

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Beer Bros. for Dress Goods.

CITY COURT.—The City Court was in session today. A number of suits and probate cases were heard.

DISMEMBERED KIDDER, THE HYPOCRITE.—Come and receive acquaintance with him at 415 St. Peter's street to-morrow night.

ADVANCE IN WHEAT.—Private advices to Mr. George Carter of this city state that wheat today advanced five cents a bushel.

REMEMBER that in St. Peter's school-room on Tuesday, Nov. 10th, you can enjoy good readings, good music, and some first class singing.

DEATHS.—You mustn't miss the baked beans social next Tuesday night. It's by the Wesley M. social. Don't, of course it will be a success. Remember the place, the basement of the First Methodist Church.

TENDER ACCEPTED.—The tender of Mr. Peter Trainor of 40 cwt per 100 lbs., has been accepted for the supply of butter to the Central Creamery and his wagon will shortly be on the rounds with a plentiful and refreshing beverage.

THE SHIPPING TEAMS.—No. 1 O.K. broke the record and also a long skid last night. The time was now 3 minutes and 37 seconds. This time was made on new skids. No. 2 Co. has a final drill to-night and then comes the "tag of war" to-morrow night in the rink.

TEMPERANCE CONVENT.—The Local Council of this city will give a public concert in Wright's Hall on Monday, at 7.30 p.m. Silver collection. The public and especially the parents are invited to come and spend a pleasant hour with the young tentacles. Don't forget the hour, 7.30.

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead, Who never to himself hath said, 'This is my own, my native land.'"

Come to-morrow evening and see the noble d-fenders of your native land perform some of the most expert drill with the bayonet in the Skating Rink. Tickets only 10 cents. These are the boys who have beaten all Canada in shifting ordinance. Worth going all the way to Quebec to see. See advertisement.

MASS OF REQUIEM.—A solemn High Mass of Requiem for the repose of the souls of deceased members of the League of the Cross was this morning celebrated in the pretty little chapel of St. Joseph's Convent. The Mass was promoted by the Charlotetown Branch of the League of the Cross, and the singing was by the choir of that society assisted by Rev. A. J. Macdonald, Rev. Father Johnson, who was the celebrant assisted by Revs. I. R. A. Macdonald and J. S. Turcotte as deacon and sub-deacon respectively.

Don't Miss It.—Lieut. Bartlett, commanding No. 1, and Sergeant Sprague, commanding No. 2, will give to-morrow evening a "four boys" can do in handling the big guns. The competition is going to be keen and friends of both teams are quite excited over the result. It's not a horse race, nor a bicycle race, but a race with a dismantled, three ton gun, by means of skids, parkies, rollers, etc. Those who miss it will miss a great treat. The mounting and dismantling alone, are enough to frighten an ordinary citizen. See the full programme of entertainment. It's a good one.

J. O. G. T.—The Summerville correspondent of the Guardian reports that a lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars was organized in that town on Monday evening by Messrs. E. H. Dacke and J. E. Matthews, of Charlottetown. The officers are:—

L. D.—G. M. Reid.
C. T.—R. H. Campbell.
V. T.—Miss Weidell.
W. T.—Rev. W. Robinson.
Tras.—John H. Buntain.
F. S.—Miss Manie Clark.
S. J. T.—Rev. Mr. Cook.
Secretary—L. T. Harrison.
S.—Whipple Sharpe.
Marshal—John Smallman.
D. M.—Joseph M. Affleck.
Guard—Russell Morris.
Sentinel—W. H. B. Russ.
P. C. T.—Miss Annie McNatt.

PATRONAL FEAST.—This being the feast of St. Charles Borromeo, the patron of His Lordship Bishop McDonald, celebrations were made at the various ecclesiastical institutions of this city under his jurisdiction. At St. Joseph's Convent, Notre Dame Convent and the Charlottetown Hospital the celebrations were particularly enthusiastic. The programme of music and song and the beautiful addresses in French and English at Notre Dame were especially admirable. At 1.30 His Lordship gave dinner to his clergy at the Palace. A most sumptuous repast was spread, and highly congratulatory speeches were made by Rev. Dr. Doyle, Dr. Walker, and Father Burke. Curran and Bishop McDonald made a suitable reply to all the addresses at the different places. We join with his own people in wishing him many happy returns of his patron feast.

Why not profit by the experience of others who have found a permanent cure for catarrh in Hood's Sarsaparilla?

Our Five Great Departments: Dry Goods, Carpets, Hats, Mantles and Clothing

We have made a specialty of these five great departments, and embrace every opportunity to impress this fact on the buying public. Our sales are rapidly increasing, and competition decreasing. Our experience and position enable us to buy in very large quantities, and command advantages from the manufacturers that others don't get. We are in business to make money, and therefore one of our first cares is to see that our customers are making it. This is done by keen buying and close selling. From every part of P. E. Island we are adding new customers, and our well filled departments are loaded with the largest pile of bargains ever shown in the city. Trade with us for Dry Goods, Carpets, Hats, Mantles and Clothing.

PROWSE BROTHERS, The Wonderful Cheap Men.

MEETING OF LOBSTER PACKERS.

Free Expression of Opinion Concerning the Fishing Season.

A large meeting of lobster packers and fishers by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries was held in the Market Building today, Mr. J. A. Matheson in the Chair. Messrs D. Davies, James Clow, A. J. McDonald, A. F. Larkin, W. A. Leach, Thomas Kirkland, R. N. Cox, W. H. Prowse, D. McKinnon, W. F. Tidmarsh, Fred. McEae, D. Farquharson, George D. Longworth, Charles Lyons, Horace Haszard, James Taylor, Theophilus Stewart, Frank Schaefer, W. A. Leach, Capt. Pigotti, J. S. Allan, J. H. Myrick, Peter McNutt, W. Irving, John Agnew, W. W. Longworth, Gilbert Des-Roches, Vincent Harrington, Alder Clarke, Charles Woodman, Michael McElroy, Thomas Howatt, G. B. McEachern, Senator Arsenault and others expressed their opinions concerning the season for fishing—the consensus of opinion being there should be only one season, but that it might differ as to time from the 1st of May to the 1st or 15th of July on the North East and West Shores of the Island, and from the 15th August to the end of October on the South Shore.

SUPREME COURT.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 4.

Wm. Freck. Robins vs Thos. H. Mother. The argument in this case was concluded yesterday afternoon when the court gave judgment discharging the rule to set aside the absent debtor attachment with costs. Mr. Stewart, the plaintiff's counsel, was not called on by the court to reply to Mr. McLean, the defendant's counsel.

In re Perry vs John Chaisson. Action of slander. Tried October term last when verdict was found for plaintiff. On motion of Mr. W. S. Stewart, Q. C. for the defendant, the court granted a rule nisi for non-suit on the ground that the words complained of as spoken were not slanderous.

Richard B. Reid vs Thomas E. Hogan and James Nelligan. Action of ejectment. Tried October term last when verdict was found for defendant. Rule nisi for new trial was on motion of Mr. W. S. Stewart, Q. C., granted on the ground that the verdict was contrary to the evidence.

Court adjourned sine die.

SHIP NEWS.

Port of Charlottetown.

ENTERED.

Nov 3—Hydra, Bourdon, North Sydney; D. Cronan, Bruce, Shediac; St. Cape Breton, Reid, Montreal.

CLEARED.

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You want one if you can get it at the right price, don't you?? The prices we now offer, ARE right, very right, EXACTLY right. Lower prices were never at any time offered by us for same quality. In fact if you want a fur cape now is the time to buy

Greenland seal capes, Astrakan capes, Sable capes, Persian capes, Wombat cahes. BEER BROS.

Weeks ODD Kid Gloves CLEARANCE SALE. At cost price, less than cost, half price and less than half price.

Looking over our Kid Glove Department, we find several odd lots, odd colors, odd sizes in different makes and qualities. 1 button 3 and laced. In order to clean up all these odds and ends, we will offer them for the next few days at cost, less than cost, half price and less than half price. Here is the list:

- LOT 1, AT 60 CENTS. Lacing, buttoned, push button and clasp. Nearly a full range of sizes and colors. Black, dark and light tans, browns, fawns and greys. Lot 1 comprises: 7 pairs black undressed marked price \$1.4 18 pairs of colored lacing marked price 1.10 49 pairs of colored, buttoned, marked price . . . 1.10 14 pairs of black buttoned, marked price90 All above at 60c.

- LOT 2 AT 75 CENTS. 36 pair s black lacing, 7 stud, marked price . . \$1.10 1238 5 1/2 and 6 only. This lot goes at 75c.

- LOT 3 AT 89 CENTS. 40 pairs of Perrin's guaranteed 4 stud buttoned, in good annual colors, sizes are 6, 7, 7 1/2, 7 3/4; marked price is \$1.25, lot 3 goes at 89c.

WEEKS & CO. The People's Store. Wholesale and Retail.

PERSONAL.

Mr. E. Hackett, M. P., Tignish, is at the Hotel Davies.

Senator Arsenault was among last evening's arrivals at the Queen Hotel.

Mr. George A. Dixon left for New Glasgow, N. S., this morning on a business trip.

Sir James Grant, ex-M. P., has returned from England. While there he dined with the Queen.

Hon. Mr. Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, and Professor Saunders of the Experimental Farm, who have been in this Province for several days past, left this morning.

The arrivals at the Queen Hotel this forenoon included: James Clow, Murray Harbor North; John Bourke, Kensington; D. C. Morson, Cardigan; A. J. McLeod, Stanley Bridge; John A. McLaine, St. Peter's Bay; A. M. Ross, Bradalbane. Last evening: Rev. H. Murray, Liverpool, N. S.; George Fortes, Vernon River; J. Bell, City; Mrs. J. A. McDonald; J. P. Sullivan, St. Peter's Bay; Rev. George Miller, Brookfield; Rev. J. M. Fisher, Malpas; Rev. A. F. Crasie, St. Stewart; Rev. Jas. R. McKay, Souris; Rev. J. G. McIvor, Clyde River; Annie L. Doyle, Souris; J. B. Derry, Montreal; Chas. A. Woodman, John Aynes, R. O. Clarke, Alberton; C. R. Church, Amherst; H. S. Crowe, Truro.

Those registered at the Hotel Davies this forenoon: C. A. Seney, Montreal; John McLean, Souris; W. H. Prowse, Murray Harbor; Peter McNutt, Malpas; S. F. Perry, Tignish; C. H. Green, Montreal; M. Delaney, North Tryon. Last evening: Lewis H. Beer, Kensington; Alex. Munro and wife, Montreal; A. E. McKay, Truro; A. D. Johnstone, Halifax; James McGrath, J. H. Dawson, Tignish; A. E. Williams, Halifax; Robert H. Williams, Ellerslie; J. A. Matheson, Campbellton; J. H. Myrick, Tignish; J. H. Chaplin, St. Catherine; L. G. Croslby, Yarmouth; C. A. Griffin, Toronto; A. F. Larkin, Tignish; E. H. Saunders, Halifax; Dr. McIntyre, Souris; H. Bryant, Halifax.

TENDERS. Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned at the office of McLeod, Newson and McLeod, Solicitors, Browns Block, Charlottetown, until noon of Saturday the seventh day of November, next, for the entire stock consisting of dry goods, hardware, paints and sundries, and boat tools, of E. L. Barnard & Co., of St. John's, Nfld.

LAND FOR SALE. To be sold by Public Auction, on the premises, MALPEQUE ROAD, CHARLOTTETOWN. Wednesday, 11th day of November. Next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon. A detailed list of the stock, etc., may be seen at the above office. A certified bank cheque, payable to the undersigned, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the bid, must accompany each tender. The balance of the purchase money must be paid in full at the time of the sale, or the tender falls to complete the purchase. Dated the 29th day of October, 1896. W. A. O. MORSON, Assignee.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

As Viewed by an American Publisher—An Interesting Fish Story.

The Burlington Daily News, of Vermont, contains a long and interesting article descriptive of Prince Edward Island. As to Summerville the News says:

"Summerville is a thriving village of about 4000 inhabitants, once a recognized place for shipbuilding. It has an air of life and activity that reminds one of an American town, although easily distinguished in its main characteristics from the average Yankee village. It has the largest department store on the Island—R. T. Holman's—a great establishment even for a larger town. The village is growing and improving and will some time rival the capital in size and surpass it in buildings and enterprise."

"Two things are quickly noticed by a Vermont traveller on the Island—the red soil, a bright terra cotta color, and the total absence of mountains. The former is produced by the disintegration of the bright red sandstone, the latter is of course unexplainable. The surface is slightly rolling, but the highest elevation is not over 500 feet. But if it has no mountains it has valleys. Running across the centre of the Island from north to south is a section that is cut into numerous valleys, making a sort of depressed mountain range, the peaks on the average level, the valleys much below it. This strange formation has not yet been fully explained by geologists.

There are many attractions for the tourist on the Island—branches all around it, with plenty of opportunity for the banking hotels and boating hours, abundance of good fishing, both river and salt water—trout fishing in all the streams, salt water fishing all around the coast. The attention of one of the Burlingtonians was faithfully given to the rivers on all suitable occasions, and the result was more than 250 fish trout. The last day's effort was especially prolific—a string of 85. We wandered up and down a stream that shall here be nameless, casting our lines with indifferent success for some hours till finally a spot appeared that looked inviting. Creeping up behind a dwarf bush on the side of the stream the line—loaded with the humble anglerworm on three hooks, and tied on two others—it was just between fly time and bait time—the gut had barely touched the water when the three worms were seized and a quick pull landed three beauties. Successive catches were made out one, two and three at a time till the end of 20 minutes saw 45 "speckled beauties" lying on the grass—a satisfactory closing of a successful five days fish fishing.

The annual provincial exhibition was held at Charlottetown while we were on the Island and we visited it. It was a first-class fair, a better one than the average held in Burlington. There was a large display of fruits and vegetables, especially apples and peaches, potatoes and turnips, of good size and excellent quality—we have none so good in Vermont. The live stock show was very large and of fairly good quality, and perhaps fewer blooded animals than in Vermont. The chief attraction of agricultural fairs—horse racing—was not lacking and there was some good trotting. To Secretary Warburton the News is indebted for courtesies on all best makes.

Thousands of Americans now spend their vacations on Prince Edward Island and the number is constantly growing as the delights of a sojourn here are becoming known. There is nothing that the tired being wants that cannot be found here—a mild and pleasant climate, good board at reasonable prices, excellent fishing and shooting, good beaches and bathing and sea.

The publisher of the Burlington Daily News, and writer of the above is Mr. Joseph Auld, who is, if we mistake not, a native of this Province. We have to thank him for his kindly notice of this "gem of the Northern Sea."

RICH RED BLOOD is the foundation of good health. That is why Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier, gives HEALTH. PRATT'S ASTRAL OIL. Pratt's Astral, is the highest grade of American Kerosene Oil that we can buy. We have secured a quantity of it for this season's trade, and we can confidently recommend it to our customers. When you want your car re-filled, send it to

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Cuns. Ever shown on P. E. Island, in 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, bore. Prices from \$4.00 to \$60.00; from which I give special Discounts FOR CASH. I have also a complete line of RIFLES both for long range and gallery shooting, which include the celebrated WINCHESTER REPEATER, just the thing for goose shooting. See the DUCK and PLOVER DECOYS at W. E. Dawson's PROPERTY BY AUCTION.

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MARRIED.

At North Rustico, on the 29th ult., by Rev. Geo. C. Robertson, Janette, sixth daughter of W. S. McNeil, Esq., to Jas. A. Howatt, Crapaud.

BORN.

On the 20th October to Mr. and Mrs. Hazelton, New Glasgow, a son.

Now What's Up? Nothing. Something is down, however. Prices are down lower than you ever knew them, on as fine a line of MANTLE CLOCKS as was ever opened for your inspection. I am selling oak and walnut Mantle Clocks at prices which make them real bargains. The time to buy is NOW.

W. W. WELLNER JEWELER. WHIST! WHIST! Cards! Cards! Cards! A large and varied stock Cards, Markers, &c. REDDIN BROS. Opposite P. O.

3. 3 for 25 SNAPS. 3 Chinese Lily Bulbs, 25c 3 Named Hyacinth Bulbs, 25c 3 Bermuda Lily Bulbs, 25c. All new, choice stock. You must come quickly to share in these snaps. Hazzard & Moore, Booksellers. SPORTS MEN. I have now in stock the largest and best line of Breech & Muzzle Loading Guns. Ever shown on P. E. Island, in 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, bore. Prices from \$4.00 to \$60.00; from which I give special Discounts FOR CASH. I have also a complete line of RIFLES both for long range and gallery shooting, which include the celebrated WINCHESTER REPEATER, just the thing for goose shooting. See the DUCK and PLOVER DECOYS at W. E. Dawson's PROPERTY BY AUCTION.

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GRAND Artillery Competition Military Sports Under the Patronage of Lt-Col. Meura, D. O. C. The city companies, of the 4th Prince Edward Island R. G. Canadian Artillery, will give an exhibition of Shifting Ordnance Work, and Gun Drill, in Hillsborough Skating Rink, ON Thursday, 5th Nov.

The following programme will be carried out as closely as possible:— 1. 40 Pr. Gun Drill. 2. 40 Pr. Gun Drill. 3. Pole Vault; 8 ft. start. (Prof) 4. 45 yard dash. (Amat) 5. 100 yard race. (Amat) 6. Running high jump; 4 ft start (Amat) 7. Shifting Ordnance Competition. 8. Hop, step and jump. (Prof) 9. Obstacle race. (Amat) 10. 220 yard race. (Amat) 11. 440 yard race. (Amat) 12. Putting Shot; 16 pr. (Prof) 13. Three-legged race. (Amat) 14. 45 yard dash. (Amat) 15. Handic race. (Amat) 16. Running high jump. (Prof) 17. Sack race. (Amat) 18. Tug of war. 19. Heavy Marching Order Race. (Amat) Race Committee—S. R. Jenkins, M. D. Sergeant Major; Lt. A. G. Peake, Lt. A. A. Bartlett.

Admission 15c; reserved seats 25 cents. Tickets on sale at all drug stores. The Regimental Band will be in attend ance. Doors open at 7.30; races begin at 8 p m., sharp.

J. A. LONGWORTH, Lt. Colonel. W. A. O. MORSON, Major. F. P. CARVELL, Adjutant. 4th P. E. Regiment, C. A. I. oct29 thur, sat, sun, wed; thurs

JUST OPENED QUEEN STREET NEXT DOOR TO R. B. NORTON'S HUB RESTAURANT. Oysters served in every style. Half shell a specialty. Meals at short notice. Best Imported & Domestic Cigars. Positively no intoxicating drinks allowed on the premises. Open 9 a.m. to 11 p. m.

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KING BRUCE OF SCOTLAND Flung himself down in a lonely mood to think. Had he lived in this day he would not have found it necessary to think long in order to tell the best place to get his suits and overcoats made for he would go at once to D. A. Bruce's, high class goods, high class workmanship, and the best fitting garments to be had on P. E. I. at away down prices. New hats now opening. D. A. BRUCE, Canada's Famous Tailoring Establishment.

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