Local and Other Items.

POLICE COURT.—One drunk to-day.

GRAND day for the Picnic; grand day for the race.

SHAW'S HOTEL will close for the season on Saturday, 12th September.

I. O. O. F.—Port la Joie Encampment holds its regular session this evening.

ATTRACTIVE.—Messrs. Patton Brothers new store on Queen Street is very attractive.

L. O. L.—A special meeting of St. George's Lodge to-night, advancing members to 1st and 2nd degree, at 7 30 sharp.

PATTON BROS.—The advertisement of Patton Bro, crowded out of to-day's issue will appear to-morrow.

B. I. S.—The regular monthly meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society will be held to-morrow (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock. R. F. Madigan, Sec'y. 2i

POWNAL.—The Rev. George Fisher will deliver a lecture in Pownal Hall on Monday, 14th inst. Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Admission 10 cents. Come and enjoy a treat.

C. A. A.—All members please attend the practice to-night in the Gymnasium, for the exhibition on the 22nd. Instruction from 8 30 to 10 o'clock every night until the exhibition.

THE EDITOR'S LEISURE.—"I'll wait until you are at leisure," said a caller to the editor. "I'm afraid I'll be of no use to you when I'm dead," replied the editor.—Epoch.

A FINE STAND.—The British Warehouse is modernized by its present owner, the Hon. T. W. Dodd, is now almost ready for use. It is a spendid stand—one of the best in town.

R. BEAIRSTO, auctioneer, will open an extensive sale of dry goods at his auction room, on Friday afternoon and to continue for several days, of which due notice will be given.

MUSICAL.—The Citizens' Colored Band played on the Square last evening to a large body of citizens who were out taking the air. The concert was very creditable to the Band, and evidently enjoyed.

THE WILLIAM.—The steamer William, Captain Cook, sailed last evening for New York with a cargo of canned lobsters, shipped by James E. Grant. This is the second cargo shipped this summer by Mr. Grant in the William.

AN ATTRACTION.—It is hinted that the directors of the P. E. Island Exhibition and Driving Park Company contemplate asking Mr. DeCourcey to give an exhibition of speed with his excellent standard bred filly—Mr. DeCourcey accompanying the filly on a running mate. There can be no doubt that this would be one of the greatest attractions of the Exhibition—provided, of course, that Mr. DeCourcey could be induced to consent.

TENNIS.—The tennis tournament (ladies' singles) for Mr. Justice Young's prize will be played to-morrow, Thursday, afternoon at Victoria Park. The drawing will take place at 4 o'clock, when all players are to be on the grounds, otherwise they will be ruled out. As this tournament is handicap and probably the last of the season, the ladies are expected to turn out in full force.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.—Ven. S. Weston-Jones, Archdeacon of Prince Edward Island and rector of Windsor, N. S., will commence his visit of the Island on Sunday next, Sept. 13th, and will preach in St. Mary's Church, Summerside, at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., and in St. John's Church, St. Eleanor's, at 3 p. m.

The Clerical Association met at Milton to-day.

ISLANDER KILLED.—It is reported that Mr. John Cummings was killed by the west bound night mail train of the New York, Providence and Boston Railroad Company, at the Main street crossing in the village of Noank, about sixty rods west of the station. It appears that the accident resulted from the fact that there was no watchman at this dangerous place to give warning to strangers. Mr. Cummings was a son of Mr. Angus Cummings, St. Peter's Bay. He had been in the States for about nine years, with the exception of two weeks which he spent on the Island last summer visiting his relatives at his old home. He was a ship carpenter by trade, and up to the time of his death had done well. We sympathise with his sorrowing relatives and friends.

THE STORM AT SOURIS.—At Souris the storm of Monday night was quite severe. It raised all the first part of the night with the wind blowing freshly from the southeast. About 3 a. m. the wind hauled around suddenly to the northwest, from which quarter it blew furiously, accompanied with dashes of rain, till daylight. An old barn in Rollo Bay, formerly owned by the late Capt Dominic Clisisson, was levelled to the ground. In Souris no serious loss was sustained either on the land or in the harbor. A barn, however, belonging to W. C. Cheverie, was blown down, the railway windmill wheel was carried away, and one of the bedroom windows of the Bolsner House was smashed in, disturbing for a while the peaceful slumbers of one of the permanent male boarders. The railway snow fence also came in for a share of the damage, but not so much, we think, as many would like to see it receive, the greater part of it being neither serviceable to the railway nor ornamental to the town.

TO SHIPPERS AND OTHERS.—The attention of shippers and others interested, is directed to the advertisement in another column, of W. W. Clarke, Steamship Agent. The Fastnet sails for Halifax every Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, calling at Souris, Port Hastings, Arichat and Canso. She leaves Halifax every Monday evening at six o'clock, making same calls. The S. S. Alpha will sail for Bermuda, Turks Island and Jamaica, on the 15th of every month. The steamer Beta sails direct for Havana on the 1st of every month. This vessel offers unusual facilities to shippers of potatoes and other produce. It is intended to sail the steamship Taymouth Castle for Demarara via intermediate ports, on Thursday, Sept. 24th, inst. The Furness Line between Halifax and London have first-class accomodation for passengers with saloon amidships. No cattle are carried on this line. Any and all information in regard to the above sailings will be readily given by the obliging agent, W. W. Clarke, Esq, Lower Queen St., Charlottetown.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Premier Abbott Explains His Bill.

Boodlers to be Punished.

OTTAWA, Sept. 9.

In the House of Commons yesterday consideration was given to the Dominion Controverted Elections Act. The House was also in committee of supply.

In the Senate, Premier Abbott made an important statement regarding his bill respecting frauds upon the Government.. He fully explained the difference between the proposed measure and the existing laws. He also expressed the determination of the Government to proceed against the parties implicated by the recent investigations to the fullest extent of the present law.

Senator Power was very anxious that the Senate should take action in the case of the Quebec officials who had disobeyed the Senate's summons to attend, but the Senate declined because they had secured the evidence which these officials were expected to prove. Senator Power's animus was very plain. He wishes to involve the Senate in a dispute with Quebec authorities.

Commissions to Officers.

Further Investigations.

OTTAWA, Sept. 9.

Before the public accounts committee further evidence was elicited of commissions paid to Senecal. Mr. Scott, bookkeeper for the Dominion Type Foundry, said that Crossby, their manager, conducted all negotiations with Senecal. Crossby is in British Columbia, but will be here next week. Scott tried very hard to implicate Hon. Mr. Capleau. He swore that their firm imported part of the type supplied the Bureau from the States and paid no duty. Chapleau showed that Mr. Romaine, an old official of the Government, had fixed all the prices and taken that into account. Scott then swore that the Government order for type had been cancelled until the company paid fifteen hundred dollars to the Conservative Association at Montreal. Chapleau said he had some time ago received a letter from Mr. Stark, President of the Company, intimating that the Company had been assessed for a subscription. Chapleau wrote repudiating any responsibility on behalf of the Government. Mr. Stark answered with a letter of thorough apology which Mr. Chapleau offered to submit. Stark is grit.

Gilian, assistant manager of the Canada Paper Company swore that his company gave La Presse no favors or allowances on account of sale of paper to the Government. Mr. Lister tried to prove that Rolland, a paper maker, paid Dansereau Chapleau's secretary, a share of the moneys received from the Government. Rolland flatly denied the charge and the committee stopped further inquiry into Rolland's business matters. The committee adjourned till Thursday to continue the investigation, a dozen new witnesses being summoned.

THE QUEBEC SCANDAL.

A Difference of Opinion.

QUEBEC, Sept. 9.

Various rumors are afloat in Quebec as to the difference between the Governor of Quebec and Mercier's Cabinet. They cannot, it appears, agree upon the course to be followed regarding the scandals, and the ministers may resign rather than concede to the Governor's naming of the commissioners.

Fishery Bulletin.

(Fisheries Intelligence Bureau Report.)

HALIFAX, Sept. 8.—Quebec—Cod fishing good at St. John River; fair at Magpie, Long Point, Sheldrake, Seven Islands, Moisie and St. Margaret's. Bait very plentiful at all the above places, excepting Magpie and St. John River.

New Brunswick—Nothing doing to-day at Point Escaminac owing to high wind. Good catches of herring, mackerel, sardines and squid at Campbell's.

P. E. Island—Cod and hake fair in the localities about Alberton and Malpeque; cod and caplin still plentiful; and mackerel fair off East Point.

No fish of any kind reported on coasts of Cape Breton or Nova Scotia.

Telegraphic News.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 7.—News has reached here from Livingstone, Overton county, that on Sunday night two girls in the family of William Smith, aged 17 and 19, were murdered while the rest of the family were at church. The house had been set on fire, and the neighbors who came to the scene saw both girls lying dead on the floor, their faces covered with blood, and their clothing disarranged. The flames were so fierce that the bodies could not be rescued.

TORONTO, Sept. 7.—An uncommon breach of promise case is underway here. The plaintiff is a man and the wife of Dr. A. H. Hill, of Norwich, is the defendant. The suit is for $10,000. The plaintiff, John Innis, is a Woodstock contractor. They fell in love, he says, in 1887 and became engaged. The girl had plenty of money and was able to go into society freely. She met Dr. Hill, fell in love with him and they were married. A photograph of Mrs. Hill was in court showing the engagement ring John gave her. Some amusing evidence by the plaintiff described their courtship

MARRIED.

In St. Mary's Church, Souris, by the Rev. D F. McDonald, P. P., on the 8th inst., Mr. Andrew O'Hanley, of Souris, and Miss Margaret McAuley, of Norris Pond.

AUCTION SALE.

FURNITURE.

I AM instructed by the Executors of the Estate of the late Mrs. Costello to sell by Auction, at my Sales Room,

On Friday Next, Sept. 11th,

AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

All her Household Effects, comprising Parlor, Dining Room, Hall, Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture.

Also, at the same time:—1 Truck Wagon, 1 Horse.

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Fares, to any port of call.....$3 00
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Rates of Freight moderate.

The PREMIER is a fast steamer, and has splendid accommodation for passengers. She will make close connection with the steamer Halifax sailing for Boston every Wednesday morning.

For Freight, Passenger and other information apply in Charlottetown to

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APPOINTED SAILINGS:

Steamer.	From Liverpool.	From Montreal.	From Quebec.
Sarnia	Aug. 14	Sept. 2	
Labrador	" 20	" 9	
Oregon	" 28	" 16	
Toronto	Sept. 4	" 23	
Vancouver	" 10	" 26	Sept. 27
Sarnia	" 18	Oct. 7	
Labrador	" 24	" 14	
Oregon	Oct. 2	" 21	
Toronto	" 9	" 28	
Vancouver	" 15	" 31	Nov. 1
Sarnia	" 23	Nov. 11	
Labrador	" 29	" 18	

RATES OF PASSAGE:—Cabin, $45, $50, $60 and upwards, according to accommodation. Return—$85, $90, $110 and upwards. Intermediate, $30; steerage, $20.

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WANTED.—A girl wanted to hire, about 16 years of age. Apply at this office.
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WANTED.—In the last week in September, in a gentleman's family, a parlor maid, wages $8; also, a housemaid, wages $7. Apply at this office. dy pat tf wy 2i—sept9

WANTED.—A good Cook. Apply to MRS. CHARLES LEIGH, Fitzroy Street.
sept8

WANTED.—A girl for general housework in a family of three. No washing. Apply at MRS. R. YOUNG'S, Hillsborough Square.
sept8—tf

WANTED.—By a middle-aged widow, a situation as housekeeper or to attend on an elderly couple. Apply at this office.
sept5—tw pd

TO LET.—The Dwelling House, with stable lately occupied by the subscriber, on Hillsborough Street, next to Mr. Lemuel Poole's residence. Possession given immediately. Apply to Judge Alley, or the subscriber, at Province Building. DUNCAN KENNEDY.
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WANTED.—A general housework girl to go to Boston. Apply at MR. FRANCIS MUTCHES, Stanhope, Lot 34. pd—sept4

WANTED.—Two good Pant makers at D. A. BRUCE'S. d&w tf—sept4

STANLEY BROTHERS

RECEIVED TO-DAY

Ex S. S. "Ottawa" from London:

Black and Colored French Lacing Cords,
Children's Cashmere Hosiery,
Black French Merinoes,
Black Silk Velvets,
Black Velvet Ribbons,
Black Silk Ribbons,
Black and Colored Lacings,
Black and Colored Plain Sateens,
Black Crapes (Courtald's).
English Silesias,
Black and White Print Cottons.
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New Cloth, Plush, Velvet and Serge Caps, in all the New Shapes. Everything Cheap!

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

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JAS. PATON & CO.

Gratefully acknowledges the success which has attended their Great Alteration and Extension Sale, and now intimate that they will offer the remaining portion of their large stock of substantial Dry Goods at extraordinary reductions.

It is impossible to enumerate all the lots that have been offered, but the following list will give some idea of the leading lines:—

Black Silks, Dress Goods, Print Cottons, Sunshades, Umbrellas, Waterproofs, Dolmans, Jackets, Capes, Trunks, Valises, Readymade Clothing, Underclothing, Blouses, etc.

Sale will last about Three Weeks longer.

JAMES PATON & CO.

Charlottetown, August 24, 1891—eod & wky

Books for the Holidays!

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WE have got a Large Stock of NEW BOOKS (as well as the old Standard Works), specially selected for the Holiday Season. Prices the lowest in town. Intending Students of the Prince of Wales College should secure their Books early, and the best place in Charlottetown to buy them is at the BAZAAR STORE. Call before purchasing elsewhere. SCHOOL SUPPLIES very cheap. A lot of LAWN TENNIS NETS and RACKETS to sell at cost. HAMMOCKS very low.

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