caterpillars are reported in the French papers to have recently descended upon Bordeaux and covered the alleys of Boutant in such multitudes as to form a species of curtain across them to a certain height. The insects, from one to two centimetres in length, appeared to be enveloped in a sort of spider web, from which it was most difficult, not to say impossible, to get free when once entangled in it. One courageous woman who resolved to traverse this living hedge was literally covered with the small pests, and would never have succeeded in disengaging herself from the mingled mass of web and caterpillars had not assistance been given by others. At least a dozen trees in the alleys have been stripped of their leaves, and there is strong reason to fear that if the insect plague extends the scene of its ravages all the gardens of the neighborhood will suffer enormously.