

Local and Other Items.

See Beer Bros bargain corner. For Drill—No. 1 Battery, G. A. will meet for drill this evening at eight o'clock, sharp. Engineers will meet for drill to-night.

Y. M. C. A. Bookkeeping Class, under Mr. L. B. Miller's instruction, begin a new set of books in single entry to-night.

BOYAVISTA—The steamer Bonavista will leave Montreal for Charlottetown and St. John's, Nfld., on Sunday next, the 7th inst.

TEA PARTY—We understand that a tea party will be held at Port Augustus on Dominion Day. A good time may be expected.

S. H. C.—Regular meeting of the Silby Company in their room this evening, at 8 o'clock, sharp. By order Jas. Hennessy, Sec'y.

ANDREW USHER'S SCOTCH WHISKIES are a blend of the oldest and finest Highland products. Selected with the greatest care and attention.

STILL THEY COME.—An Ottawa despatch says: Many immigrants are arriving in Manitoba from the Western States, and hundreds of head of settlers' cattle are quarantined at Regina.

SAILORES IN DEMAND.—The Halifax Herald says: "Able seamen are in demand in Halifax. Several captains within the last week have only succeeded in getting crews with difficulty. Wages are high, \$19 being offered to the West Indies."

DOG TAX.—All owners or keepers of dogs are hereby notified to pay their dog tax at the office of the clerk of the City Court at once. According to the city by-law this tax is due on 1st February in each year. At the expiration of one week all defaulters will be summoned according to law.

THOSE BONES.—Mr. Stephen Moore, of this city, claims that it was he and not Mr. Long who discovered the bones near Kensington range on Sunday. He said it was after he had seen and examined the bones that Mr. Long and his friend came up and found them.

THEY COME HIGH.—The New York Times estimates that wealthy American women have spent \$50,000,000 in the last twenty-five years in buying titled husbands in Europe. The Montreal Star, commenting on this fact, thinks "it would have been cheaper had some early McKinley provided for fostering the home manufacture of titles."

INFORMATION WANTED.—The Moncton Times says: Mail steamer, named at Charlottetown, P. E. I., the 14th of last October, was handed to the owner at Shediac, from the post office, May 1st, 1893. Truly some of our P. O. officials need waking up. It would be interesting to know just where the above spent the winter, at Charlottetown, Shediac or aboard the boat. It had been well kept.

FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.—The Toronto gold mining company is forwarding specimens of gold bearing quartz from their mine at Carleton Place for exhibition at the World's Fair. The specimens weigh 338 ounces and contain, on the estimate of mining experts, 49 ounces of gold. The gold is so finely distributed through the quartz that no particle of it is of more than one half penny-weight in weight. Experienced miners pronounce them to be the finest specimens of auriferous quartz ever placed on public exhibition.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the pain from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, 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. Lyr

A HARD TIME.—The St. John Sun's Dorchester correspondent writes: The schr. Geo. W. Luchner, of 428 tons register, commanded by Capt. Suttis, of Charlottetown, sailed from Santiago de Cuba March 1, bound to Delaware Breakwater for orders. The vessel experienced fine weather until in lat. 29, long. 73 30, when she encountered gales of wind from N. W. to N. E., blowing away sails to a large extent. The crew became exhausted from pumping, and had to put the vessel to the wind and get to the nearest southern port. On the 26th of March made the land ahead, which proved to be Caiques Island. The vessel leaking badly and straining, the crew were forced to put the boat adrift, and all hands were saved, although not much of their clothes. At the time when the boat was put adrift they were about nine miles from land and were about seven hours in the boat. The vessel was manned by foreigners, except Capt. Suttis and Mate Herbert Harris, of this town. Mr. Harris told the story to the Sun correspondent, and said after reaching Caiques Island he stayed there two days and an equal number of nights, after which he proceeded to Turk's Island, thence by steamer to New York.

Actions Speak Louder Than Words.

The value of an advertisement depends entirely upon the stock of goods back of it. This is why our ads are read.

We always have the goods we advertise, and for one bargain or novelty we mention in the paper we have twenty to show you when you visit our store.

The Mantle Department is still the centre of attraction. That last case of jackets seems to have put the finishing touch of perfection to it.

Never were so many garments, so many pretty styles, so many self-evident bargains shown together in this city before.

Remember that a fair idea of our stock can only be obtained by a personal call.

BEER BROS.

DRESS LENGTHS—Only one of a pattern. Only one each of the prettiest patterns our buyer could find.

WHIP CORDS.—Stylish, serviceable and inexpensive.

BEER BROS.

Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, May 4—10 a. m. Increasing cloudiness, followed by rain with strong winds and gales from east and north.

Another Unfriendly Act

ON THE PART OF UNCLE SAM TOWARDS CANADA.

Another case of unfriendly action on the part of the United States has just been brought to the attention of the Minister of Trade and Commerce. For a number of years past the tourist business to Alaska was carried on exclusively by United States vessels. The custom was to make Tacoma or Seattle the starting point, then call at Victoria, B. C., after which the vessel proceeded to Alaska. The vessels generally took the inside route, that is the water lying between Vancouver Island and the mainland of British Columbia, running into the mouths of rivers and bays off our coast for the purpose of allowing tourists to observe the different points of interest. Two years ago the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, the boats of which ply principally between Vancouver, Victoria and Sound ports, placed a fine steamer, the Islander, on the route between Victoria and Alaska. The venture has been a paying one, a large number of American artists preferring to make the trip in a splendidly equipped and modern Canadian vessel rather than in the older boats of the American line. Evidently the success which the Islander has met with has aroused the jealousy of the opposition company. Collector Milne, at Victoria, reports to Hon. Mr. Bowell that the collector of customs at Sitka has issued a notification that the Islander will this season not be allowed to visit the points of interest off the coast of Alaska, thus depriving the Islander of a privilege corresponding to that which the Americans have enjoyed in our waters for many years. The collector at Sitka states that he is acting on the authority of the Treasury Department at Washington. As there has been reciprocity in those matters for many years, Mr. Bowell has thought it well to communicate with Sir Julian Pauncefote, in order that he may ascertain whether the collector at Sitka is acting merely of his own whim or whether the order was issued from Washington. If the United States Government has really decided on prohibiting our vessels from coasting in Alaska waters, it would seem but reasonable on the part of the Canadian Government to withdraw the privilege which American vessels have hitherto enjoyed. In the event of the steamer of the American company being compelled to make the trip to Alaska by the outer route, that is passing along the west coast of Vancouver Island, it will practically ruin their business, as the rough water and the prospects of a mal de mer will be a great deterrent to tourists. The trip by the inside route is comparatively land locked water.

GREEN GOODS WANTED!

PROWSE BROTHERS want Greenbacks, Silver Notes, Merchants' Bank of Halifax Bills, Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island Bills, Bank of Nova Scotia Bills, or any other Bills that are good for which they are prepared, to give the very best value in Clothing, Hats, Carpets, House Furnishings, Gents' Furnishings, etc.

Wouldn't be Taken Alive.

TWO BROTHERS SUSPECTED OF BURGLARY DEFLY ARREST.

A rather sensational story comes from the island of Grand Manan. It seems that two brothers, named Dunbar, who were not of good character, were suspected of several acts of burglary at Castalia. They were supposed to have visited the place by boat, it being their native place, and to have carried off their booty to another neighborhood. One night they were seen at Castalia, and the people arose and went after them. They were eventually penned up on a point of land, where they stood at bay, refusing to be taken alive. After the brothers had opened fire on the populace, the shooting became general on both sides. George Dunbar received a charge of buckshot. The brothers finally broke and ran for their father's farm, where, after the fashion of Wilkes Booth, they defied the authorities. Eventually, however, George, believing himself mortally wounded, gave himself up. The other brother was found on Saturday. George is hardly expected to live.

Personal.

A. E. Mills, representing Geo. A. Pierce & Co., Boston, is on a business trip to this city. His many friends on the Island will be pleased to see him again.

Mrs. Frederic E. J. Lloyd and children left yesterday morning for Quebec, on a two months' visit to Mrs. Lloyd's parents.

The Moncton Transcript says: "Miss Emma Beer, of Charlottetown, is visiting at the residence of Rev. T. J. Deinhardt."

About twenty of the new shades of this season in women dress goods are beautifully draped in Beer Bros. north window. The shades of green, tans and grey are particularly dainty.

From north, south, east and west, people are flocking to D. A. Bruce's for clothing, hats and furnishings. The prices are away down. Just think, beautiful suits made to order from \$10.95 up.

Our men's and boys' clothing is selling fast. Pronounced the best-fitting and cheapest in the city. Try us for clothing.—J. B. Macdonald & Co.

Something 'new in ladies' boots. Call and see us, and we divulge the secret.—Dominion Boot and Shoe Store.

Another lot of gents' shirts, collars and ties just opened. See this lot selling so cheap at J. B. Macdonald & Co's.

Ladies' cloth gaiters, in drab, black and brown, very nice-fitting, just received by R. K. Jost, Stamper's Corner. may 3 1w

DIED.

At his residence, Portland, Oregon, on the 1st of May, after a lingering illness of six months, C. D. McLaine, youngest and beloved son of John A. and Margaret McLaine, aged 33 years.

(Other papers please copy.)

TO LET—A house pleasantly situated on Hillsborough Square, containing ten rooms; stable in the rear. Apply to Mrs. LOWDEN, Dundas Esplanade. tf-may 4

WANTED—A maid servant. Apply to Mrs. J. B. MACDONALD, Dorchester Street. may 4-11

LOST—A case containing a pair of double lensed, gold-rimmed Spectacles. The glasses having been specially adjusted to my eyes, would be of little use to another but of great service to me. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving at this office, or at my residence, 211 King Street.—J. A. GORDON. ap28

TO LET—Having fitted up my four-roomed house on Edward Street (partially destroyed last year by fire) in first-class condition, it is now ready for occupancy. Apply to WALTER LOWE, Kent Street East. t t s tf ap 2

TO LET—Eastern half of a house on Fitzroy Street, near Hillsborough Street, containing four rooms. Immediate possession. Rent moderate. Apply on the premises, or to H. J. SEVER, near Beer Bros'. feb 9 - t t s f ap 28

OUR SPECIALTIES! Clothing, Hats, Carpets, Furnishings.

PROWSE BROTHERS.

Charlottetown, April 29, 1893.

Would you Like to go Shopping in MONTREAL

COLONIAL HOUSE, PHILLIPS SQUARE, MONTREAL

Special Attention given to Mail Orders

Dry Goods, Carpets, Curtains, Furniture, China and Glass-ware, Kitchen Utensils, Silverware, Lamps, Japanese Goods, Ladies' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers, Mantles and Millinery.

Full Stocks in each department. Trial orders solicited. HENRY MORGAN & CO., MONTREAL. feb 9 - t t s f

REDEEM IT.

Redeem what you have lost by not giving us your trade sooner.

GET BACK

some of your hard-earned dollars. Don't be foolish always, "There is a tide in the affairs of men which, taken at the flood," leads on

TO PROSPERITY.

If you want the road which leads to it, come right now. Be wise; call and see our immense display of new Tweeds, Worsteds and Serges for Suits and Overcoats. Shirts, Ties, Collars, Hosiery and Underwear, great value. Every purchaser of a Hat can have the same fitted perfectly to his head free of charge by our new hat conforming machine. Don't wait until everybody else has had their choice. The stock is all bright, new and fresh, and the prices are so very low that you will be astonished. Believe our story, and let us see your beaming countenance across our threshold.

D. A. BRUCE, LEADING CLOTHIER.

Charlottetown, May 4, 1893.

EVERYBODY

intending to paint their Dwellings or Outbuildings will find it in their interest to purchase their Paints, Oils, Metallic Oxide, Ochre, Whiting, Kalsomine, Varnishes and Brushes at W. E. DAWSON'S.

BUILDERS' HARDWARE a specialty.

Charlottetown, May 5, 1893—m w f & wky

J. B. MACDONALD & CO.

Have opened an entire new stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing, Men's and Boys' Hats, White and Colored Shirts, Flannelettes, and all the newest makes in Men's Colored Shirts. In our Unlaundered Shirts for 45c., and our White Laundered Shirt for 50c., we have best value in town. 30 dozen Gents' New Spring Ties, 20 dozen Colored Silk Handkerchiefs, lot of New Print, Grey and White Cottons, Cottonades, etc.,—the very best value obtainable. Rooms over the Dominion Boot and Shoe Store.

THE DOMINION BOOT & SHOE STORE

Always Leads with the Choicest Stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Boots, Shoes and Slippers.

We are daily receiving our New Spring Goods, and can sell you the very best goods for the least money of any house in the trade. Always buy of us and you will save money.

J. B. MACDONALD & CO., WEST SIDE QUEEN STREET.

Charlottetown, April 11, 1893—eod & wky

NEW GOODS!

Now on hand, a complete assortment in 1 departments of Spring and Summer Goods.

DRESS GOODS.

This department is filled with a perfectly fresh new stock, in the newest and most stylish fabrics, including Whip Cords, Hopsacks, Tweeds, Serges, French Delaines, etc., in a large variety of shades.

LADIES' CAPES.

A large variety. We are giving special value in this department.

We want your trade, and if low prices and good satisfaction will serve the purpose we will get it. Call and examine our stock. All goods marked in plain figures.

MOORE & McLEOD, Successors to Perkins & Sterns.

Charlottetown, April 25, 1893—eod & wky