

Local and Other Items.

MAILS.—The mails arrived this afternoon. BANK STOCK.—G. M. Harris sold Merchants Bank of P. E. Island stock to-day at 5 per cent. premium. A WEEK'S RECORD.—There were 53 arrests in Portland, Me., last week, of which 35 were for drunkenness. RAILWAY GOSPEL MEETING.—Lesson for to-morrow afternoon: Matthew 4:1. The temptation in the wilderness. PERSONAL.—It is reported that Hon. Edward Blake will return to Canada before the prorogation of parliament. STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—Two Scott Act cases were heard to-day. One was adjourned until Thursday next and the other dismissed. PREACHING.—Elder D. Crawford will (D. V.) preach in the meeting house, Upper Great George Street, to-morrow at 10.30 a. m., and 6.30 p. m. POLL TAX.—Collector Chandler made a number of affidavits for the collecting of Poll Tax this forenoon. Delinquents should make a note of the fact. BAND BENEFIT.—There was a very large attendance at the 82nd Battalion Band benefit in the Excelsior Rink last evening. The ice was in good condition. MEDICAL.—Dr. Kelly is fitting up an office on Upper Queen Street (a few doors above Apothecaries Hall) and will begin practising his profession next week. Y. M. C. A.—Gospel service to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. Hall. Subject: "The Accursed Tree, Gal. 3: 10-14; Gal. 6:14; Deut. 21:23. GOSPEL PREACHING.—To-morrow, Lord's Day in the Christian Meeting House: Morning, at half-past ten; evening, at half-past six. All are invited to attend. ST. JAMES' BAZAAR.—The Bazaar and Tea, in St. James' Hall was continued last evening. There was a very good attendance considering the disagreeable weather. MAYFLOWERS.—Mr. C. A. Williamson, of Aylesford Station, N. S., has forwarded the Halifax Herald a bunch of Mayflowers in full bloom—a luxury this early in the season. A FORENOON'S WORK.—The Moncton Times reports that Dr. Bradley, of that place, extracted seventy teeth before dinner, a few days ago, and thinks that beats the record. NEW TALENT.—We are pleased to hear that the Rev. Mr. Lloyd, of St. Peter's Church, has kindly consented to sing a solo at Mr. Vinnicombe's Concert on the 3rd of April next. NORTHERN LIGHT.—The Northern Light has been trying to break her way out of Souris harbor for several days past and is now reported outside the breakwater. The Gulf is said to be full of ice. FLOWERS FOR EASTER.—A collection of exquisite varieties of German Wallflowers, with massive spikes of fragrant flowers, which will continue to increase in size and in bloom for months, easily propagated from cuttings, for sale by G. H. HAZARD. A CHALLENGE.—The Halifax Recorder says: G. B. Bill, jr., offers to match his four year old stallion Gladstone by Hartford, against any stallion the same age, bred in the Maritime Provinces, for \$100 or \$200 a side, at Truro, Halifax, or Kentville, mile heats, best three in five, between 20th May and 1st June. THE COMING CONCERT.—We call the attention of the musical public to Mr. Vinnicombe's Concert advertisement in another column. There will be an entire change of programme. What with the large amount of practice, the brilliant selection of music and the excellent vocal talent, it should certainly be the best Orchestral Concert ever given in this city. Give them a full house. MERCY FOR MILLMAN.—A correspondent writes: "A few friends have agreed to set apart next Wednesday, 28th, as a day of fasting and prayer for the condemned young man, that he may earnestly seek the grace of true repentance and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ. The son of a man is come to seek and to save that which was lost. We invite any to join us that would like to do so." OBITUARY.—In referring to the death of Miss M. J. Mellish, (sister of Prof. Mellish, of this city) which sad event occurred at the residence of her brother-in-law, J. L. Archibald, Esq., Colburn Road, Halifax, a few days ago, the Herald of that city says:—"Miss Mellish was a lady of great ability and promise, and her death will be deeply regretted by a large circle of friends. ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.—The St. John Sun reports that a man named Burchill, while out duck shooting at Frenchman's Creek last Tuesday morning, was accidentally shot by the discharge of a gun in a boat. Bristol, the other occupant of the boat, struck the gun with the side of the boat and entered Burchill's leg. The shot has been extracted from the leg, and the wounded man is doing well. TEMPERANCE RUM.—Says the Chatham World: One of the most prominent of St. John's prohibition advocates, a wealthy merchant, recently received a consignment of fifty hogheads of Demerara rum, forty overproof, cheap and fiery, by one of his own vessels. He did not send it back, or pour it into the harbor, but headed it over to the liquor dealers for whom it was intended, pocketing his freight and commission like a publican and sinner. This is probably temperance rum. SOME HEAVY WEIGHTS.—Messrs. J. A. Leaman & Co., of Halifax, have recently been purchasing a fine lot of cattle in Toronto for the Halifax Easter market. The lot passed through Moncton a few evenings ago, and attracted much attention. Following are the weights as given in the Times:—1 ox, 5 years old, live weight 3279; 1 steer (General Gordon), 2 years old, live weight 1825; 1 steer, 2 years old, live weight 1675; 9 steers, 2 years old, each to dress about 800 lbs.; 2 heifers, 2 year olds, each to dress about 700. TICKET OFFICE BURGLARIZED.—A St. John despatch of the 21st says:—Isaac Manning, of the Salvation Army, burglarized the New Brunswick railway ticket office of over \$200 to-day, and afterwards sent a friend to buy three tickets to Lowell, Mass. One of the bills (a Bank of P. E. Island note) was recognized by agent Freeze as part of the booty, and Detective King to-night grabbed his man as he was boarding the train at Fairville. Manning confessed and returned \$143, and implicated one Darrah as his accomplice. The Salvationist is in jail, and Darrah is missing with some of the booty.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER. Who is Responsible? GRAVENHURST, Ont., March 23. The coroner's jury to-day returned a verdict finding Engineer Foster and Conductor Glasford, of the snow plough, responsible for yesterday's fatal collision, and both men have been arrested. The jury also censured the railway company for their imperfect signal system. The Irish Question. DUBLIN, March 23. The Orangemen of the south division of the Tyrone are agitating against T. W. Russel, Liberal Unionist member of Parliament for that district, because of his support of Parnell's Arrests Bill. Lord Guillemeau has offered to sell his holdings in County Limerick to the tenantry for twelve years' purchase. American Opinion. NEW YORK, March 23. William Henry Trisox, a well-known diplomat, contributes to the Herald a long letter, to the effect that the fishery treaty is a surrender of the privileges and a concession of Canada's claims. He thinks that valuable rights under the treaty of 1830 have been lost, and only trivial points gained. Preparing for the Worst. BERLIN, March 23. A decree authorizing the Crown Prince William to represent the Emperor in the transaction of official business in the event of the Emperor being unable to act for himself will shortly be issued and proclaimed throughout the Empire. Sentences Confirmed. DUBLIN, March 23. The sentences of P. O'Brien and Mr. Hayden to three months' imprisonment, and Mr. Byrne to four months' imprisonment under the Crimes Act, were confirmed upon appeal at Athlone to-day. Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, March 24—10 a. m. High winds from south and west, fair and cold weather. Our Book Table. The Canadian Horticulturist for March is a most interesting and attractive number. The frontispiece is a beautiful colored plate of the Double Flowering Plum, one of the most elegant of flowering shrubs; and it has besides about fifteen fine illustrations. The contents are as follows:—"Laying out a lawn"; "Plan of a Greenhouse costing less than \$10.00"; "Rambles among fruit growers"; "My experience in fruit culture"; "Fruit notes"; "A large vine"; "A prominent American Horticulturist"; "Willow and Osier growing"; "How to grow the Lil of the Valley"; "Hints for the month"; "Pruning the apple"; "Pruning the grape"; "Questions on Fruit Culture answered"; "The English Sparrow"; "Our Fruit Markets, etc. etc." This monthly Journal, which is the leading Canadian authority on fruit culture, may be had by addressing the Secretary of the Fruit Growers' Association of Ontario, Grimsby. Subscription price \$1.00 also entitling the subscriber to a selection from the annual distribution of trees and plants and to a copy of the annual report for 1887. PLAYING WITH MATCHES.—An accident of a very painful character happened to a little four-year-old daughter of Mr. Carl Sonier, of Port Elgin, N. B., a few days ago. The child was up stairs alone, and while playing with some matches, happened to ignite one, setting fire to her clothing. Her cries were heard by her mother, who, fearing something had happened, sent a small girl to see. On entering the room the child's clothes were all in flames. The girl immediately wrapped a mat around the child to extinguish the fire, after which it was discovered that she was badly burned about the hands and face. Medical aid was at once summoned, and everything possible was done to alleviate her sufferings, and it is thought she will recover. ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind near 8 cent & wky. REMEDY FOR INTemperance.—Soldiers in the Russian army are said to be cured of intemperance by a curious and heroic method. The inebriate is locked up and given only food boiled in his favorite wretched spirit and water. He soon becomes horribly sick, but is kept on this diet until the very sight or scent of spirit creates in him an insupportable loathing for it. NOTICE.—If the party who has my umbrella will kindly return it I can put it to very good use. It is easily identified, as the name is stamped on the inside of the silk as well as on the handle.—B. BREMNER. mch23 PUGILISTIC.—It is reported that Sullivan is not going out of the ring just yet, but is anxious to have another fight with Mitchell for \$5,000. A TERRIBLE STORM.—"No sir," said an old man on the car "I never did see so bad a storm—and I've been married more than 40 years." PLENTY of good oysters at E. Carmody's Kent Street, opposite Rochford Square. All orders promptly attended to. mch24—51 pd THERMOMETER READINGS.—Warmest yesterday, 46 above zero; during last night, 25; at 10 a. m. to-day 29; at noon to-day 32.

The World's Cavalry Horses.

The important roles which cavalry and artillery play in the art of modern warfare, makes it interesting to know the total number of animals which the leading countries of the world can throw into the field of battle. Here, according to the latest statistics, is the list: Russia, 21,570,000; America, 9,500,000; the Argentine Republic, 4,000,000; Austria, 3,500,000; Germany, 3,350,000; France, 3,800,000 horses and 300,000 mules; England, 2,790,000 horses; Canada, 3,634,000; Spain, 680,000 horses and 2,300,000 mules; Italy, 2,000,000 horses; Belgium, 382,000; Denmark, 316,000; Australia, 301,000; Holland, 125,000, and Portugal 88,000 horses and 50,000 mules. It will be remembered that Russia heads the list by an enormous majority.

Ship News.

Cienfuegos, March 6.—Ar brig Edith, MacRae, Baltimore. Cld 10.—Barque Ralph B. Peake, McDonald, Delaware Breakwater. Rosario, Feb. 10.—Ar barque Sappho, Parker, Montevideo. Brig Ariadne, Trainor, which put into Bahia Feb. 13 leaky, has discharged her cargo which was mostly undamaged. A survey will be held. The brig Nora, Capt. Murchison, is reported wrecked at St. Kitt's. The Nora was a vessel of 215 tons register, built at Summerside, P. E. I., in 1883, and owned by Robert T. Holman, of Summerside. She left New York on February 1st for Demerara.

DIED.

At Tignish, on the 21st inst., Susana Barbara, beloved wife of Michael Morrissey, in the 75th year of her age. May her soul rest in peace. (Halifax papers please copy.) At Charlottetown, on the 20th inst., Catherine McLeod, aged 96 years, a native of Inverness, Scotland, and relict of the late Murdoch McLeod.

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

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS, marked "Tenders for Milton Rectory," will be received by the undersigned until THURSDAY, 30th 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. mch23—31 eod wky 21

EGGS! EGGS!

Wanted, during the Shipping Season, 300,000 Dozen.

WE are prepared to pay the highest market price. Our Warehouse is conveniently situated.—BALDWIN'S OLD STAND, Corner of Queen and King Streets. Special attention given to the careful carting and handling of all Eggs shipped to us. Empty Cases always supplied to customers. RITCHIE BROS. & CO. mch21—dy 31 wky tf

Molasses and Sugar.

DIRECT CARGO from West Indies to Charlottetown and Summerside, expected on opening of navigation. CARVELL BROS. Ch'town, March 22, '88—pat s jour 21

BIBLE SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the P. E. Island Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be held in the Hall of the Y. M. C. A., Charlottetown, on MONDAY, the 25th inst. Chair to be taken at 7.30 p. m. D. McNEILL, Secretary. mch21—dy eod

Seed Wheat.

A fine lot of WHITE RUSSIAN SEED WHEAT for sale. The best yielding variety for our soil and climate. JOHN NEWSON. mch8—1m dy & wky

REMOVAL.

C. M. HARRIS HAS REMOVED TO Stevenson's Building, Queen Street, Where he is prepared to conduct Auction Sales of Household Furniture, Bank and other Stocks, And all kinds of GENERAL MERCHANDISE. feb23—1f

BAZAAR.

THE ANNUAL BAZAAR FOR THE P. E. Island Hospital, WILL BE HELD IN THE MARKET HALL, ON Thursday, April 5th.

OPEN AT 12 O'CLOCK.

Admission 10 cents. Tea 25 cents. Contributions gratefully received by MRS. CHAS. PALMER, President. L. P. BEER, Secretary. mch6—1aw

HATS! HATS!

JUST OPENED: Ten Cases of New Hats, FOR SPRING, The Most Stylish, the Best Quality, and the Lowest Prices, —AT— L. E. PROWSE'S, Sign of the Great Big Hat, 144 Queen Street. Ch'town, March 19, 1888.

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 6, and commands an extensive view of East River. Part of the purchase money may remain on mortgage if desired. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. mch7

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 Ossia's Improved Hay Rake, 1 set Ransall Harrows, 1 set Iron Harrows, Cultivator, Scuffler, Plow, Potato Digger, Mowing Machine, set Fanners, Hay Cutter, 2 Carts, 2 Driving Wagons, 1 Farmer's Boiler, lot Hay, Straw, etc. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. mch19

THE Clearance Sale

—AT THE— 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.

SMITH BROS., WHOLESALE Dry Goods and Millinery.

Received into Stock This Week: Ex S. S. Circassian, 54 Cases. " Sarnia, 27 Cases. " Ulmuda, 48 Cases. 41 Cases Staple Department. 81 Cases Millinery Department.

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

Cretonnes, Regattas, Reversible Cambrics, Muslins, Turkey Reds and Damasks, Table Damasks and Napkins, Quills, Flannels, Scotch Tweeds, Gloves, Hosiery, Hats, Flowers, Feathers and Millinery Novelties. Granville 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

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 28, 1888—eod & wky

BEER & GOFF'S.

Headquarters for Staple and Fancy Groceries. We Have Now on Hand a Very Large Stock of

CANNED GOODS, in Peaches, Pine Apple, Corn, Tomatoes, French Peas, Sardines, Salmon, Lobster, Corned Beef, Dried Beef, Ox Tongue, Cured Tongue, Pea Soup, &c., &c. LEA & PERRINS' WORCESTER SAUCE, Tomato Sauce, Harvey's Sauce, Mushroom Catsup, Yorkshire Relish, Mangoe Chutney, Capers, Ess. Anchovies, China Say Olives, Curry Powder, Salad Oil, French Mustard, &c., &c.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S MIXED PICKLES, Chow Chow, Onions, Piccalilli and Pickled Walnuts. KEILLER'S MARMALADE, JAMS and JELLIES of all kinds. POTTED HAM, Devilled Ham, Potted Tongue, LIEBEG'S EXT. MEAT, Fluid Beef, Milk Food.

All Fresh, Good Stock.

BEER & GOFF'S, Queen and King Squares' Stores.

Feb. 9, 1888—oaw & wky

Furniture, Stoves, &c.

I am instructed by CHAS. J. PATON, ESQ., to sell by Auction, at his Residence, East 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—eod tl 21st, then dy tl 1st

WOODILL'S GERMAN BAKING POWDER

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 eod

REMOVED.—J. B. CORNEY has removed to the Malpeque Road, adjoining the old Brewery. Painting, Paper Hanging and Whitewashing at reasonable rates.—J. C. & J. B. CORNEY. mch24—61 pd

WANTED.—A Nurse for three children. Must be well recommended. High wages paid. Apply at EXAMINER office. 31—mch23

WANTED.—A Servant Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. CHARLES SMALLWOOD, Richmond Street. 21—mch23

WANTED.—Sportsmen to examine our new Goose Boats. Guaranteed to work well. Will sell cheap.—BLACKFOOT & HAYDEN, Boat Builders, S. N. Co.'s Wharf. 31—mch22

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework. Apply at A. McNeill's, Hillsborough Square mch22—1f

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 GAT, in Market House. mch21—61 pd

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 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 eod—mch16

TO LET.—Those commodious Stables on Grafton 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. mch19—61 tf

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 office. mch16—1f

WANTED.—By the 1st May, a House with four or five comfortable Rooms, centrally located. Apply to "D. R. H." P. O. Box 537. City. feb24

BOARDERS ACCOMMODATED.—At Mrs. McLean's, Hillsborough Street, between Dorchester and King. oct19 eod tf

LOST.—On March 12th, a medium-sized black and tan Dog, with two light spots over the eyes. Had on collar and padlock, collar marked "Parkman." The animal will respond to the name "Jet." Anyone bringing him to the owner on Grafton Street, will be suitably rewarded.—JOHN PARKMAN. pd 31—mch24