

Local and Other Items.

HAND at the Roller-lick to-night.

W. T. HUNT, Esq., of Summerside, is in the city.

Now is the time to advertise in THE EXAMINER.

M. McCORMACK, Esq., of Souris, is at the Osborne.

THE mails arrived in the city at 4.45 this afternoon.

A LOT of Fresh Beachcomer Buckwheat just received at Beer & Goff's.

THE Charlottetown Engineers meet for drill to-morrow evening.

CANADA lost \$1,568,728 and 69 lives by marine casualties last year.

DIAMOND DYES, Indigo, Logwood, etc., etc., at Beer & Goff's.

PROF. FRIEZE intends to give a concert on the evening of 24th May next.

REMEMBER the Janitor's Benefit at the Ice Rink to-morrow (Wednesday) night.—Band in attendance.

THE letter of "Vindex," on the commutation of the sentence of Alexander Gillis, has been received and will appear to-morrow.

THE Northern Light left Pictou at 6 o'clock this morning and had not reported at Georgetown at the time of our going to press.

WE are pleased to note that Conductor Ryan is out again, after being laid up for about two months as a result of a surgical operation.

THE St. James' Church Young Men's Literary Association will give another of their popular entertainments on Tuesday next, 6th April.

A MEETING of the officers and non-commissioned officers of the City Militia Corps, will be held this evening at 5 o'clock in the Stipendiary Magistrate's Office.

NEW Rockford Watches, just received and will be ready for delivery on Saturday. Persons entitled to exchange can now be suited.—E. W. Taylor, Cameron Block.—21 to 21.

A TROT came off on the Summerside ice a few days ago, between two "fliers" owned by George Muttart and George Simms. Mr. Muttart's horse won in three straight heats.

CAPT. DAVID CRENEL, of Pictou, N. S., has received the sad news that his son Ewen was washed overboard at sea about three months ago. He was serving an apprenticeship on his father's vessel, the Wolfe.

AT the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon a woman charged with selling butter under weight last market day was fined 75 cents and had her butter confiscated, and a drunk was disposed of for \$2 and costs.

TWENTY-SIX men were drowned at Grand Manan last year, of whom nine were residents and the others went there to fish. Eleven of the number were drowned by the breaking up in a gale of a wrecked steamer upon which they were at work.

IN one of the Dundee, Scotland, board schools, the teacher asked his class the meaning of the word "victim." The question seemed to puzzle the scholars, but after a pause a bright little girl answered: "Please sir, a victim means a man about to be married."

MR. W. A. HAWLEY, Piano Tuner, is now in town, and prepared to fill orders for tuning, regulating, voicing, repairing, &c. Specially made of action work. Factory experience. Work warranted. Address Box 133, Charlottetown, or can be seen at the Rocklin House.

A CANADIAN, named Stewart, 26 years of age, employed as a fireman on the steamer Nellie, plying between Seattle and Snohomish, was scalded to death on that boat a week or two ago. He was throwing wood into the fire when a stick struck the blow-off cock and let a full force of steam on his head, causing his death soon afterwards.

IT is the testimony of all men who have tried it that "Myrtle Navy" tobacco has the most delicious flavor of any tobacco in the market, and that it leaves none of the unpleasant effects in the mouth which most tobaccos do. The reason of this is the high and pure quality of the leaf, which is the finest known in Virginia, and the absence of all deleterious matter in the manufacture.

THE mortality statistics for February, just issued by the Department of Agriculture, show the following returns from the cities and towns of Canada:—Montreal, 314; Toronto, 239; Quebec, 142; Hamilton, 78; Halifax, 73; Winnipeg, 30; Ottawa, 56; St. John, N. B., 42; London, 44; Kingston, 21; St. Thomas, 18; Charlottetown, 11; Guelph, 19; Belleville, 8; Three Rivers, 28; Chatham, 20; Sherbrooke, 13; Peterborough, 8; Sorel, 25; Fredericton, 13; St. Hyacinthe, 20; Galt, 3.

THE Pugwash correspondent of the Sackville Post says that Sir Charles Tupper is negotiating for the purchase of Mr. J. W. Lowe's farm for stock raising purposes. The price asked is \$14,000. The farm is beautifully situated, and consists of, besides a large lot of upland, some 120 acres of prime marsh in one lot. The buildings are located near a stream which is utilized to furnish power for threshing, wood-sawing, &c. It is a very valuable property. Mr. Lowe has gone into raising Polled Angus cattle.

ST. GEORGE'S L. & D. CLUB.—A meeting will be held on Wednesday night, at the usual hour, in the room over the offices of Messrs. Warburton & Smallwood. Mr. K. J. Martin will read a paper on "Lord Byron." Readings from the same poet will be given by Messrs. W. L. Cotton, Bruce McLeod, J. E. Hoyt, Peter McCourt, W. L. Strickland, Arthur Mellish and J. McCarey. One scene from the play of "Julius Caesar" will be acted if time will permit.—B. F. MESSERVEY, Sec'y.—Treas.

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 shrub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, 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. (Feb 4 eod wky)

News of the Newfoundland sealing fleet has been received and is as follows: Nearly all the sealers are jammed in the ice of Twillingate. It is not known if they have seals or not. Plenty of seals are reported in Green Bay. The Ranger has 30,000 panes, and the Vanguard is believed to be well filled. The winds continue from the N. E., jamming the ice on shore. If a change occurs soon, it is believed the whole fleet will get in the seals.—A large patch of seals were reported off Meat Cove last week with two schooners in them, and seven others in the distance trying to get into them. The S. E. gale of Sunday has driven them up the Gulf.

The paper on "Scotch Mechanics," read by Rev. James Carruthers before the Caledonian Club Literary Society last evening, was an excellent one, and much appreciated by the large audience present. It was replete with good practical information about Scotland's industries, and was interspersed with many amusing anecdotes concerning some of the leaders and workers in metal. At the conclusion of the paper a vote of thanks, moved by A. McNeill, Esq., President of the Caledonian Club of P. E. Island, and seconded by D. C. Martin, Esq., M. P. P., was tendered the rev. gentleman, to which he suitably responded. The meeting closed with "Auld Lang Syne."

The attendance at the market to-day was small owing to the inclemency of the weather and the disagreeable travelling. Inside the market were the usual collection of loafers arranged round the stoves or near the doors, with here and there a village swain taking Mary Jolts and crop with his country cousin. The ever vigilant clerk always on the qui vive for the enforcement of the rules and regulations governing the market found it necessary to try his eloquence upon a countryman who came in out of the rain to have a quiet smoke, and to test the persuasive powers of a horse-whip on the backs of several dogs whom he thought were looking suspiciously at some nice beefsteak in the butchers' stalls. Outside everything looked dreary. The rain was falling fast and the men who were selling meat, hay, etc., after getting thoroughly saturated went into the market house to "dry off" and watch for customers through the open doorways. The rain had a rather disastrous effect on that portion of the Square used as a hay market. The hay, straw, etc., which has been allowed to accumulate there during the winter made travelling in that neighborhood exceedingly disagreeable, and it is high time some move in the way of cleaning it up were made. The following is the list of prices:—Beef (small) 5 to 10 cts per lb; do per qtr 4 to 7 cts; mutton, 5 to 8 cts; pork (carcase) 4 to 5 cts; pork (small) 6 to 8 cts; lamb, 6 to 8 cts; ham, per lb, 13 to 14 cts; fowls, each, 25 to 35 cts; butter (fresh), 24 to 25; do (old), 17 to 19 cts; eggs, per doz, 12 to 14 cts; ducks, per pair, 70 to 75 cts; do, per 100 lbs, \$2.25 to \$2.75; oatmeal, do, \$2.30 to \$2.50; oats, 32 to 33 cts; hay per 100, 55 cts; potatoes, 18 to 20 cts; geese, 50 to 70; cabbage, per doz, 35 to 50; turkeys, per bush, 12 to 13 cts; apples, per bush, 64 cts; veal, 3 to 70 per lb; turkeys, 80 cts to \$1.75; wild geese \$1.

Disasters in the Past.

There have been many terrible disasters among the transatlantic steamers, and many lives have been lost among the numerous wrecks that are recorded in the history of steamship navigation. Below is given a list of the most serious disasters since 1840: President.....1841 Never heard from All lost City of Glasgow.....1841 Not known Arctic.....1854 Off Cape race 450 All Her Majesty.....1854 Missing All Pacific.....1856 Never heard from 200 All Le Lyonnais.....1856 Off Nantucket 200 All Tempest.....1857 Missing All Austria.....1858 Burned at sea 533 All Hungarian.....1859 Cape Sable 205 All Reich.....1861 Missing All Anglo-Saxon.....1863 Cape Race 257 All Hibernia.....1868 Coast of Ireland 50 All United Kingdom.....1869 Missing All City of Boston.....1870 Missing All Cambria.....1870 Coast of Ireland 196 All Scandavia.....1872 Missing All Commander.....1872 Missing All Shannon.....1872 Missing All Churrua.....1872 Missing All Atlantic.....1872 Missing All Ismailia.....1873 Meagher's Head 547 All Ville du Havre.....1873 Sunk at sea 220 All Anna.....1874 Missing All Trojan.....1874 Missing All Schiller.....1875 Sicily Islands 200 All Deutschland.....1875 North Sea 67 All Colombo.....1876 Missing All Mexican.....1877 Missing All St. Paul.....1877 Missing All Stamford.....1877 Missing All Sardinia.....1876 Coast of Ireland All Sophia.....1876 Missing All Herman Ludwig.....1878 Off Folkestone over 50 All Bayard.....1878 At sea Two saved

A Startling Discovery.

A party of policemen visited a house on West Twelfth-street, Chicago, on the morning of the 23rd, in search of Christ Komnes, the supposed shooter of Louis Friedman and Bernard Barowsky. They did not find their man, but in a trunk in Komnes' bedroom they found a revolver, four round shells of lead about three inches in diameter, a cartridge box, a piece of iron pipe with a projecting fuse at the end and about six yards of coil. A little book beside the shells explained their use; on the outside printed in German was the following inscription:—"Revolutionary War Knowledge." A book containing the art of using and manufacturing dynamite, gun cotton, explosives, mercury, bombs, incendiary implements, and poison, edited by Johanna Mostand, and published by The International Zeitung Verein, No. 167 William Street, New York. The police beat a hasty retreat. When they concluded to go back and make a more thorough investigation they found that the shells weighed about five pounds, and that they were all lined with plaster of paris—only one of them was apparently loaded. In the top were little holes just the size of each of about fifty caps found in the cartridge box. The piece of tube was closed at both ends, but a little piece of cotton stuck out of a crack. It is thought to be full of gun cotton. The fuse is soft inside, but with a hard, tarred exterior. The officers found in an adjoining room a Springfield rifle, a box of cartridges, and a pot for melting lead, of which there was a large quantity in the room. All the stuff was taken to police headquarters.

In a recent lecture at Yale Prof. Arthur T. Hadley stated that no less than 15,000 persons were injured annually in the United States from the single duty of coupling cars. This estimate is made from statistics of suicidal aid given to such cases.

MARRIED. At the Methodist Parsonage, March 29th, by Rev. J. Shenton Angus, A. Doherty, of Hazlewood, Lot 52, to Miss Katie A. McSwain, of Lorne Valley, Lot 52.

DIED. Suddenly, at the residence of her uncle, James Dockendorf, North River, on 29th March, Mary McPhee, Teacher, aged 18 years. [Funeral to-morrow at 3 o'clock, p. m.]

Pasture Lot to be Let by Auction.

I AM instructed by Judge Alley to let by Auction, on the premises, on SATURDAY next, 3rd APRIL, next, at 10 o'clock, that desirable Twelve-acre Lot, on Malpeque Road, adjoining Henry's Lime Kiln. It is near the city, has water on the premises, and offers the most eligible pasturage near Charlottetown.

B. WISON HIGGS, Auctioneer. March 30-41

HAVILL'S LUNG HEALER. A SUPERLATIVE REMEDY FOR THE CURE OF Incipient Consumption, Asthma WHOOPING COUGH AND All Afflictions of the Lungs and Chest. Ask for the Genuine Medicine bearing the Inventor's Portrait and his own and the Proprietor's signature. FOR SALE BY ALL DEALERS. J. Moutrey & Co. PROPRIETORS. HALIFAX, N. S. CANADA.

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY. Sale of Unclaimed Goods.

A SALE of Unclaimed Goods will take place at the Freight House, Charlottetown, on MONDAY, 19th APRIL next, at 10 o'clock a. m., (Standard time).

JAMES COLEMAN, Superintendent. Railway Office, Ch'town, March 27, 1886. —dy tu fri ti sli sat mon th ti sli wky prs 2i

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

TO LET—Two commodious new Dwelling Houses, with suitable outhouses, situated on the corner of Prince and Dorchester Streets, in a pleasant and central part of the city. Each dwelling has nine rooms and is fitted with marbleized mantels, register grates, etc; will be ready for occupation about middle of April. Apply to George Alley. mar30

WANTED—A second-hand light Express Wagon—B. Balderston. mar30 li

FOR SALE—750 Drying Screens for Printer's use, for drying colors and glass work; also two barrels Glossing Spirit Varnish. Apply to John Coombs, 18 Queen Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I. —mar30 lw Moncton Times lw

HORSE and Cow for Sale at a bargain. Enquire at Miller Bros., Queen Street. mar29 li

LOST—On Saturday evening last, a bunch of Keys. Finder will oblige by leaving them at this office. mar29 tf

TO LET—A House on Cumberland Street. Enquire of H. P. Welsh. mar27 eod tf

TO LET—A brick House on Pownall Street, now occupied by Mr. Geo. J. Wright. Apply to Thos. W. Dodd. mar26 tf

WANTED Immediately, at D. A. Bruce's, four good coat makers and three vest makers. mar25

TO LET—That pleasantly situated Dwelling House at Southport, owned by the subscriber, containing eleven well-finished rooms, good cellar, and coal shed, and out-offices attached; also, first-class dairy and ice house, coach house and stables and large fruit and vegetable garden. Splendid bathing in water a short distance. Rent moderate. —Henry Beer. mar23

WANTED—A Cook Apply to the Matron P. E. Hospital. mar9 tf

TO LET OR TO SELL—A House and Shop on Upper Great George Street, opposite the Dominion House. For particulars apply to the subscriber, on the premises. —James Bradley. mar23

WANTED—A second-hand copy of the Magnall's Questions. Apply at this office. mar23 tf

WANTED—A small Cottage or House in Charlottetown to rent, suitable for a lady of small private means, with six children. The rent must be moderate—not to exceed \$100 a year. Apply to office of Peters & Peters. mar17 lno eod

BOARDERS—Two or three gentlemen or lady Boarders may find comfortable accommodation by applying to Mrs. William Kennedy, Brick House, Hillsborough Park. mar23 tf

FOR SALE—Fyles of "Littell's Living Age," from 1882 to 1884, complete—the best literature of the age. Also, Webster's Dictionary (unabridged). Apply at THE EXAMINER office. mar27

Farmer Hard Luck:—"What will I do? My family give me no peace on account of the Boots I bring them. They say they are leaky and don't wear."

Farmer Good Fortune:—"My friend, you are right; bad Boots do bring trouble. The Boots I buy give wife and children great satisfaction. If you want to astonish and please your family buy your next Boots at

DORSEY, GOFF & CO." Ch'town, March 23, 1885.

JAS. PATON & CO, MARKET SQUARE,

OFFER special inducements to purchasers of House Furnishing Goods, during the month of March. Those in need of Carpets and Oilcloths should give us a call. Our stock is pronounced the largest and cheapest in the city, and entirely new.

100 rolls Carpet, in Brussels, Tapestry, Scotch and Hemp. 75 " Oilcloth, from one foot to twelve feet wide.

A special lot of Scotch and Union Carpets will be cleared out at cost. See these, as they are genuine Bargains.

Grand value in White and Grey Cottons, Shirtings, Print Cottons, Cretonnes, Table Linens, Towels and Bed Tickings, 1,200 pairs Corsets, cheap.

Gilray's Patent Lace Curtain Stretcher. Ladies should see them.

JAS. PATON & CO., SUCCESSORS TO W. A. WEEKS & CO, March 5, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

To Farmers and Others who want to buy Dry Goods at Low Prices.

FROM this date to 1st MAY we will give bargains in all departments. Gray Cottons, White Cottons, Print Cottons, Shirtings and Sheetings at

PRICES THAT ARE BOUND TO SELL.

A big lot of Wool Tweeds, suitable for Men's and Boys' wear, at panic prices. Ulster Cloths, very cheap. The balance of our Colored Dress Goods regardless of cost; Black and Colored French Merinos and Cashmeres at prices that defy competition. Black and Colored Kid Gloves at marked down prices.

A BIG DRIVE in Men's and Boys' SOFT FELT HATS for spring wear—just see them, and if you want a hat you are bound to buy one of this lot; also, a large stock of STIFF HATS, at hard-pain prices.

A First-class and Well-assorted stock to select from. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

STANLEY BROS., Brown's Block, Opposite Market House. Ch'town, March 19, 1886

JOHN MACLEOD & CO., MERCHANT TAILOR.

WE are offering the balance of our winter goods at lower prices than have ever been offered the public. A lot of Men's and Youth's Overcoats from \$5 to \$8, worth from \$8 to \$14

Overcoats made to order, from \$12 to \$18, worth from \$18, to \$24.

Men's Heavy Shirts, Underwear, Fur Caps, Gloves, &c at the same rates.

Worsted and Tweed Suits at very low prices.

Island Tweed Suits from \$10 to \$12.

JOHN MACLEOD & CO. Ch'town, Feb. 9, 1886—tf eod wky

BOOK-BINDING, PAPER-RULING

BLANK-BOOK MAKING, OVER BOREHAM'S BOOT & SHOE STORE

ALL kinds of BOOK BINDING executed at Lowest Prices and with Quick Despatch. A Ruling, Numbering and Perforating for the Trade promptly attended to. BLANK BOOKS A SPECIALTY. A Share of Patronage Solicited.

JAMES D. TAYLOR, QUEEN SQUARE. Ch'town, Feb. 23, '86.

Painters' Supplies! To Lobster Packers, FOR SALE.

House and Carriage Work. 400 boxes of TIN PLATES, suitable for Lobster Cans. 22 pigs of LEAD. 22 ingots, TIN. 1 bar of COPPER.

Apply to PEAKE BROS. & CO. Ch'town, Feb. 10—tf Saw

30 barrels Raw and Boiled OIL. 15 tons WHITE LEAD and COLORS, imported direct from Thos. Hubback & Son, London, England.

5 barrels PURENINE, VARNISHES, BRUSHES, PUTTY. Prices low. NORTON BROS. Ch'town, March 17, '86—d lw 3wks wky 2i

Shop Front for Sale, Cheap.

CONSISTING of Six Sashes with 12 Panes, 6x23—28 oz glass; a pair Doors and Fanlights, and one pair Iron Columns, with base and cap complete. MARK WRIGHT & Co. March 18, '86.

SEED WHEAT BEST WHITE RUSSIAN, FOR SALE CHEAP. JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, March 4, 1886.—5wks dy wky

REID BRO'S MARCH PRICE LIST.

Shirting Gingham, marked price 11c, now 8c. All-wool Shirting Flannel, marked 32c, now 25c. Half-wool Druggot, marked price 32c, now 22c. Ladies' Winter Jackets, marked \$1.65, \$4.25, and \$5, now half price. Men's Reefers, marked \$4, now half price. Ladies' Corsets, marked \$1.10, now 75c. Ladies' Rubber Circulars, marked \$1.40, now \$1. Men's Black Worsted Suits, marked \$7.50, now \$5.50. Men's Tweed Pants, marked \$1.60, now \$1.10. Ladies' Four-button Kid Gloves, marked 75c, now 50c. Ladies' Four-clasp Kid Gloves, worth \$1.40, now 75c. Men's Underclothing at 20 per cent discount. Men's Overcoats, reduced to clear, at half price. Genuine All-wool Heavy Tweed, marked 60c, now 45c. Cotton Flannels, in white and colored, marked 12c, now 10c. For discount of 25 per cent on Men's Furnishings. Men's White and Regatta Shirts, marked \$1.50, now \$1.10. \$20 Fine Tweed Suits, to measure, now only \$14. \$30 Fine Worsted Suits, to measure, now only \$20. \$14 Trian Tweed Suits, to measure, now only \$12. \$6 Scotch Tweed Pants, to measure, now only \$4. Child's Tweed Suits, marked \$2, now only \$1.25. Youth's Black Worsted Suits, marked \$3.50, now only \$2.35. Fine Scotch Tweeds, marked \$1.25, now only 90c. Heavy Island Tweeds, All-wool, 45c. 50c. 60c. 75c. Yard-wide Gray Cottons, only 4 and 5 cents.

REID BROS., CAMERON BLOCK. Ch'town, March 1, 1886.

House for Sale, SITUATE on King Street, opposite the residence of P. Blake, Esq. The building is in thorough repair and contains, on the first floor, a front and back shop and two large rooms; also, a large kitchen built on to the house, fitted with many conveniences—pump, wash boxes, &c; and a good large pantry; second floor, four large rooms; third floor, four large rooms—both flats having nice halls. The house is well finished throughout, and very convenient. The cellar is frost-proof and contains a large brick pantry with cement floor. A water pipe conducts rain water to the cellar. Outbuildings are large and convenient. Possession given from 15th April. Apply on the premises to the Subscriber, MRS. JAMES STANLEY. March 12—pat

North Atlantic Steamship Co.

SPRING SAILINGS, 1886.

From London and Liverpool S.S. 'CLIFTON' WILL LEAVE London for Charlottetown, ABOUT 15th APRIL.

S.S. "Nellie Wise," WILL LEAVE Liverpool for Charlottetown, ABOUT 15th APRIL.

The above Steamers, after discharging at Charlottetown, will proceed to Bathurst or Miramichi. Carrying Goods at Through Rates to the principal points in P. E. Island, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

For Freight, Passage, or other information apply in London to Stewart Brothers, 2 Fen Church Street, Fen Court; in St. John, Chatham and Bathurst, N. B., to R. A. & J. Stewart; in Liverpool to T. C. Jones & Co.

FENTON T. NEWBERRY, Agent. Ch'town, Jan. 30, 1886.

REGULAR TRADER.

From Liverpool to Charlottetown. The well known Clipper Bark "MOSELLE," R. RENDLE, Commander.

now on the berth, will sail from Liverpool for Charlottetown, On or about 1st APRIL NEXT.

Carrying Freight at through rates to Pictou, Georgetown, Souris, Summerside, and Sledonia. For Freight or Passage apply in London to John Pitcairn & Sons, 16 Great Winchester Street; E. C. in Liverpool to Pitcairn Bros., 51 South John Street, or here to the owners.

PEAKE BROS. & CO., Ch'town, Jan. 30 1886—6w eod