

Local and Other Items.

The Straits of Canso are still blocked with ice. L. H. DAVIES and wife arrived home last night. JOHN McLEAN, M. P. P., Souris, is at the Rukin.

The steamer "Gulnare" arrived from Orwell this morning.

The schooner "Trial" was lost, with all hands, at Placentia Bay, during a recent storm.

By telegraph to Hon. L. C. Owen we learn that the barque "Lucy Pope" arrived at Philadelphia yesterday.

The Concert in aid of the poor, advertised to take place to-morrow night, has been postponed until further notice.

EARLY in June, C. P. Fletcher will receive a supply of first-class New York Finicas. Intending purchasers, wait for them. m17 cod

UNUSUAL if NOT UNPRECEDENTED.—On Monday, 15th May, snow fell to the depth of 4 1/2 inches. Ice formed on water barrel on 16th May.

THE Rev. Kenneth Macleannan, of St. James' Church, Charlottetown, conducted the services in Knox Church, Winnipeg, on the 7th instant.

YOUNG PIGS.—By auction, Friday next, May 19th, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the Market, a lot of young pigs, from the Stock Farm.—A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. m17 2t

Cash paid for Bank P. F. Island Bills at W. E. Dawson & Co's. [ma 17]

W. D. STEWART will sell to-morrow a splendid collection of Flowers, Hanging Baskets and Ornamental Trees, the product of the Associa Nursery, Pictou, N. S. Sale at 12 o'clock, sharp.

SIR RICHARD CARTWRIGHT, in the House of Commons, on the 15th, objected to the Government voting 1,000 for the relief of poor fishermen who recently suffered by storms on the coast of Nova Scotia.

THE Month's Mind for the late Archbishop of Halifax, was celebrated in St. Mary's Church, Halifax, yesterday. The prelates and clergy of the dioceses of Charlottetown, St. John, Chatham, Arichat, Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, participated.

Still taking Bank P. E. Island Bills for Goods at W. E. Dawson & Co's. [ma 17]

A PROCLAMATION has been issued by the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, reducing the number of wards into which the city of London is sub-divided from seven to four. This is done at the instance of the City Council. The proclamation will take effect on January 1st.

LAST evening, in the Drill Shed, Capt. Moore's new Company was drilled a second time by Major Irving. The Company is formed of good material, and will, without doubt, meet with success. Its lieutenants are Mr. Wallace Davison, and John A. Long worth, late of the Charlottetown Engineers.

FLOWERS AND PLANTS.—The splendid display of plants in full bloom at A. McNeill's Auction Room from Ridgeway's Nursery, far exceeds any collection yet offered in this market. The Auction Sale will be continued to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock forenoon, when great bargains will be given to close out the whole lot.

MR. R. HARRIS, R. A., has had a picture hung in the Salon, of Paris—the finest modern art exhibition of the world. The jury who select the pictures are drawn from eighteen hundred artists, and the celebrated Bonnat stands at their head. It is significant that, out of ten thousand paintings sent in for exhibition, seven thousand five hundred were rejected by the jury.

THE Patriot states, on what it cal's good authority, that "forty-three Patrick McQuaid's" voted for Messrs. McLeod and Blake. The fact, we believe, is that there were but three who showed their good sense in this way. It is easy to see the motive which prompted this slanderous invention of the Patriot is the injury of Mr. McQuaid, reporter for THE EXAMINER, by foul means. The attempt must fail.

THE Patriot's abuse of Hon. D. Ferguson is daily becoming more disgusting. The Patriot will not even allow David Egan, Esq., to state that Hon. Mr. Ferguson has dealt fairly with him during the election campaign, without throwing doubt on Mr. Egan's judgment in the case. We need not, however, quarrel with the Patriot about the matter. Wherever Mr. Egan is known his word is his bond—his judgment is unquestioned. Wherever the Patriot is known—it is disbelieved.

MR. WM. A. FAUGHT, of this city, has been appointed General Agent for Hoosac Railroad Tunnel for P. E. Island. He will issue through tickets to all points, West and North West, by this route. Parties going out to Dakota and Manitoba will find this the most desirable route. Mr. Faught also represents the firm of Messrs. S. H. and J. Moss, of Montreal, for woollens. Being for many years in this city with the firm of D. G. and S. Davies, as wholesale and retail salesman, and his extensive knowledge with the trade of the Island will, no doubt, command a large share of the trade of the Island. He expects, in a few days, to be able to show his Fall samples, French, English, Scotch and Canadian Tweeds, etc. Office at Nelmes' Bookstore, opposite Post Office.

A TELEGRAM of the 13th inst., from St. Pierre, gives an account of a terrific storm on Wednesday night last, accompanied by a severe snow drift. The schr. "Flash" was lost near the Barchoise. The captain and crew were saved. The barque "Ringwood" was broken into fragments in the surf of the road. At St. John's, N.B., in the eastern part of the harbor, there was a heavy undertow. Almost all the vessels were towed off to an anchorage in the stream. The steamer "Fountain Abbey" was considerably damaged, as were also the railway company's wharves. There is now no ice north of St. John's. The whole mass of Arctic ice has passed along the coast, driven southward over the Great Banks.

CHEAP AND GOOD.—For 50 cents you can purchase from any reliable druggist, a box of Mack's Magnetic Medicine, which contains forty-five doses; this is cheaper than any other similar medicine sold, and while it is cheap our druggists say it is best, and give satisfaction in all cases. Sold in Charlottetown by Apothecaries Hall Co. Read the advertisement in another column.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

BERLIN, May 16. A marriage has been arranged between Princess Beatrice, Queen Victoria's youngest daughter, and Prince Frederick William, eldest son of the Landgrave of Hesse.

GALETTA, May 16. The French Squadron has arrived here.

CAIRO, May 16. The Cabinet last evening submitted completely to the Khedive.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 16. The English squadron, which has arrived in Suda Bay, reports that the Turkish squadron in the Archipelago, has been ordered to Suda Bay.

The Porte has addressed a note, representing to England and France that, as calmness has been restored in Egypt, the despatch of the fleets to Alexandria is unnecessary.

WASHINGTON, May 16. Advice received by the Peruvian Minister state that the peace negotiations offered by Mr. Trecoate to Pres. Montero have been rejected by the latter.

LONDON, May 16. The Times says:—"Hope of discovering the murderers of Cavendish and Burke is beginning to evaporate. The Queen has written an autograph letter of sympathy to Miss Burke, sister of the murdered Under Secretary."

NEW YORK, May 16. It is reported, that U. S. Marshall Knox, and four deputies, are in the lower harbor with a U. S. Cutter, awaiting the arrival of the steamship "Seythia" on which it is suspected the Irish assassins escaped.

Weather Bulletin. Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, May 17—10 a. m. Moderate to fresh winds, mostly northerly; fine weather.

Special Notices. A NICE assortment of Spring Mangles for sale at M. Butcher's. may 16 4t

NORTH RIVER OYSTERS at the Union House. [ma 15 3t pd]

LOOKING GLASSES, in great variety, at M. Butcher's. may 16 4t

WANTED.—Three good can sealers, apply at the Fish Market, Grafton Street. [ma 16 3t pat 3t]

A good assortment of Parlor Sets, of superior finish, at Mark Butcher's. may 16 4t

ONE set Nickel Plated Harness, nearly new. Apply to H. COOMBS. [ma 13 3t pat]

A FEW bags cracked oats at the Family Grocery. R. K. BRACE. [may 16 4t]

ONE Wood Pump left on sale can be got very cheap. Apply to H. COOMBS. [may 13 3t]

ONE Pedlar's wagon left on sale. Will be sold at a bargain as the owner wants the money. Apply to H. COOMBS. [ma 13 3t]

BEDROOM SETS, the best manufactured in the city, at Mark Butcher's. may 16 4t

Old Bank Paper still buying for cash.—H. COOMBS. m13 3t cod

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

COME and see the splendid assortment of Spring Tweeds manufactured at the Charlottetown Woollen Mills, and for sale cheap at Wm. Gordon's store, sign of the Sheep, Grafton Street, near Walker's corner.

Old Bank Notes taken at Beer & Goff's. [ap 10]

SCOTCH TWEEDS.—A splendid assortment of Scotch Tweeds, just opened to-day, at L. E. Frow's. ap25

CHOICE SEED WHEAT at W. P. Colwill's. [ma 24 tf]

Go to W. P. COLWILL'S for Clover, Timothy and Garden Seeds. [ap 7 wly 2m]

ARRIVED per S. S. "Copia," in Halifax and now on way, 25 cases London Goods, of Latest Spring Fashions, selected personally by one of the firm. A large stock to follow, by S. S. "Prince Edward," "Ethel Blanche," &c.—W. & A. Brown & Co. a18

If you want a Wagon or Carriage of any kind, and have some Old Bank Paper, you can trade to advantage with H. COOMBS. m13 3t cod

GEORGE CARTER'S Descriptive and Priced Catalogue of Garden, Field and Flower Seeds will be mailed Free to all applicants. It contains descriptions and prices of the leading varieties of Flower, Vegetable and Agricultural Seeds, and new varieties of Potatoes, Oats and Turnip Seed.—Should be in the hands of all farmers and gardeners. Send a postal card, with address, and you will receive a copy by return mail. Address: George Carter, Upper Great George Street, Charlottetown. 3t law wed wly 3t a19

New hats, new Worsteds, new Tweeds, opening to-day at D. A. BRUCE'S. a12 tf

ONE Barouche, American build; said to be the best on the Island. Apply to H. COOMBS. [ma 13 3t pat]

CALL and see the variety of Bedroom Furniture, before buying elsewhere.—M. BUTCHER. may 2

To save the heels of your boots from wearing get a pair of heel protectors, only 10 cents, at DOBBS, GOFF & CO. [ap28 tf]

A GOOD assortment of Walnut Devoutoirs, cheap for cash.—M. BUTCHER. may 2

Old Bank Notes taken at Beer & Goff's. [ap 10]

A LARGE quantity of Flower Pots at W. P. Colwill's. m21 tf

NEW MAPLE SUGAR at BEER & GOFF'S.

THE only place on P. E. Island, where you can get every part of a Gun made, is at Brown's Shop, corner of Prince and Grafton Streets. nov 1 wly

"ALL RIGHT," is the general exclamation of all who have used Minard's Liniment, for it always proves to be just what it is represented. ap13

A LARGE stock of fresh Vegetable Seals, of the best quality and in great variety, just received at Watson's Drug Store. a24 tf

You cannot get a better fitting suit or better bargains, than at D. A. BRUCE'S, 73 Queen Street. [may 9 wky]

DIED. At Boston, Mass., of consumption, John E. eldest son of Mr. James McLaughlan, of Souris, P. E. I., aged 26 years, leaving a wife and one daughter.

At Flat River, on the 7th day of April last, suddenly, of apoplexy, Catherine, the beloved wife of Donald McRae, and fifth daughter of the late Ronald McDonald, of Point Prim, aged 38 years.

(Presbyterian and Patriot papers copy.)

BOOTS & SHOES.

I AM instructed to sell BY AUCTION, on Thursday, the 25th May,

AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., At my Auction Rooms, 11 Queen Street,

The Whole Stock in Trade, lately owned by E. W. Smith, comprising Boots and Shoes, valued at about \$7,000.

This Stock will be sold in one lot, at so much in the dollar. Stock list to be seen at my office. Terms at sale.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer, Charlottetown, May 16, '82—81 till sale.

Queen's Birthday.

Militia Concert, under the patronage of His Honor the Lieut. Governor, Col. the Hon. J. H. Gray, C. J. G., the Brigade Major, Captain Maxwell, R. N., and the Officers of H. M. S.

A Concert will be given in the MARKET HALL,

Wednesday, the 24th inst., in aid of the Company funds of the City Corps of Active Militia.

For further particulars see programmes, which will appear in a few days. Militia men attending are requested to appear in uniform.

Prices of admission—Reserved seats 50 cts; other parts of the Hall 25 cents. Doors open at 7.30. Concert to commence at 8 o'clock. God Save the Queen.

SAMUEL N. EARLE, Musical Director. May 16, '82—pat

WANTED.

A YOUNG, STEADY, MARRIED MAN, to work and reside at the Cornwall Cheese Factory. Apply to

FENTON T. NEWBERRY, Charlottetown, May 15, '82—2t

CAN SEALER.

A CAN SEALER who has had a year or two's experience can find employment on application to

C. P. FLETCHER, May 13, '82—4t

HAY. HAY.

THIRTY TONS PRESSED HAY put up in 100, 200 and 300 lb. bundles, for sale by the 100 lbs., at market prices.

HORACE HAZARD, Lower Queen Street, Charlottetown, May 16, '82—1w cod

BY AUCTION

WILL be sold on SATURDAY NEXT, the 20th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Queen's Wharf, where she now lies, the Brig. "SWIFTSURE" (199 Tons Register), with all her materials.

She was built at Bay Fortune in 1874, re-metalled last summer. Did not undergo half time survey, and lost her class through neglect. The vessel is in good condition and can be readily reclassified.

Terms at sale. B. WILSON HIGGS, May 13, 1882—4t till sale

TO THE TRADE!

WE OFFER

20 Tons White Lead,

5 Tons Colored Paint,

55 Barrels Whiting,

20 " Portland Cement,

12 Casks Linseed Oil.

Selling at usual advance on cost for Cash.

W. E. DAWSON & CO. May 3, 1882—2w 3aw pat

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF GARDEN TOOLS,

Digging Forks, Spades, Hoes, Rakes, Lawn Mowers,

Latest improvement for 1882, at

W. E. Dawson & Co's. May 3, '82—2w 3aw pat

SODA.

50 Casks Washing Soda,

25 Kegs Carb. Soda.

W. E. DAWSON & CO. May 3, '82—2w 3aw pat

FOR SALE.

ENGLISH PORTLAND CEMENT. PEAKE BROS. & CO. May 9, 1882—cod

SUBSCRIBE for the DAILY EXAMINER, the Cheapest and most Newsy Paper Published in the Province.

"CITY STEAM BAKERY."

THE proprietor of this Establishment, owing to the increased demand for his Goods, has added new facilities to his Bakery, consisting of the latest and most improved machinery, etc., and is now prepared to supply the trade with

Hard Bread, Plain and Fancy Biscuits, &c., AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

To arrive per Steamship "Miramichi," from Montreal.

Orders by mail promptly executed.

J. QUIRK, Prince Street, Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

British Warehouse.

W. & A. BROWN & CO. HAVE JUST OPENED

26 Cases of LONDON GOODS, of the Latest Spring Styles, SELECTED BY ONE OF THEIR PARTNERS.

Manchester and Glasgow Goods, also a large lot Carpets of New Designs and of Excellent Value, to follow by Steamship "Prince Edward."

RECEIVED EARLY BY "NORTHERN LIGHT,"

28 Bales English Paper Hangings, 3 Bales Grain Bags.

W. & A. BROWN & CO. April 28, 1882.

TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

J. B. MACDONALD'S

New Tweeds will be made to order at the following prices, viz.:

Very Good, all Wool Tweed Suits, \$12 50

Better, " " " 15 00

Fine, " " " 16 50

Best, " " " 18 50

Worsteds Suits " " " 14 00 up.

Gents' Furnishing Goods in Great Variety. London, American and Canadian Felt Hats, at the Lowest Prices.

J. B. MACDONALD. Brennans Old Stand, Queen Street, April 25, 1882—wkly. no

For Scotch and English Tweeds or Worsteds Suits

For Canadian Tweed Suits,

For Overcoats of all Descriptions,

GO TO

JOHN MACLEOD & CO'S,

UPPER QUEEN STREET,

TWO DOORS ABOVE APOTHECARIES HALL CORNER

There you will find the largest and best assortment of Cloths in the Island. Prices very moderate. The best workmanship and a perfect fit guaranteed.

ALSO—

A complete line of Gents' Furnishings and Felt Hats, cheap, &c. &c. Remember the address, two doors above Apothecaries Hall Corner

Charlottetown, Oct. 11, 1881.

Charlottetown Boot and Shoe Factory.

DORSEY, GOFF & CO.,

Boots, Shoes and Slippers, Our Own Make and Imported.

SPRING IMPORTATIONS ALREADY RECEIVED BY "NORTHERN LIGHT."

Our own Factory make are becoming celebrated for good style and quality. We sell for cash only, and therefore we can sell cheap. New York Rubber Boots (Crack Proof) just received.

To Shoemakers—We sell French Calf Uppers for \$1.75 per pair. Boot Polish, Button Hooks, Leather Laces, Water-proof Dressing, Buttons and Fasteners always kept on hand. Give us a trial. [ap 28]

CARD.

ALL parties indebted to the Estate of the late Wm. R. Watson, Esq., are hereby notified that in order to wind up the affairs of the Estate, all Book accounts remaining unpaid on the 15th May next, will have to be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Courts for collection.

For the convenience of parties, I will be in attendance at the office of the Estate, at the City Drug Store, Queen Street, between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock, p. m., daily, where all payments may be made to me.

WILLIAM H. SHANKS, Agent for Estate. April 27, 1882—cod 1f, rg 3t

4,000 GRAIN BAGS

LONDON HOUSE. May 1, '82—6t cod

MILLINERY.

MISS GALLANT begs to inform her friends, and the public generally, that she has commenced business in the above line, at her residence, Upper Queen Street. Having had four years' experience in the establishment of Robert Young, Esq., she feels confident of giving satisfaction to all who may favor her with their patronage. ma 3 m

Tickets to all Points WEST AND NORTH WEST, Over the Intercolonial and Grand Trunk Railways.

For sale at Post Office at Pictou Landing by D. A. McLEOD. May 2, 1882.

JUST PUBLISHED!

"Short Speculative Essays," BY ROBERT B. THOMAS.

For sale at the Bookstores of Messrs. Bremner Bros., Chappelle, Harvie and G. H. Hazard. Price 50 cents. 3 29 2w

GARDEN SEEDS, Garden Seeds.

Fresh and Good, Opening To-day at HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE. May 1, 1882—4t

POTATOES.

I WANT a few hundred bushels Potatoes, Rose and Prolific preferred. H. COOMBS. May 4, '82—3t cod, wkly 3t, wkly pat 3t

MORE LIGHT!

THE Charlottetown Gas Light Company I 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 Gas lost 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 Scientists to enquire as to the best means for the development of light from Coal Gas of different qualities—comprising Dr. William Wallace, Professor Dittmar, and Mr. Thomas Wills, 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. Taber, 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 Devoe'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 Devoe's Brilliant Oil consuming 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 1000 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 filling 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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