

Local and Other Items.

Bargains. Wholesale and Retail, to-day and to-morrow for Bank of Prince Edward Island Bills at W. E. Dawson & Co's.

HOLY WEEK. PALM SUNDAY—yesterday. No mails crossing to-day. VENDOR made a good hit yesterday.

BAND and good ice at the Rink to-night. EASTER GRAIN AND CATTLE SHOW—to-morrow.

NOW OPENING.—L. E. Prowse is now opening his new Hats.

THE barque "M. J. Foley" arrived at Havana, from Liverpool, on the 18th ult.

THE "Northern Light" left Georgetown this morning, but has not yet reported at Pictou.

MR. JAMES BROWN, C. E., has been appointed a Surveyor on the Canadian Pacific Railway Staff.

MR. FRANCIS LOUGHRAN has been appointed a clerk, on probation, in the Dominion Savings Bank, in this city.

MR. CHARLES DALZIEL leaves to-morrow for Manitoba, where he has secured a situation from the C. P. Railway Company.

JOHN HUGHES and Frederick Peters, Esq's, have arrived at Cape Travers. They will reach this city to-morrow evening.

REGULAR Communication of King Solomon Lodge this evening, in the 3rd Degree. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

BANK OF P. E. Island Notes taken in exchange for beef during Easter week.—WHEATLEY & SONS.

THE schr. "Neva," after having been twice driven back to Port Hawkesbury by the ice, sailed again on the 26th ult., for Poston.

PICKLES—Captain White's, Oriental, Cross & Blackwell's Mixed—at Watson's Drug Store.

THE Bishops of Ottawa and Three Rivers, Canada, were present at the ceremony of creating new Cardinals at Rome, on Monday last.

BANK of Prince Edward Island notes taken for tea and general groceries, by GEORGE CARTER, Great George Street.

A WHOLESALE discharge of passenger and freight conductors on the Union Pacific railway commenced recently. There is reason to believe that before it ends as many as one hundred or sixty will be laid off.

WONDERFUL display of new Hats at L. E. Prowse's. Prices to suit all.

Bank of Prince Edward Island Bills taken at W. E. Dawson & Co's.

THE Bank of Montreal reports the sale of the Canada Pacific land grants as remarkably successful. Large orders are being received for them from Winnipeg. A Land Company there has purchased \$250,000 worth.

ON the return of R. R. Fitzgerald, Esq., Stipendiary Magistrate, from Ottawa, he will apply to the Supreme Court to enter judgment against all delinquent city taxpayers. It would, therefore, be well for the delinquents to pay up immediately, and save expenses.

DEBATING CLUB.—Discussion to-morrow (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock, sharp, in the Hall of the Y. M. C. A. Subject: "Are the predictions of the promoters of Confederation being realized?" Opener, Mr. J. E. Wyatt. With an interesting question, and a good opener, the debate promises to be a lively one.

TOTAL WRECK.—By cable to Longworth & Co., we learn that the barque "Rivewood," Capt. P. Trainor, was driven ashore from her anchors in St. Pierre, Miq., yesterday, during a heavy easterly gale. She shortly became a total wreck. The crew were saved, and the vessel was insured.

RAILWAY APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. Scoblebury, relieving agent, has been appointed chief clerk of the Accountant's Office, vice Mr. Davies, resigned, and Geo. Robertson, of this city, is appointed to the position of clerk and cashier, vacated by Mr. Coles. Mr. Hunter, telegraph operator, is made relieving agent.

HOLY WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL.—The office of Tenor will commence at three o'clock on Wednesday evening, and will continue, at the same hour, on Thursday and Friday evenings. Pontifical High Mass and Blessing of the Holy Oils on Thursday morning, at eight o'clock. Divine Service and Sermon on Good Friday, at eight o'clock, a. m. Service on Saturday morning, at half-past seven, a. m.

Notes of the Bank of P. E. Island are still taken for Dry Goods at the London House.

THE storm of yesterday was very severe over the whole Island. The track of the Prince Edward Island Railway is again completely blocked with snow, and it is not expected that the line will be clear before to-morrow afternoon. Two engines and a plow left here at 8.30 this morning arriving at Royalty Junction at 2.30. The train which left Tignish at 6.30, has not arrived at Bloomfield yet; passed Alberton at 10.30. The train from Georgetown has not arrived at Cardigan. Large gangs of men are engaged in shovelling out the drifts.

THE public generally are respectfully invited to inspect L. E. Prowse's stock of Hats. His stock is very large, good styles and very cheap.

One of the "Patriot's" nasty tricks towards Mr. Ferguson, appears in Saturday evening's paper. Mr. Gordon made the following quotation from Shakespeare which he applied to Mr. D. Farquharson: "Gratiano speaks an infinite deal of nothing, more than anyone in all Venice. His reasons are as two grains of wheat hid in two bushels of chaff: you shall seek all day ere you find them; and when you have them they are not worth the search." The "Patriot" says that Mr. Gordon applied this quotation to Mr. Ferguson. This is only a specimen of the editor's lack of common decency.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

The Hanlan-Boyd Race.

HANLAN STILL INVINCIBLE.

Suicides, Obituaries, Collision, etc., etc.

SACREVILLE, N. B., April 3. In the boat race, to-day, between Hanlan and Boyd, Hanlan led from the start, winning by four lengths.

New York, April 2. The police were notified to-night that Cornelius J. Vanderbilt, brother of Wm. H. Vanderbilt, who contested the probate of the will of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, has committed suicide by shooting himself through the head. A coroner was notified, and gave a permit for the removal of the body. The motive for the deed is said by his friends to have been the result of mental derangement, brought on by years of suffering from epileptic fits. His financial affairs were in a prosperous condition.

New York, April 2. The editor of the World has been notified by Prescott that General Hurlbut, late United States Minister to Peru, died suddenly of disease of the heart on 28th of March, at Lima.

The steamer "Orinoco," from St. George's, Bermuda, brings intelligence of the death of Sir Robert Michael Laflin, Governor of the Bermudas, on March 22nd.

LONDON, April 2. The Spanish Steamer "Yrurabat," Capt. Ugarte from Liverpool, for Porto Rico, collided with the Royal Mail Co's Steamer "Douro," from Brazil, off Cape Finistere, Spain, on Saturday. Both steamers sank. The Wilson Line Steamer "Hidalgo" rescued seventeen persons from the "Douro," and sixty-seven from the "Yrurabat," and landed them at Corunna.

LATER. Thirty of the crew of the "Yrurabat" including the Captain and pilot were drowned. Thirty-five of the "Douro's" passengers were saved. The number drowned is unknown.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, April, 1882. Mr. Laurier's motion on coal and bread-stuff duties was defeated in the Commons yesterday by a majority of seventy-three votes.

James Yeo, Esq., M. P., is absent. He went to Boston yesterday.

The Grits intended yesterday to move in favor of the Poundry Award, but Mr. Plam forestalled them by making a motion to the effect that the dispute be referred to the Supreme Court of the Dominion or the Privy Council.

Messrs. Ives, McKenzie and Mills, spoke on the subject, but the House takes little interest in it.

R. R. Fitzgerald, Esq., arrived here yesterday, on business for the Bank of Prince Edward Island.

The Senators are warming up over the Deceased Wife's Sister Bill. It is likely to pass in the Senate this Session.

Judge Henry, of the Supreme Court of Canada, yesterday, gave his decision in the Island Railway damages as follows:—

George McLeod, Esq. \$36,000
Theo. Stewart, Esq. 1,000
Mrs. John Murphy 2,500
Mr. Helliwell 750
Miss McDonald 1,500

Mr. Helliwell's counsel gave notice of an appeal from the decision.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, April 3—10 a. m. North, veering to north-east and east winds; fair, cool weather.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

LODGE RESTAURANT.—Oysters on the half shell, fresh and good, at the Lodge Restaurant, mar 31 3i

A LARGE quantity of Flower Pots at W. P. Colwell's. m21 f

PARTIES having any claims against the proprietor of the Lodge Restaurant will oblige by furnishing same at once, and parties owing me will please pay up at once, as my business in future will be conducted on the pay as you go principle.—A. McDONALD. [ma 31 3i

MIXED Pickles and Chow chow by the quart, Tea and Coffee the best, at the Fancy Grocery.—R. K. BRACE. [mr 30

300,000 Bottles Minard's Liniment sold in Nova Scotia during the past six months—the universal remedy, the king of pain. Used by everybody. Try it. Price 25 cents. Nov 16 wly

HAVILL'S LUNG HEALER—a good, simple remedy for a troublesome cough or cold—for sale at The Apothecaries' Hall.

PEA SOUP (very nice), at Bear & Goff's. [fe 6

COLLINS' GEOGRAPHIES!

BREMNER BROS. Charlottetown, April 3, 1882—2i

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

TO LET—A House and Shop on Queen Street, adjoining A. Hermans & Son, now occupied by Mr. Henry Hart as saloon. For particulars apply to Mrs. J. Costello, Prince Street. [ma 24 1w pd

A Second-Hand Piano and Organ for sale cheap. Apply at this office. [mh 17

FOR SALE.—A Breach-Loading Gun, 10 gauge, rebounding lock, snap action. Apply at this office. [fe 27

SPRING GOODS.

PERKINS & STERNS, Queen Square, —ARE SHOWING—

SPRING GOODS GREAT VARIETY.

Their Stock is Always Purchased

BEST MARKETS.

And You Can Rely Upon Getting as Good Value as can be found on P. E. Island.

Large Stock Grey Cottons, Large Stock White Cottons, Large Stock Pink Cottons, Parks & Sons Knitting Cotton

(IN EVERY COLOR.)

New Spring Tweeds.

A NICE VARIETY OF DRESS GOODS!

A Complete Stock of MOURNING GOODS.

Table Linens, Table Napkins, Towels, Sheetings, PILLOW COTTONS, COUNTERPANES,

TOILET COVERS, &c., &c., VERY CHEAP

Carpet, Oil Cloths, Matting Rugs and Mats.

ROOM PAPER.

Perkins & Sterns. Feb. 10, 1882.

THE NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

Fire and Life Insurance Company, OF EDINBURGH AND LONDON, ESTABLISHED IN 1809.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Reserved Funds (Irrespective of Paid up Capital) over \$5,000,000.00

Insurances effected at the Lowest Current Rates.

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Accumulated Funds (irrespective of Paid up Capital) over \$12,000,000.00

Nine-tenths of the whole Profits of the Life Branch belong to the Assured.

Profits of previous Quinquennium divided among Policy Holders, \$1,158,500.00

New and Reduced Premiums for the Dominion of Canada.

Copies of the Annual Report, Prospectuses, and every information, may be obtained at the

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND BRANCH, No. 35 Water Street, Charlottetown.

GEORGE W. DEBLOIS, GENERAL AGENT

March 16, 1882—eod

FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION (LIMITED), OF LONDON, ENGLAND. Capital, \$5,000,000. Reserve, \$250,000. Govt. Deposit, \$100,000. Every description of Property insured at the lowest rates. London and Lancashire Life ASSURANCE COMPANY, OF LONDON, ENGLAND. Government Deposit \$110,000. Rates lower than the majority of Offices. HEAD OFFICE FOR CANADA, MONTREAL. Prince Edward Island Branch: W. E. DAWSON, Esq., F. W. BYNDUAN, DIRECTOR, GENERAL AGENT. All Fire Policies are issued at Charlottetown. Agencies at Georgetown, Summerside, Souris and Alberton. [fe 21—2w eod

MARCH SALE!

CLEARING-OUT PRICES!

J. B. MACDONALD.

7000 yards Grey Cotton, 5 cents up. 9000 yards White Cotton, 7 " " 8000 yards Print Cotton, 5 " " 13,000 yards Ladies Cold. Dress Goods, 8 " " 3000 yards Black & Cold. Cashmeres, 22 " " 15000 yards Spring Tweed, 40 " " 700 yards Table Damask, 20 " " 600 yards Pillow Cotton,

White Cotton Sheetings, Lace Curtains, Curtain Muslin, Tapestry Carpets Scotch Carpets, Felt Carpets, Hemp Carpets, Flour Oil Cloth, all widths, and Room Paper.

During the month of March I will give Bargains in every Department Cash customers will find no cheaper goods in Town.

J. B. MACDONALD. Broomfield's Old Stand, Queen Street, February 23, 1882.—whly not p. r. s.

Mortgage Sale.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, on TUESDAY, the fourth day of April next, 1882 at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in Summerside, in Prince County, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the first day of February, A. D. 1880, and made between Thomas McCarroll and Bridget McCarroll, his wife, of the one part, and Edward Jarvis Hodgson and Neil McLeod, of the other part.

ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being on Lot or Township Number Twenty-seven, bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing on the south side of the road leading to Charlottetown, at the north-west angle of land in the possession of Edward Hughes; thence south to the division line of the north moiety of the said Township; thence west eleven chains; thence north to the road, thence along the road to the place of commencement, containing eighty-three acres of land, a little more or less.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Summerside.

Dated this third day of March, A. D. 1882. EDWARD JARVIS HODGSON, NEIL McLEOD. Mortgagee!

MORTGAGE SALE.

TO be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, on TUESDAY, the 30th day of May next, A. D. 1882, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, in front of the Law Courts Building, Charlottetown.

ALL that tract, piece and parcel of land being the southern half of Town Lot Number Sixty-five in the third hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, bounded as follows, that is to say: commencing at West Street, at the North-west corner of Town Lot number fifteen in the third hundred of Town Lots aforesaid; thence east along the northern boundary of said Town Lot number fifteen eighty-four feet or thereabouts to Town Lot number sixty-six in the said third hundred of Town Lots; thence north along the western boundary of said Town Lot number sixty-six eighty-four feet or thereabouts to West Street aforesaid; thence south along the eastern side of West Street to the place of commencement, together with all houses, buildings, rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

The above sale is made pursuant to the Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1875, and made between Samuel Nosworthy Earle and Esther Julia Earle his wife of the one part, and Thomas Heath Haviland, of the other part.

For further particulars, apply at the office of Eustace H. Haviland, Solicitor, Charlottetown.

Dated this 25th day of February, A. D. 1882. T. HEATH HAVILAND, Mortgagee.

WANTED.

AT the JUNK STORE, Head Pownal Wharf, old Copper, Brass, Iron, Lead, Zinc, Rope and Canvas, Horse Hair, Rags, &c., for which the highest price will be paid. Ch'town, Jan 13, '82.—3m

MORE LIGHT!

THE Charlottetown Gas Light Company have imported some of "BRAY'S BURNERS," which they will supply and fit on Gas Brackets, etc., at a moderate cost to consumers.

These Burners are reported to be the best Flat Flame Burner yet produced, and will give a far greater amount of light than any other Burner with the same consumption of Gas.

Dr. Wallace, F. R. S. E., F. C. S., Gas Examiner to the City of Glasgow, in a lecture delivered by him, calculated that £130,000 (\$650,000) a year are thrown away in Glasgow by the use of imperfect fittings. On the subject of Gas Burners he says: "Another and as I think a better Burner is that called Bray's regulator, and as I consider these the best union Burners attainable at moderate cost, I have selected them for a series of experiments."

The Report of the Committee of the British Association of Science to enquire as to the best means for the development of light from Coal Gas of different qualities—comprising Dr. William Wallace, Professor Dittus, and Mr. Thomas Willis, F. C. S., F. I. C. E., showed that Bray's Burner yielded the greatest amount of light of all the two or three score of Burners reported upon, which included all the Burners of repute in the market.

In a pamphlet upon Light and Heat, published by R. B. Taylor, A. M., he says: "The cost of Gas as compared with other illuminants is much more economical when rightly used, than many suppose. From experiments made for this purpose, the following results have been obtained. They were made by burning samples of Devos's Brilliant Oil and ordinary Oils, and testing their illuminating power. It was found that Coal Gas costing one cent at \$3 per thousand feet, gave a light equal to 18 candles, while Devos's Brilliant Oil costing 27.4 grammes costing half a cent, gave a light equal to 9 candles."

"A good Argand or Johnson's burner, the Burner used in the last experiment, will therefore give the light of 2 ordinary Oil Burners in direct comparison, at no greater expense in the case of the finer and safer grades of Oil. Lights, however, on the authority of scientists, are not to be compared in direct proportion, but in proportion to the squares of their powers, and such a comparison with the case of the use of Gas, its cleanliness, freedom from odor and dangers, renders its use desirable wherever it can be introduced."

As the above experiments were made with Gas at \$3 per 1000 feet, and not consumed through Bray's Burners, it will readily be seen how much more economical it is to consume Gas instead of Oil, when its price is only \$2.63 per 10.0 feet as now charged here when consumed, more especially through Bray's Burners.

Messrs. Goodwin & Co., of Philadelphia, the well-known manufacturers of Scientific instruments for testing the illuminating power of Coal Gas, etc., say in their Circular to Gas Companies: "In presenting the Bray's Standard Patent Silt Union Burners and Lanterns, for which we are the sole Agents in the United States, to the attention of the public, we are convinced that we are affording a want long felt." They further add: "The yield of light from these Burners is 12 to 20 per cent. greater per cubic foot of Gas consumed than that from any flat flame Burner hitherto introduced."

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