

Local and Other Items.

New Goods now opening at J. B. Macdonald's. Eggs are selling at eighteen cents per dozen in the Bangor market.

New Stock of Trunks and Valises just received at J. B. Macdonald's. Mr. C. B. MITCHELL, of the firm of E. T. Russell & Co., Boston, is at the Rankin.

ONE hundred and forty thousand bushels of grain were shipped in two days of this week from Chicago to Montreal.

We learn that a brother of the late Wm. Murphy, Esq., will shortly take charge of the gas works in this city.

HENRY M. STANLEY, who has resigned his position as director of the African country, is expected to arrive in England next Sunday.

GRASS CLOTH at 8 cents per yard and upwards (extra value) at J. B. Macdonald's.

DURING the past week over 1500 empty barrels have been forwarded to Prince Edward Island for the oyster dealers.—St. John Sun

FITCH, of the Canadian team, secured third place in the competition for the Prince of Wales' prize, at Wimbledon, on the 22nd instant.

GATHERING OF THE CLANS—The making of a few more pairs of Trews left of the Caledonian Club Tartan, for sale at J. B. Macdonald's, July 24-4.

OWING to the unfavorable weather the Picnic and Tea Party at Montague Bridge, previously announced for to-day, has been postponed until Tuesday next, July 29th.

ON DRAUGHT—Montreal Lime Fruit Juice and Soda Water, with choice flavoring, at the new Confectionery, 95 Queen Street, opposite Miller Bros.—T. CARTER. [July 24 2i

MR. CHARLES MINTO, representative of the firm of McIntyre Son & Co., wholesale dry goods, etc., Montreal, is making his regular tour of the Province. He is staying at the Rankin.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. A. B. Warburton, to-day, was attended by a large concourse of citizens, who assembled to pay the last tribute of respect to one who was universally beloved and regretted.

TWO Scotch Act cases before the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon were adjourned until Wednesday next. Six cases are now in progress; but the police have difficulty in serving the offenders with summonses.

THE steamer M. A. Starr, Capt. Ferguson, arrived from Halifax to-day with freight and Rev. Mr. McDonald, of Bayfield, as passenger. She sails this evening at eight o'clock with a cargo of oats and preserved lobsters.

AT a fire in Toronto, on the 22nd instant, a man, his wife and family were rescued with difficulty; but another lady, who in the excitement was forgotten, was afterwards rescued and died in an hour from her injuries.

WH understand that a telegram has been received on Ottawa that "five passes" as usual, will be granted over government roads to those members of Provincial Rifle Association who propose attending the prize meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association in September next.

THE most satisfactory evidence of the improvement in trade of Montreal is the information that the Dominion line have commissioned and entered on service, in addition to the Ontario which replaces the Sarina, two of the four steamships which have been laid up at Liverpool all summer. These are the Dominion and Texas.

A RESOLUTION was created at Walkertown, Ont., Saturday, by a Mrs. Martin publicly rotten-egging Rev. William Smythe, a Methodist minister in the market place. The lady was brought before the mayor and fined \$10. The assault grew out of a scandalous report affecting Mrs. Martin's character, and which she accused Smythe of circulating.

A NOVEL and unique barometer has been discovered by Fair Haven residents in the vicinity of Quinipiac bridge. A near approach of rain is always indicated by many teams loaded with hay coming toward the city. The explanation given is that farmers select this time to transport hay, as the dampness makes it weigh much more.—Fair Haven Register.

THE Chief Justice of Nova Scotia has delivered a judgment upholding the validity of the Dominion License Act in the city of Halifax. Two parties have been convicted by the Stipendiary of selling liquors without license. They appealed from the conviction. The Chief Justice affirmed the convictions of the Lower Courts, with costs.

THE housewives of Palestine Bridge, New York, are greatly excited over the appearance of a carpet bug. Hardly a house in town but has received an attack from the bugs. Some of the threads of the carpet are eaten as squarely as a knife could do the work. It is said that some wealthy families will remove their carpets and replace them with Smyrna rugs, to be taken up and shaken every day.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY.—The Royal Gazette of the 19th instant announces that His Honor the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to direct that Thursday, the 31st day of July, instant, being the day appointed for the gathering of the Caledonian Club, be observed as a holiday in the public offices. His Worship the Mayor has also declared the day of the Scottish gathering a Civic holiday.

THE Winnipeg Sun says that business of all kinds is improving wonderfully in the Northwest. The farmers are confident in the hope of reaping the largest crop ever grown, acre for acre, in America, and the rate, 27 1/2 cents to tide-water at Montreal, will leave them a splendid margin. The store-keepers, of course, share in the general jubilation, and sales are larger than they have been for months.

NINE thousand persons were present at Exposition Park, Pittsburg, Pa., on the 22nd inst., to witness the attempt of Jay-Eye-see to lower Rams' record of 2.16 on a half mile track. The weather was warm and the track fast, but when he came out it was evident that he was not in first-class condition. After doing a mile in 2.35, the word was given and he got away in magnificent style, going around the sharp turn to the quarter pole in 23 seconds. He trotted the next quarter in 23 seconds, making the half in 1.08, but on the third quarter he broke badly, losing several seconds, and finished the mile in 2.18. Another attempt was made, but he broke twice and came in, in 2.34.

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FOR bargains in Groceries, Glass and Crockeryware, go to R. K. BRACE'S.

FRESH made Creams at the new Confectionery, opposite Miller Bros.—T. CARTER.

A PARTY of agricultural laborers for the Maritime Provinces sailed on the 17th.

J. B. MACDONALD'S in the store for Black and Colored Casimires and Merinos. [July 24

PHILIP CHATHAM, the oldest Freemason in England, is dead, aged 97. He was initiated in 1811.

The greatest variety in Gentlemen's Under Clothing at J. B. Macdonald's. [July 24

MR. H. OLIVE, General Passenger Agent of the International Steamship Co., is at the Rankin.

L. O. O. F.—A special Degree Meeting will be held at St. Lawrence Lodge this evening at eight o'clock.

THE receipts of Canadian railways show an increase of from 15 to 25 per cent, as compared with last year.

COL. WELLSLEY, heir to the Duke of Wellington, recently divorced, has married Kate Vaughan, an actress.

WANZER SEWING MACHINES, the latest and most improved, at Miller Bros., Charlottetown, for thirty-five dollars. [July 24 wky if.

OVER 2,000 saloon keepers of Ohio have failed to take out licenses under the Scott law. The time expired on the 21st, and suits will be instituted before all the Justices of the Peace. The license fees are \$ 00 and \$200 per annum, according to the intoxicants sold.

WHEN the Sundry Civil bill passed the House of Representatives, Washington, it contained a clause authorizing the employment of two extra watchmen at the War Department. This was barely three weeks ago. On the 18th inst. the two men were selected from a list of 1,138 applicants. The salary is sixty dollars a month.

English-Canadian News.

A number of fresh specimens of Canadian woods and grain, with some photographs, have just been received at the High Commissioner's office in London for exhibition at the Royal Agricultural Show at Shrewsbury next week.

The cup which will as usual be offered for competition among the members of the Wimbledon team by the Canada Club, will be presented to the winner by Sir Charles Tupper, who will visit Wimbledon for the purpose. The cup will be competed for under the same conditions as last year, and will be awarded to the member of the team who has the highest score to his credit in the Grand Aggregate Prize.

Mr. Edward Jack, who is representing New Brunswick at the Forestry Exhibition thus writes:—New Brunswick and Nova Scotia have remained very much in the background owing to their not bringing themselves before the public of Great Britain, through the columns of some journal similar to yours, which I often see and highly appreciate. No later than this afternoon, when I was standing in the Forestry Exhibition building arranging my specimens, two very respectable looking mechanics stepped up to me, and looking at the device above my stall said, "We hear a great deal about Manitoba and the North-West, but we hear nothing about New Brunswick." I am sure that if the Provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island forwarded to your journal reliable information weekly, or even monthly, respecting their farming lands, minerals and forest products, and made due arrangements to circulate the same as largely as possible through the news rooms and news centres of Great Britain, a vast amount of benefit would accrue to them all. Public institutions in Great Britain do not generally deal much in papers from the Maritime Provinces of Canada. I failed, when in the Glasgow Exchange News Room, two days since, to find a St. John or Halifax paper there; it therefore seems to me the information relative to the Maritime Provinces must reach the British public through British papers—then, and not until then, will the Maritime Provinces of Canada take that position in the eyes of Europe which their situation and resources entitle them to. Did the Governments of the Maritime Provinces see or know the ignorance prevailing about them and their resources here as I have seen and know, it would not be long before they would give heed to this matter."

Rejected Manuscripts.

Thackeray himself has told us how his "Vanity Fair" was hawked about from publisher to publisher, and its failure everywhere predicted. For a long period Charlotte Bronte's "Jane Eyre" shared the same fate. Again, Mr. Ringlake's carefully composed "Eothen," the labor of several years, was destined to go the weary round of publishers in vain, and it was only when its author induced one of that cautious fraternity to accept the classic little work as a present, that he at length enjoyed the gratification of seeing it in print. The first chapter of "The Diary of a Late Physician" was offered successively to the conductors of the three leading London Magazines, and rejected as "unsuitable to their pages," and "not likely to interest the public," until Mr. Warren, then a young man of twenty-three, and a law student, behought himself of Blackwood. "I remember taking my packet," he says, "to Mr. Cadell's in the strand, with a sad suspicion that I should never see or hear anything more of it; but shortly afterward I received a letter from Mr. Blackwood informing me that he had inserted the chapter, and begging me to make arrangements for immediately proceeding regularly with the series. He expressed his cordial approval of that portion, and predicted that I was likely to produce a series of papers well suited to his magazine, and calculated to interest the public."—Chambers' Journal.

CROMPTON CORSETS are the best, for sale at J. B. Macdonald's. [July 14 wky

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Several Persons Killed in a Thunderstorm.

SIoux FALLS, D. T., July 23. Seven persons were killed during the thunderstorm of Monday. MILWAUKEE, July 23. A severe rain and wind storm passed over Wisconsin early to-day, doing great damage to crops.

A Terrible Explosion.

DENVER, July 23. A work train with 40 bridge hands was passing through Black Canon this morning, when a spark from the engine ignited a box of giant powder, a terrible explosion followed, killing three men and wounding several others. The train was badly wrecked.

Canada Captures the Kolapore Cup.

LONDON, July 23. The Canadian Team won the Kolapore Cup at Wimbledon. The score was: Canadian Team, 665 points; English Team, 660 points; Indian Team, 576 points.

Victims of the Asiatic Spectre.

PARIS, July 23. There were during the past twenty-four hours 26 deaths from cholera at Marseilles, 15 at Toulon, and 3 in Paris.

A Great Victory Announced.

OTTAWA, July 23. The Liberal candidate was elected at Muskoka to-day by a large majority for the Ontario Legislature.

Obituary.

LONDON, July 23. Right Hon. Sir Lawrence Pell is dead.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces. TORONTO, July 24-10 a. m. Moderate to fresh winds, mostly south and west, cloudy to fair weather with local showers, not much change in temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Charlottetown July 24 1884.

Highest temperature yesterday, 60.3. Lowest temperature (read at midnight), 48.6. Lowest temperature this morning, 52.3. Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock, 57.4. Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock, 61.0.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN. ENTERED. July 23—Sylvanus McDonald, Paoli, Shediac, lum; Oselle, Allen, Baie de Verte, deals. July 24—Queen, McLellan, Crapan, plank & iron; Confederate, Warren, Rustico, 200 cases lobsters.

CLEARED. July 23—Sylvanus McDonald, Paoli, Vernon River, lum; Susan King, McPherson, Tata-magouche, mdse. July 24—Mary Queen, White, West Cape, 200 brls herring; Mary Alice, Perry, Egmont Bay, sundry mdse.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE. July 23—Geo Smith, Boston; Mrs Murdy, Boston; Chas Murdy, do; M Randall, Marsh-field, Mass; Alfred Rose, Bethel, Vermont; Miss Carrie McGregor, New Glasgow, N S; Miss Celia Thompson, do; James Ross, Mount Stewart, 24—Albert Smith, Carleton, N B; John A Wheaton, Salisbury, N B; Peter McKinnon, Boston; M B Connick, and wife, Summerside; Wellington, Match, Eldon; John Cornish, Wood Islands; J F McMillan, do.

RANKIN HOUSE. July 23—H Taylor, Montreal; J Ewing, St John; W B Murdoch, Montreal; Charles Minto, do; John M Hockin, Pictou; J G Z Buckholder, Hamilton; O V Troop, St John; James J Dolan, Montreal; J E McDougall, Montreal; T Ridgedale, Bangor; C B Mitchell, Boston; Miss Mary Mitchell, do; C H Myrick, Chelsea, Mass; G D Longworth, Charlottetown; F Morson, Souris; Wm J O'Malley, Charlottetown.

ROCKLIN HOUSE. July 23—David Reid, Baldwin's Road; Jas T Reid, Margate; Capt Pigott, Savage Harbor; Theo Cosby, West River; Mrs. McDonald, Boston, Mass; Warren Peters, do; Mrs Peters, do; John R Stewart, Grand Rapids, Dakota; D McLean, Hopewell, N S.

BEVERE HOUSE. July 23.—Patrick Doyle, Summerside; Mrs Dr Gillis, do; J P McGrath, Montreal; E J Howell, do; Robt Dawson, Bridgewater; J Rope Barnes, St John; W H Tyson, do; T Barnes, do.

McMILLAN'S DEPOT IS NOW BEING SUPPLIED WITH COAL,

In all the leading varieties, including ACADIA, Nut and Round, INTERCOLONIAL, do do VALE, do do SYDNEY, (old mine) Round, SYDNEY, (reserve) do do CHIMNEY CORNER, do do

ALBION & RESERVE SLACK,

All of which will be sold on most reasonable terms. ALSO TO ARRIVE: A cargo of (Red Ash) Anthracite Coal from Wales, due here 1st October, and same quality as gave such good satisfaction three years ago. Will be sold low from ship.

R. McMILLAN. Ch'town, July 2, '84—3m

SUMMER GOODS

Perkins & Sterns'

WE are showing a complete stock of English and American Hats and Bonnets for June trade. Black, White, and Colored Straw Hats. Black, White, and Colored Straw Bonnets. Chip Hats and Bonnets. Trimmed Hats and Bonnets. Fancy Straw Hats and Bonnets. The largest display of Children's Hats to be found on P. E. I. Feathers and Flowers Hat and Bonnet Shapes. NEW MILLINERY MATERIALS. A very large stock of Parasols and Umbrellas. Millinery made up at short notice by first-class hands.

PRICES LOW. PERKINS & STERNS. Ch'town, May 28, 1884.

FOR LIVERPOOL, DIRECT. THE CLIPPER BARQUE MOSELLE, Alex. McLeod, Master, Now on her way from Liverpool to this port, will SAIL FOR LIVERPOOL, DIRECT, About the 10th August, next, AND WILL Carry Lobsters at Low Rates. PEAKE BROS. & CO. July 22—cod

STEAM BOILERS FOR SALE. (SECOND-HAND.) ONE Horizontal 45-horse power, with 54 3-inch tubes, and in every respect a first-class boiler. One Upright Tubular, 10-horse power, with fire box attached, suitable for a lobster factory. Both these boilers are ready for steaming, and will be sold at a bargain. Apply to CHARLOTTETOWN WOOLLEN CO. July 19—1m wklly 1m

MONTREAL TO—Charlottetown, Summerside and Georgetown. THE steamer Summerside will leave Montreal on or about 30th July, carrying goods to above named places at low rates. Apply to MESSRS. J. & R. McLEA, Montreal; or to F. W. HALE, Charlottetown. July 19—3i

DIRECT FOR LONDON. The New Brigantine Ariadne, P. Trainor, master, 350 tons, classed 9 years at Lloyds, will sail from Tignish about 15th July; Campbellton, West Point, Summerside, about 20th July; and from Charlottetown about 25th July, direct for London, carrying Lobsters from above ports at lowest rate and saving expense and damage of transhipping at Charlottetown. Free storage in Charlottetown, and warehouse receipts granted when required. Also bills of lading given as soon as goods are on board at any of above ports. Goods will be received at West Point, from New Brunswick, up to 18th July, and at Summerside, to 20th July. For further particulars apply to CAPT. TRAINOR, On board; JOHN A. MATHESON, Campbellton; LONGWORTH & CO., Charlottetown. July 7—2w 2aw

TO LET—The beautiful Brick House, on Dundas Esplanade, now occupied by Mr. Goff, containing fourteen Rooms, eight Register Grates, Kitchen Range, Bath and Bath Room (with hot and cold water), inside and outside Water Closets (with outlet to the river), Pump, Force Pump, and Water Tank (complete). Possession given on 1st August next. For terms and particulars apply to OWEN CONNOLLY, Charlottetown. [July 14 cod 1t aug 1

The Sparkham Fire-Proof ROOFING CEMENT CO'Y, MONTREAL. \$60,000 Capital Paid Up. ESTABLISHED 1870. Estimates furnished and contracts taken for the best and cheapest Roof in the world. Roofs laid by our agents guaranteed for ten years. GEO. T. MILLER, General Agent for Maritime Provinces, Moncton, N. B. July 15—1m

HOUSE TO LET. THE Subscriber offers to let a most desirable two-story House, on Fitzroy Street, nearly opposite the residence of William Brown, Esq. It contains twelve rooms, besides kitchen, and has been papered anew and painted inside and outside this summer. There is also a Stable, Coach-house and Garden attached. DONALD FERGUSON. July 7, 1884.

Handsome Cake Baskets, PICKLE DISHES, and a few dozen Silver-Plated Spoons, Forks & Knives to sort up, just opened, at TAYLOR'S, Queen Street. Ch'town, July 5—cod wklly

LONDON HOUSE. Very Cheap for Cash. \$1.25 Upwards. GEO. DAVIES & CO. Ch'town, June 2, 1884. Valuable Property FOR SALE. THE undersigned offers for sale the business premises known as "83" QUEEN STREET. The building is large and commodious, running back from Queen Street eighty-three feet; and the stand is unsurpassed. Terms easy. JAS. DESBRISAY Ch'town, March 6 cod 1t

BARGAINS. I AM selling the balance of my Furniture saved from the fire of the 20th ult., at J. D. McLeod's corner, Queen Street, at a reduction of from twenty-five to fifty per cent. below usual prices. JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, March 6.

BLACKSMITH'S COAL. ALBION MINES SLACK COAL can be supplied freely, and with dispatch, for about one month. Orders given by G. W. DeBLOIS, Agent 35 Water Street. July 10—1t

St. Marys' Carriage Man'g. Co'y (INCORPORATED.) Capital, \$48,000. A Division of Surplus Stock will take place on OCTOBER 22, 1884, SUBSCRIBE NOW, SHARES FOR SALE \$2 EACH. This is the best investment in the Country. Send for prospectus and full particulars to JAS. THOMPSON, H. A. L. WHITE, President, Secretary. AGENTS WANTED—BIG COMMISSION. July 4—1m pd

FLOUR. FLOUR. IN STORE: 250 brls. High Grade Patent, 750 brls. Medium and Low Grade, 250 brls. Choice Superior Extra, 125 brls. Choice Fancy. TO ARRIVE: 500 brls. Choice Superior Extra (brands—Atlas and Evangeline). FOR SALE LOW J. A. CHIPMAN & CO. J. F. SHATFORD, Agent, opposite Rankin House. Ch'town, June 16.

PICNICS! TEAS, BALLS, PARTIES, AND—Public Gatherings, OF all kinds, supplied with all suitable Refreshments, at the cheapest prices, on application to VATCHER, MURPHY & CO., at the Star Confectionery, or at the "Little Shop around the Corner," Great George St. Vatcher, Murphy & Co. manufacture all the articles they furnish, from the best and purest materials, and, with their experience, guarantee satisfaction. Fruit Cake, Ginger Beer, Plain Cake, Syngar Ale, Pastry, Syrup, Washington Pies, Soda Water, Sponge Cake, Sweet Cider, &c. &c. &c. of the best quality, will be sold, at cheaper prices than by any other concern on the Island. As V. M. & Co., have already entered into several large contracts for Teas for the coming season, committees and others will please call or write early for prices and terms.

CONFECTIONERY, Pure and unadulterated, (no imported trash), at the cheapest rates. June 16. COAL. COAL. THE Subscriber is now prepared to receive orders for the following Coal, which will be sold at the lowest cash price, viz: Acadia Mine, Round and Nut, Intercolonial Mine, Round and Nut, Vale do, do, Albion do, do, Gowrie do, do, Sydney Old do, do

Anthracite (Egg and Chestnut Sizes). CAPT. JOHN HUGHES, Water Street. Ch'town, May 15, 1884—3m to th 2a