

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

BIG BEAR AND GEN. STRANGE

The Chief Strongly Entrenched.

Strange wants Reinforcements

Winnipeg, May 22. All sorts of reports come from Calgary. It is now stated that Big Bear is so strongly fortified and entrenched that Gen. Strange will not attack him until the arrival of reinforcements.

White Cap Captured.

Winnipeg, May 22. The Indian chief, White Cap and twenty-two of his band were captured by the troops at Dead Moose Lake.

Riel to be Imprisoned at Regina.

Regina, May 20. Riel will be imprisoned at Regina until he is tried.

Middleton at Prince Albert.

Prince Albert, (Via Courier and Wire), May 20. General Middleton and troops arrived here yesterday. They were received with great enthusiasm.

Victor Hugo Dead.

Paris, May 22. Victor Hugo died last evening. When dying, he replied to an offer of the Archbishop of Paris, of spiritual assistance, and the last rites of the Roman Catholic Church as follows:—

"Victor Hugo is expecting death, but does not desire the services of a priest."

Victor Hugo bequeathed all his manuscripts to France, and left it to the Republic to select his burial place. The French Chambers adjourned to-day as a tribute of respect to his memory.

[Victor Hugo was born at Besancon in 1802, his father being a Colonel in the French army. He received a classical education in a religious house, and in 1822 brought out the first volume of his odes and ballads.

On the 19th inst., High Constable Bissonette, of Montreal, and Detective Hodgins, this morning, arrested E. E. Sheppard, proprietor of the Daily News, for criminal libel, at the instance of Major Dugas, 65th Battalion, arising out of charges of Drunkenness, filibustering, &c., made against officers and men of the 65th in published interviews with Sergeant Nelson, of the Grenadiers, and Dr. White. He was afterwards released on bail.

Mr. A. McQueen, of Orwell, is one of the gallant Islanders engaged in putting down the rebellion. The Winnipeg Free Press reports that he went through the thickest of the battle of Fish Creek, and gives some of his impressions of the fight as follows:—"The boys of the 90th were as cool and as steady as veterans. C. N. Mitchell, Andy Gillies and other sharpshooters of the battalion were as careful of their aim as if shooting for a cup, and say they did not waste a bullet, but made every shot tell. The rifle-pits in which the enemy were so strongly entrenched, were about ten inches deep in the side and bottom of the ravine. Many of them were surrounded with scrub, and a visit to the scene after the fight disclosed the fact that the number of killed and wounded on the rebel side must have been large. The scrub was shattered and torn by bullets, and the bottoms of the pits were stained with blood. The fire of the batteries was most effective. The first shot was at the house on the extreme right in which a number of rebels were entrenched. It was about a thousand feet distant, and the balls fell a few feet short. Next a shell was fired, and the aim was so accurate that it struck fair on the roof, and exploding, set fire to the thatched roof, and in an hour the building was in ashes. The rebels swarmed out of the building like bees, and scattered to the woods. Mr. McQueen thinks the marksmanship of the rebels has been greatly overestimated, as our officers and men frequently exposed themselves most recklessly, and though invariably fired at, escaped unhurt. Capt. Wise, A. D. C., rode about within 50 yards of the enemy in the most foolhardy manner, armed only with a revolver. His horse was twice shot under him, but he escaped with only a slight wound."

A Love Affair.

Bristol, Eng., May 22. Miss Ann Hensley, aged 22, jumped from Clifton Suspension Bridge, a distance of 145 feet. She stuck in the mud, and was rescued alive. She may recover from the effects of the jump. Miss Hensley was crossed in love, and intended to commit suicide.

Scott Act Amendment.

Ottawa, May 22. Thirty five thousand people of Ontario have petitioned the Senate to exempt all porter, beer, cider, and light wines from the operation of the Canada Temperance Act.

A Retrograde Movement.

Berlin, May 22. The National Zeitung says England began a retrograde movement in Egypt before the advancing phalanx of United Europe.

A Scott Act Victory.

Kingston, Ont., May 22. Although defeated in this city, the Scott Act was carried in Frontenac County by a large majority.

Sir Leonard in London.

London, May 22. Sir Leonard Tilley arrived here to-day. His health was much improved by the trip across the Atlantic.

An Irish Election.

Dublin, May 22. The election in the County Antrim, yesterday, resulted in the return of Sinclair, (Liberal.)

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces. Toronto, May 23—10 a. m. Moderate winds from south-east and south west; fair weather, followed by local showers to-night; stationary or slightly higher temperature.

Table with 2 columns: Time/Location, Temperature. Includes METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Charlotteville May 23, 1885. Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight) 63.6. Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight) 34.8.

THE RIEL REBELLION!

THE WINNIPEGERS PRAISED.

Hon. John Norquay, the Premier of Manitoba, sent the following telegram to General Middleton the day after the fight at Batoche:—

"Accept from my colleagues and myself congratulation on your glorious victory. We are proud of achievements of our boys under your command."

The General responded:—"Thanks from my troops and myself to you and your colleagues for your congratulations on our success. You have every right to be proud of those from Winnipeg who are with me."

AN OPINION ON POUNDMAKERS.

Dr. Polan, who has just arrived from Battleford, pronounced Poundmaker an arch mischief-maker and says he should, with the other Indian chiefs associated with him, be at once shot or hanged, if peace is ever to be restored in the country. If they are let off white people in or around Battleford would soon kill them off, as many of them had sworn to shoot Poundmaker and the rebellious chiefs the moment they could draw a bead on them.

Battle of Fish Creek.

IMPRESSIONS OF AN ISLANDER ENGAGED IN THE FIGHT.

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A By Law for Levying and Specifying the Rate of Assessment on Real Estate, Personal Property and Income in the City of Charlottetown.

BE IT ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown, as follows:— 1st. The rate of Assessment for the year commencing the 1st day of January, A. D. 1885, and ending 31st of December, A. D. 1885, is hereby specified and fixed at the rate of one cent on every dollar of the value of Real Estate, as assessed by the Assessors of the said City, in their valuation rolls of such Real Estate, made and duly returned by them on the Eleventh day of April, A. D. 1885.

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DIED.

In this city, on Saturday, the 23rd inst., Joseph Lister, son of Dr. Macleod, aged 2 years and one month.

Halifax Steam Navigation Co.

STEAMERS sailing between Baltimore and Halifax to Havre, calling at Swansea on the outward passage. Cheap excursions to England and France.

HALIFAX TO HAVRE.

The first-class new iron steamship

'DAMARA'

will sail from Halifax for Havre direct, Tuesday, 2nd June.

HAVRE AND SWANSEA TO HALIFAX.

The S. S. "OLYMPIA" is intended to leave Havre for Halifax about the 24th May, calling at Swansea. To be followed by regular monthly sailings from the above named ports.

Through Bills Lading issued to Rouen, Paris, London, Bordeaux, Nantes, Caen, Hamburg, Rotterdam and St. Petersburg.

For freight and further particulars apply to EMILE TROUET, Havre; BURGESS & Co., Swansea; ADAMSON & RONALDSON, London; J. R. FORD & Co., Baltimore; JOSEPH WOOD, Halifax; or here to

FENTON T. NEWBERY, Agent.

Bargains in Earthenware

- Tea Pots, Flower Pots, Milk Dishes, Cream Crocks, Butter Crocks, Bean Pots, Preserve Jars.

BIG REDUCTION IN PRICES.

THE BEST PLACE TO BUY.

CALL AND SEE!

BEER AND COFF.

Ch'town, May 23—9aw wky

A New York Provision Export House

WANTS the Agency of a first-class Lobster Cannery; also of dried Codfish. References exchanged. Apply to "LOBSTER," P. O. Box 2816, New York City.

A By-Law for allowing a Rate of Discount on the Assessments on Real Estate, Personal Property and Income for the current year.

BE IT enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown, as follows:—"1. A Discount at the rate of two and one-half per cent. shall be allowed to all Taxpayers who shall, on or before the FIFTEENTH DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1885, pay to the City Clerk, at his Office, the taxes severally due by them for the current year on Real Estate, Personal Property and Income.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

THE Subscriber begs to announce to his patrons and friends generally that he has removed his

Excursion.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

25th MAY, 1885.

STEAMERS "Princess of Wales" and "St. Lawrence" - Picton Landing and Return, one dollar.

Summerside to Point du Chene and Return, one dollar.

By order, F. W. HALES, Secretary.

AUCTION.

THE Subscribers will sell by Auction, on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3rd, 1885, at Souris East, the

Schr. "Isabella." 48 Tons.

At same time, one 34-foot Seine Boat and 200 fathoms Seine, with fittings complete.

Terms at Sale.

McDONALD, McDONALD & CO. May 19—41 date

MAY, NEW TEA. 1885.

DIRECT FROM LONDON.

Our Specialty—TEA.

Our Aim—TO DOUBLE OUR TRADE.

Our Inducements—EXTRA BARGAINS.

WE intend making a Specialty of TEA this season, and aim to double our already large trade in this article. We offer as an inducement Extra Bargains to country merchants, peddlers and consumers.

A Large Stock on Hand.

5-Pound Cans (patent screw tops) Caddies and Half-chests, all WARRANTED.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

BEER & GOFF.

Ch'town, May 23. '85—2aw & wky

OUR GRAND DISPLAY

—OF—

SPRING CLOTHING

AND FURNISHINGS

IS VERY TEMPTING.

The Custom Tailoring Department is full of Neat, Nobby and Reliable Goods.

The Men's Department is loaded with an immense display of New Spring Suits. The Hat Department—well, everybody understands that our Hat Department has advantages over the smaller establishments that place it at the head, and secures for it the bulk of the trade. We are displaying the largest variety of Spring Styles of Hats ever shown, and include all the popular shapes.

The Boys' Department is unquestionably the best and most attractive in the city. The Furnishing Goods Department is not only well stocked with all that is solid and staple, but contains much that is choice and novel.

No doubt about it. Ours is the largest and best selected stock ever seen in this city,—not only largest in quantity, but largest in variety of shapes,—largest in variety of materials,—largest in correct styles,—largest in every way. What more could we say, unless it be that OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT,—RELIABLE, HONEST.

ROBERTSON'S ONE-PRICE CLOTHING STORE,

No. 50 Queen Street.

Charlottetown, May 21, 1885.

TO SHOEMAKERS.

JUST RECEIVED and for Sale, a new stock of SHOEFINDINGS, &c., consisting in part of—

SHOE TOPS, in Balmorals, Elastic, Ruffles, and Kip Balmorals.

C. E. FRONTS—Clarence and Gruffs.

A Choice lot of French Calf, in Skins.

This stock has been specially selected in the English Market and is very superior.

M. McQUAID, Lower Queen Street.

May 22, 1885—1w wky 1mo

REID BROS. NEW STORE

Cameron Block—Just Opened.

Positively the Lowest Prices on Record.

All-wool Blue Serge Suits, \$8.50, worth \$10.00.

All-wool Pants, \$1.35, \$1.55 and up.

Soft Felt Hats, 65cts, worth \$1.

Very stylish American Straw Hats, 85 cts up.

Very stylish American Felt Hats, 50cts. to \$3.

White Shirts, a good neat one for 70cts.

Regatta Shirts, 85cts. and up.

Balbriggan Undershirts and Drawers, 50cts and up.

Cotton and all-wool Undershirts, 50cts. and up.

Heavy Gingham Top Shirts, 36cts. on'y.

Heavy Knit Working Shirts, 85cts. and up.

A large stock of Ties and Hosiery.

A large stock of Linen Collars, 10cts. up.

A large stock of Island Tweed, 55cts. up.

A large stock of Scotch Tweed, low prices.

A large stock of Ginghams, Cottons, Winseys, &c.

Fine Tailoring done on the premises, by Malcolm Bruce, at lower prices than usual.

Please call before buying your requirements.

REID BROS. Ch'town, May 22, '85—3mos

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY.

A SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Charlottetown for Cape Traverse at 8 3/4 a. m., on 23rd and 30th May, inst., calling at intermediate stations going and returning. This train will carry passengers and freight, and will return to Charlottetown same evening.

JAMES COLEMAN, Superintendent.

Railway Office, Ch'town, May 21, 1885—2i

HORSES WANTED

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Twenty-five working and driving Horses, weighing from 1000 to 1200 pounds.

W. S. MCKIE, Head Hillsborough St. Ch'town, May 21, '85—8i

Childrens Carriages

JUST RECEIVED—cheap—at bargain.

JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, May 21—1w

OPENING

ROLLER SKATING RINK

THE Subscribers, having completed their new ROLLER SKATING RINK, will open it to the public

On Monday Evening, May 25th

Galbraith's Band will furnish music for the occasion.

Promenade Tickets, 25c's; Children, half price.

Skates, 15 Cents.

BAKER & MUTTART.

Ch'town, May 23, '85—1i

NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern.

I HAVE appointed F. M. Myrick, of Tignish, P. E. I., my Agent for the Dominion of Canada, with power to manufacture and sell my patent Can-heading Machine.

GEORGE A. MARSH.

To Lobster Packers and Can Makers.

I AM prepared to fill orders for the above mentioned Machines, and also for the Johnston Soldering Machine.

For particulars, price, &c., apply to the undersigned at Tignish, or to J. H. Myrick & Co., Charlottetown, where the machines may be seen in operation.

E. M. MYRICK, Tignish, May 23, '85—4i cost her 3i

NOTICE.

CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN, MAYOR'S OFFICE, 22nd May, 1885.

MONDAY, the 25th inst., being the day fixed for the Anniversary of Her Majesty's Birthday, His Worship the Mayor invites his fellow citizens to celebrate the occasion by a General Holiday.

By order, A. H. McPHERSON, City Clerk.

LIVERY STABLE,

GRAFTON STREET.

FIRST-CLASS TEAMS always on hand and delivered at short notice.

Telephone connection with all the principal hotels.

JOHN F. POWERS, Proprietor.

Ch'town, May 21, '85.

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

EXCURSION RETURN TICKETS, at one first class fare, will be issued from Charlottetown to all intermediate stations, Summerside, Souris, Georgetown and all intermediate stations, 1st afternoon train, on Saturday, 23rd May inst.; also, to and from all stations on Monday, 25th inst., all tickets being good to return up to and on May 27th, 1885.

JAMES COLEMAN, Superintendent.

Railway Office, Ch'town, May 19, 1885.

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WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED.—A Girl for General Housework, and a Nurse. Good Wages. Apply at EXAMINER Office. 3i—may 23

LOST—Between North River Bridge and Bonshaw, on Thursday, the 21st May, a pocket book containing Notes of Hand, 1 written order, and ten dollars cash. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same with John Brady, Green Road, Lot 30, or at the Herald office, Charlottetown. may 23 ii

WANTED—To exchange, a Mare (16 year old, with foal by Abdallah, for a Horse. Apply to S. Bolger, Ocean House. may 23 ii pd

WANTED—A good, steady Servant Man, to look after a horse and cow and do general outside work; a Protestant preferred; liberal wages given. Apply at EXAMINER office may 21 ii

WANTED—A Girl for general housework; high wages; good references required. Apply to Mrs. McEllish, St. Peter's Road, Royalton. may 19

WANTED—A young Man as clerk in a store. Apply by letter with reference to Box 299, Ch'town. may 19

WANTED—A Warehouse Man, must be well recommended. Apply by letter to Reuben Tuplin & Co., Kensington. may 19

FOR SALE—A few cords of Hardwood. Apply to P. Clerk, Steam Nav. Co., Wharf. May 18

TO LET.—A house on Bayfield Street, containing five rooms. Apply to T. R. Williams. may 16

FOR SALE—A good, second-hand Top Buggy; good as new; will be sold cheap. Apply at this office. may 13 ii

PASTURE TO LET.—At Kensington, in the Common and Royalty, well watered and sheltered from flies. Enquire of ISAAC GODWIN, East End, City. [may 11 till jnl