

Local and Other Items.

The trial of the supposed tramp has been further adjourned until Monday.

Capt. M. McDonald, of the firm of McDonald & Westway, is in the city. He is staying at the Osborne.

REMEMBER the Bible Class in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor, this evening, at eight o'clock. Lesson: The Temptation, Matt. 4, 1-11.

The Italian Government has determined to offer, on the occasion of opening the Turin Exhibition, a prize of 10,000 francs for the most practical process for the transmission of electricity.

At N. J. Campbell's trade sale, on Wednesday next, at eleven o'clock, one magnificent Excelsior Organ—5 stops and 2 full sets of reeds—manufacturer's catalogue price \$130.00, will be knocked down to the highest bidder therefor.

The Keeper's Benefit at the Rink last night was largely attended by skaters and promenaders, and was financially and otherwise a grand success. The amount realized was \$35.75. Mr. Praught tenders his thanks to the members of the City Band and the public for their attendance.

The Summerside Journal issued an extra yesterday containing the salient points of the correspondence between the Government of this Province and the Dominion Government, relating to the "piers question." The enterprise of the Journal is commendable, and cannot but reap a rich reward and receive the thanks of its numerous intelligent readers.

ELECTRICITY and Magnetism when properly passed into the blood, brain and nerves produce the most wonderful effects. We are told that these elements are perfectly blended in the medicine known as Mack's Magnetic Medicine, advertised in another column, and the good which has resulted from its use cannot be computed in dollars and cents.

A MAN by name McLean was drowned, last evening, while crossing a brook near Elliott Station. It appears that a bridge having been carried away by the freshet, he was attempting to cross on a round log, which rolled and threw him in the water. As the stream was only three feet deep, it seems strange that he should have drowned. A coroner's inquest was held this forenoon, but we have not heard the verdict.

The Board of License Commissioners for Queen's County met to-day for the purpose of considering the applications received by the Inspector for Licenses under the "License Act 1883." No business was transacted owing to the absence of Sheriff Longworth who was attending the funeral of one of the family. The Board adjourned until next Monday when the applications will be considered. We notice by the St. John papers that the settings of the Commissioners of that city were open to the public.

The Summerside Journal, commenting on the doing of the Legislative Council, alludes to the usher of the black rod taking his case in a spacious and well cushioned chair. It seems, however, that the present usher Mr. Lawson, for some unknown cause, is compelled to perform his onerous duties on a common cane bottom chair. This the "usher" considers a personal insult, which must in some constitutional way be dealt with. The matter of privilege is left to the Alberton Councillor who will bring the matter before their Honors of the Upper Chamber, to be dealt with as their "Honors" in their wisdom may deem just. Meanwhile the Usher occupies the cane seated chair.

When Guitau was sentenced he exclaimed: "God will punish you for this!" Some one thinks it singular, if not significant, that Cookhill, the District Attorney, should be out of his office, one of his associate counsel being a common drunkard; that two of the jurymen are dead and two have failed in business; that three medical experts who testified to his insanity are dead and one insane; and the chemist who discovered the poison in the bouquet which Mrs. Scoville sent to her brother on the day of his execution has become insane. If, as Cook maintains, Guitau was a tool in the Star Route knavery, this view of the effect of his malversations will be a great comfort to them. For not only have they succeeded in escaping all punishment, but are becoming influential in the party, while those who prosecuted them have been snubbed.

The capture of a thief under very exceptional circumstances is reported from Paris. He contrived to gain admission into a set of chambers during the absence of the lawful occupant, and proceeded to lay hands on everything of value he could find. In the midst of this operation it occurred to him that his wardrobe was in urgent need of renewal, and he, therefore, took off his clothes with a view of replacing them by others he found in the room. Scarcely, however, had he reduced himself to the garb of primitive man, when he heard a step outside and promptly hid himself under the bed. Some one entered the room, and the thief lay noiselessly for several minutes. At length the new-comer departed, and he ventured to leave his hiding-place. But, much to his disgust, he discovered that the visitor had been a gentleman in his own way of business, for not only was everything in the chambers carried off, but even his own suit of clothes had disappeared! He was, therefore, compelled to await the return of the owner of the property, who, at once, handed him over to the police.

MR. McLEAN, the Minister of Marine and Fisheries has introduced into the House of Commons an Act to amend "the Act respecting Certificates of Masters and Mates of Ships," and "The Seamen's Act, 1873." The amendment introduced by Mr. McLean is as follows: "The Act first cited in the title of this Act is further amended by adding the following provision to the seventh section thereof: 'And if the master of any ship, after having produced to the collector or other officer of the Customs in Canada to whom he applies for a clearance, a certificate of competency or service required to be possessed by the first or only mate of such ship, and having obtained his clearance by representing that the person possessing such certificate is engaged as first or only mate of the said ship for the voyage for which the clearance is obtained, afterwards proceeds to sea without having the said person or some other duly certificated mate, on board as first or only mate, such master shall thereby incur a penalty of one hundred dollars; and any person who knowingly allows his certificate as mate to be produced as aforesaid, and does not proceed to sea with such ship as first or only mate on the voyage for which the clearance is obtained, or otherwise wilfully aids the master in his offence against this Act, shall by so doing incur a like penalty; and the certificate of any master or mate offending against this enactment, may, if issued under Canadian authority, be suspended by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries for a period not exceeding twelve months.'

Valuable Property FOR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for sale the business premises known as "33" QUEEN STREET. The building is large and commodious, running back from Queen Street eighty-three feet; and the stand is unsurpassed. Terms easy.

Hay Presses For Sale. 1 Dedrick Perpetual Hay Press, Bales 14x18 inches, 4 to 4 feet long. 1 Railroad Hay Press, Bales 2 feet square by 4 feet long. Enquire at Merchants Bank of P. E. Island. W. McLEAN, Cashier. Ch'town, March 14, 1884.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Sudden Death of Prince Leopold.

LONDON, March 28. Prince Leopold, Duke of Albany, fourth and youngest son of Queen Victoria, died suddenly at Cannes to-day. The Queen is profoundly affected by the death of Prince Leopold. The Prince died in a fit, as he was starting for Darmstadt to attend the wedding of his niece Princess Victoria of Hesse. The residence of the Prince of Wales is besieged by people calling to express condolence. The Duke of Albany had been looking in good health previous to his death. The Duchess of Albany is at Claremont.

Announcing the Prince's Death in the House of Commons.

OTTAWA, March 28. Gladstone is much affected by the Duke of Albany's death. The Marquis of Hartington, Secretary of State, announced the death in the Commons, and gave notice that on Monday he would move an address of condolence. A despatch from Cannes states that the Duke of Albany's death was due to the effects of a fall, which he met with last evening.

Local Taxation.

LONDON, March 28. In the House of Commons, Bell (Conservative) moved a resolution in favor of the relief of local taxation. The Government opposed the resolution, which, however, was carried 208 to 197. The result was greeted with loud Conservative cheers and cries of "resign."

Sympathy for the Queen.

OTTAWA, March 28. Much sympathy is felt and expressed here for the Queen in her affliction. In consequence of the sad news, the dinner at Government House, on Saturday, will not take place.

A Fire.

OTTAWA, March 28. Fire broke out in Hon. Mr. Chapleau's house at six o'clock this evening doing considerable damage before being put out.

British Troops Returning Home.

SUAKIM, March 28. The 10th Hussars, York and Lancashire Regiment, and Irish Fusiliers have embarked for home.

Barnum's White Elephant.

NEW YORK, March 28. Barnum's sacred white elephant arrived here safely to-day.

Dominion Political Notes.

OTTAWA, March 28. After routine Mr. Blaks asked what measures were to be brought up from now till the end of the Session. Sir John said the House was evidently determined to prorogue by Easter, and the Government would consult the wishes of the members in than respect. Accordingly the franchise bill will be withdrawn.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, March 29—10 a. m. Maritime moderate to fresh north to west winds, cloudy to fair weather, not much change in temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Charlottetown, 29th March, 1884.

Highest temperature yesterday, 41.0. Lowest temperature (read at midnight), 32.3. Lowest temperature this morning, 31.3. Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock, 33.9. Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock, 37.0.

JOE ABBOT, President of the Dominion Bridge Company, has awarded sub-contracts to Fleming & Sons, for the manufacture of all the material for the iron trestle along the wharves of the St. John bridge and railway extension. The erection of the main bridge will be commenced about the first of July.

DIED.

At Cherry Valley, Lot 50, on February 26th, Susan Jane, the beloved wife of William H. Irving, in the 29th year of her age.

MOLASSES.

50 PUNS. CHOICE MOLASSES, on consignment, for sale at a bargain.

A. H. B. MACGOWAN, AGENT. Ch'town, March 12, 1884.—cod 2w

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SPRING GOODS, SPRING GOODS

Perkins & Sterns

Ask Special attention to their Stock of the following Goods, which are, beyond question, as good value as can be found:

- 550 Pieces Grey Cottons, 280 Pieces White Cottons, 300 Pieces Print Cottons.

English, Canadian and American Knitting Cotton, A good Stock of Canadian and American Corsets. Black French Merinoes, Black Nun's Velling, Black Cashmeres, Black Persian Cord. A FULL LINE OF MOURNING GOODS.

Table Linens, Towels, Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Room Paper. Rugs, Mats, Carpets, Oil Cloths, etc., all standard Goods, and prices low.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Feb. 26, 1884.

INSURANCE. UNDOUBTED SECURITY.

THE undersigned represents the following FIRST-CLASS COMPANIES and is prepared to cover property of every description at LOWEST RATES:

English Fire Companies. Northern Assurance Company, of London and Aberdeen. CAPITAL, FIFTEEN MILLION DOLLARS.

The Fire Insurance Association, of London, CAPITAL, FIVE MILLION DOLLARS.

The Glasgow and London Fire Insurance Company, CAPITAL, TWO AND A HALF MILLION DOLLARS.

MARINE. LIFE.

The Great Western Marine Insurance Co., of New York, Assets 1st January, 1884, \$990,892.74. Sterling certificates issued payable in England or on the Continent of Europe. Cargoes and freights covered without reference to head office.

The Nova Scotia Marine Insurance Association, of Halifax. Hulls, Cargoes, and Freights covered at lowest rates.

LIFE.

The London and Lancashire Life Insurance Company. The North American Life Insurance Company.

Rates lower than the majority of offices. FRED. W. HYNDMAN. Charlottetown, Feb. 2, 1884.—oaw sat 3m. pat.

W. & A. BROWN & CO. HAVE

RESUMED BUSINESS

FOR THE PRESENT, IN THE Store formerly occupied by H. A. Harvie, QUEEN STREET, NEARLY OPPOSITE WATSON'S DRUG STORE.

Ch'town, March 6, 1884.—dy wkly

WANTED. WANTED.

500 CARPENTERS and Workmen will be wanted to build up the burnt part of Charlottetown, and to buy their

BOOTS AND SHOES AT DORSEY, GOFF & CO'S.

READ THIS. We are now prepared to accommodate each and every person on the Island with a good pair of Solid Leather Boots, at the lowest price. The style, quality and fit of our work can't be beat. Come and see for yourself.

Sole Leather, Wholesale and Retail. DORSEY, GOFF & CO. Ch'town, March 12, 1884.—uddwky

Ground Bones.

THE undersigned will be prepared to supply pure ground bones, of all sizes, and in large or small quantities, to farmers and others about 1st April.

Highest Cash Price paid for Old Bones.

J. W. MCGILL. Ch'town, March 14—cod 2m pat cod 2m sj 2m

FOR SALE OR TO LET,

LATE ALLAN McNEILL'S HOME-STEAD, in Royalty, fronting on Malpeque Road, containing about eighteen acres, with Dwelling House and Barns. Enquire at office of PALMER & McLEOD. Ch'town, March 12—w cod ne 2w

TRADE SALE.

THE Subscriber will sell by AUCTION, at his Auction Room, corner of Queen and Water Streets, on

Wednesday, the 2nd April next AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK, A. M.,

Molasses, Sugar, Herring, Tea, PAPER BAGS, WRAPPING PAPER, Brooms, Nutmegs, Cloves and General Groceries.

ALSO, BOOTS AND SHOES, DRY GOODS, &c.

Terms at Sale. N. J. CAMPBELL, Auctioneers. Ch'town, March 20, 1884.

J. A. CHIPMAN & CO.

Are Offering ex Warehouse, 400 brls. Medium and High Grade Patents (American and Canadian), 125 brls. Low Grade Bakers.

OFFICE OPPOSITE RANKIN HOUSE.

N. B.—We are now prepared to receive orders for Spring Importation—Flour, Cornmeal, etc. Also, parties having Oats or Malt-Berley for sale would do well to call.

J. F. SHATFORD, Agent. Ch'town, March 13.

Executors' Notice.

WE, the undersigned, executors of the last will and testament of the late Alexander Simpson, of Hope River, in Queen's County, deceased, hereby notify all parties indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Also, all parties having legal demands against said estate to present them, duly attested to, within twelve calendar months from date.

ALBERT SIMPSON, JOHN SIMPSON, Jr., Executors. Hope River, January 18th, 1884. (mar 13 4w wkly 4i

WHITE RUSSIAN SEED WHEAT.

THE best producer yet tried on the Island. Call and examine and see testimonial at my Furniture Store, J. D. McLeod's corner.

JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, March 8.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

LOST—On March 2nd, between Brighton Road and Zion Church, a Gold Bracelet, set with one Garnet. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. (mar 28

WANTED—Two Servant Girls—one for general housework, the other for nurse. Liberal wages will be given. Apply at this office. (mar 27

ON guaranteed salaries—with Commission—our first-class positions for men of good address.—BRADLEY, GARRETT & Co., Order Department, St. John, N. B. (mar 27 dy wkly tf

TO LET—On the St. Peter's Road, half a mile from the city, a neat, well finished Cottage, with half an acre of land attached. Pleasantly situated. Formerly occupied by Mr. Cook. Apply to Hector McLeod, St. Peter's Road, East Royalty. (mar 27

WANTED—Several Ladies and Gentlemen to study Telegraphy, with a Commercial Training. Term will commence on April 1st. Apply at once to M. B. McINNIS, Rooklin House. (mar 26

LOST—A Red and Black WOOLLEN MITT. The finder will oblige by leaving it at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. (mar 26

TO LET—A Cottage pleasantly situated on Grafton Street, opposite the Prince of Wales College. Apply to Wm. McLEAN, at Merchants Bank of P. E. Island. (mar 22

WANTED—A Man, or Boy, who understands the care of horses, to work about a house. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. (mar 22

WANTED—A Cook and a Housemaid, to whom high wages will be paid. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. (mar 22

A COOK WANTED IMMEDIATELY, for a Hotel. Good wages. Apply at this office. (mar 19

FOR SALE—A large fire-proof SAFE (nearly new). Apply at A. McNeill's Auction Room. (mar 14 if

OFFICE SAFE—Will be sold at a bargain if applied for at once. Enquire at this office. (mar 14

THE Parties having in their possession a set of new Driving Harness, taken from the fire of the 20th February, will oblige by returning them to the subscriber without further notice.—JOHN NEWSON. (mar 14

FOR SALE,

A SPLENDID SUIT of Drawing Room Furniture, little used, will be sold for half-price. Rare chance. Apply at this office. Ch'town, March 21.

Lord's Wharf Property.

THE undersigned will receive SEALED TENDERS, up to the 31st March, inst., from parties desirous of renting the above Wharf, with Warehouses, Coal Sheds, Weighing Machine and Office, for a term of from one year to five years. Particulars can be obtained from Mr. David Stirling, Architect, etc. J. HAMILTON GRAY, Trustee. DAVID STIRLING, Ch'town, March 20, 1884.

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 8.

FOR SALE,

THE Old Baptist Church Property, on Great George Street, next to premises lately occupied by the Bank of P. E. Island. For terms of sale and other particulars apply to F. H. ARNAUD, Agent, Merchants Bank of Halifax. March 1, 1884.

COLD MEDAL-PARIS 1873-

JOSEPH GILLOTT'S STEEL PENS SOLD BY ALL STATIONERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

TO LET,

THE RAILWAY HOUSE, situated on Richmond Street, near London House. Also a shop adjoining, 16x30 feet. Apply to THOMAS CAMPBELL. Ch'town, Feb. 23, 1884.—if

MORTGAGE SALE.

TO be sold by Public Auction, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of May next, A. D. 1884, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon,

ALL that tract, piece and parcel of land, hereditaments and premises, situate, lying and being in the City of Charlottetown, in the said Island, being part and parcel of Town Lot Number (92) ninety-two, in the fourth hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, aforesaid, having a front of forty-six feet on Cumberland Street, and being eighty-four feet (84 feet) in depth back from said street, and bounded on the southeast by Joseph Maher's land, formerly James Hancock's, and on the northwest by the lands now in possession of Widow Brothers, and extending back from said street by parallel lines at right angles with said street.

The above sale is made pursuant to a Power of Sale, contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the twenty-first day of November, A. D. 1877, made between Michael Welsh and Elizabeth, his wife, of the one part, and Barbara O'Halloran, of the other part, which Mortgage has been duly assigned to the undersigned.

For further particulars apply to Mr. Edward J. Hodgson, Solicitor, Charlottetown. Dated this fourteenth day of March, A. D. 1884.

RICHARD HEARTZ, Assignee of Mortgage. March 14—3aw tl sale

JOB PRINTING of every description executed with Neatness and Despatch at the EXAMINER JOB PRINTING ROOMS, cor. Water and Great George Street.