

Local and Other Items.

ISLAND STRAWBERRIES and CREAM at W. F. CARTER'S.

MR. J. CUDLIP, Inspector of Customs, is now in this city.

A MEETING of the Law Society was held to-day. There was a large number of lawyers in attendance.

A SMALL quantity of strawberries were for sale in the market to-day. They commanded an exorbitant price.

THE market to-day was not so large as it has been for the last two months. Prices were the same as on Friday last.

A LOT of FLOOR OILCLOTH, Carpets and Cocoa Matting will be sold low.
June 18—1w J. & W. BEER.

DOCTOR WARNER'S Health Corsets, and other approved makes, just opened at W. A. Weeks & Co's.
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SINGLE AND DOUBLE—Flock Beds and Bolsters, a first rate cheap summer bed and good substitute for feathers.
J. & W. BEER.

THE first halibut of the season was caught at Rustico yesterday by a fisherman of that place. It weighed sixty-five pounds, and was purchased at Hall's Fish Store to-day.

A FIRST-CLASS musical entertainment will be given by the pupils of the Convent de Notre Dame, in the Convent Hall, to-morrow evening. We would advise all lovers of music to attend.

REMEMBER the Grand Temperance Demonstration and Public Tea, at Victoria Park, on Monday, 1st July. Should the weather prove unfavorable, it will take place the first fine day after.

At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court, the forenoon, Colin R. Livingston was fined \$3 and costs, or 14 days, for being drunk and incapable; Edward Tobey, for the same offence, was fined 2 and costs, or 8 days.

OIL PAINTINGS.—This evening at 7½ will positively close the sale. All the best paintings that arrived yesterday will be sold to-night; and all paintings sold, and uncalled for, will be resold or packed without further notice.—A. McNeill, Auctioneer.

We would call our readers attention to the extensive sale of Building and Pasture Lots on the Mount Edward and St. Peter's Roads, which takes place to-morrow at 11 o'clock. The well-known suburban Estate—"St. Avard's"—has been divided into Forty-Three Handsome Building Lots, comprising some of the most eligible building sites in the neighborhood of the city. On the following day—Thursday—a portion of Mr. J. C. Pope's valuable herd of well-bred Cattle will be sold at the Kensington Brewery Stables (see description of stock in the advertisements and handbills.) Such an opportunity as this, to secure fine, well-bred cattle seldom occurs, and we hope will be taken due advantage of by our enterprising farmers and cattle dealers.

VAUGHAN'S BURIAL.—The body of Wm. Vaughan did not remain long out of the grave, after he was officially pronounced lifeless. Within half an hour after the execution the remains were taken in an express wagon, in the charge of Constables McPherson and Hancock, to the Methodist Burying Ground. The only mourners were the deceased's brother and nephew; and previous to the interment the coffin plate was given to the brother, who requested its possession. No ceremony or funeral service was observed in this last disposal of the executed murderer. In one hour and a quarter Vaughan lived in the full enjoyment of health, was hanged and buried. Mrs. Vaughan was not present.—St. John Freeman.

It is apparent that a reform is needed in connection with our Postal Service. At present we have two trains to and from Souris and Georgetown, but only one mail. This inconvenience is very much felt, especially by our business men. Take, for example: A letter is received in this city at 7 p. m. which requires immediate attention at either the Bank or some public office. As those institutions are closed and the mail train leaves in the morning before such places are opened, a whole day is lost. If a mail was despatched on the afternoon as well as the morning train this difficulty would be overcome, and letters which would be received at 11 a. m. could be answered by the train which leaves at 3.40 p. m. We call the attention of our energetic Post Office Inspector to this matter.

THE return shooting match between Matthew Allen and James Dover took place at Kensington yesterday. The following are the scores:—

FIRST MATCH.			
J. Dover.			
200	400	500	Total.
2552545=28	3555243=27	2243554=25	80
M. Allen.			
2230445=20	5323255=25	3520002=12	57
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SECOND MATCH.			
J. Dover.			
200	400	Total	
J. Dover—2424355=25	4235533=25	50	
W. Allen—224432=19	2252225=20	39	
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THE Trinity Term of the Supreme Court commenced in this city to-day, Chief Justice Palmer and Judge Hensley, presiding. The criminal calendar is light this time—their being but three larcenies—one for receiving stolen goods; one for assault, and one for an attempt to extort money. There are very few civil cases to be tried, outside of seventeen remanded cases, which were for trial at the last session. The following gentlemen comprise the Grand Jury:—
John Caven, Esq., foreman; George W.

McMillan, James DesBrisay, George O'Neill, Joseph B. McDonald, Samuel Hyde, David McEwen, Henry A. Holl, Alex. Scott, Robert Jones, Norman Campbell, John P. Tanton, Charles Full, James Kelly, Andrew Stephenson, Henry McLeod, Edward Henry, Samuel Drake and Charles Hyndman, Esqrs.

NATIONAL DIVISION.—The 34th Annual Session of the National Division, Sons of Temperance, of North America, assembled in Buffalo, New York, (a city of 140,000 inhabitants), on Tuesday afternoon, June 18. Twenty-one jurisdictions were represented by 91 representatives. The representatives from Prince Edward were Rev. D. Fitzgerald, P. G. W. P., and J. J. Chappell, G. W. P. On Wednesday the National Division accepted an invitation from the Grand Division of Western New York to attend an Excursion and Picnic at the Niagara Falls. The officers of the National Division for the ensuing two years have been elected as follows:—

- Most W. P.—G. W. Ross, M. P., Ontario.
- W. A.—J. R. Bloomfield, Wisconsin.
- W. Scribe.—S. W. Hodges, Massachusetts.
- W. T.—W. A. Duff, Pennsylvania.
- W. Ch.—Rev. L. J. Fletcher, New York.
- W. C.—L. A. Downs, Ohio.
- W. Sent.—J. J. Chappell, P. E. I.
- P. M. W. P.—Gen. L. Wagner, Philadelphia.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

(Special Despatch to Examiner.)

LONDON, June 24.

A Belgrade despatch says: "It is evident that the Russians and Servians are preparing for the defence of Kladova and the Biza Palanka line, which affords protection to the route from Roumania to old Servia.

The Post's Berlin correspondent hears, from trustworthy sources, that a military compromise between Russia and Turkey is imminent.

The Russians will concentrate around Adrianople and the Turks will evacuate Shuula, retiring to Varna, and there embark for Roumelia.

BERLIN, June 24.

There is reason to believe that the next sitting of Congress will not be held until Thursday, so that the Plenipotentiaries may have time for further negotiations.

VIENNA, June 26.

The Politicaliste correspondent says, that the Bulgarian question once solved, the discussion on other points is likely to be accelerated in deference to the wishes of Germany, for the speedy close of Congress.

OTTAWA, June 26.

A large and influential meeting of the Reformers of Frontenac was held at Kingston on Saturday, when Martin Strachan was nominated for the House of Commons, and Thomas Dawson for the Local Legislature, by a unanimous vote.

It is intended to get up subscriptions throughout Ontario for the presentation of a homestead to Hanlan.

The Murderer's Confession.

Below we give the confession prepared from statements made by Vaughan, the St. John murderer, read over to him some days ago, and declared by him to be correct:—

JAIL, CITY AND COUNTY OF ST. JOHN, 17th June, 1878.

Wm. Vaughan, a prisoner in the Jail under sentence of death, is informed by the Sheriff that there will be no commutation of his sentence, and that he must pay the last penalty of the law, and he then says he is desirous of making a statement of the facts connected with the crime; and in presence of Rev. Messrs. Parsons and Hartley and the Sheriff, states that on the morning of the 13th February last he left home between six and seven o'clock, with no particular object in view, and after taking three glasses of liquor on his way through Portland, thought he would go and see Higgins to get some work, and went out the road in that direction. He does not recollect meeting many parties on the road. When he got to Crowley's house, he went in and saw Mrs. Quinn standing up. He sat down by the stove and she came and sat alongside of him. He had a lunch in his pocket and they went and sat down by a table. He thinks they sat together. He then got up and staggered to a chair near the front of the stove and she came and sat alongside of him. He put his arm round her neck and evil thoughts came into his head, but none of killing her. She resisted his attempt. She did not hallo. She said "I know you; I will make this a dear job for you. I will make you dearly pay for this,"—meaning his attempts on her. He got her on the floor, she holding him by the neck, and then the scratches on the body was made. He then raised a stick of firewood lying by the stove, and struck her a blow on the head, it might be twice or thrice. He thinks she then became insensible. He did not know, but he must have used the axe, striking her twice or more times. She must have been dead then, and he stopped or staggered with one knee on the floor, and his trousers became clotted with blood. Her clothes were up when he struck her with the axe. He then revolved from the scene and left the house. He denies most positively having any connection with her. He noticed the blood on his knee going up Gilbert's Lane, and washed it off with snow. He did the deed, and is willing to die for it. All his trouble has come upon him from the free use of liquor, and he trusts his punishment may be a warning to all others to abstain from its use in any way. These statements are carefully read over to Vaughan, and the prisoner says they are correct.

(Signed), J. T. PARSONS.
G. A. HARTLEY.

DR. H. A. PARKER,
SURGEON DENTIST,

(LATE OF OTTAWA).
OFFICE . . . OVER APOTHECARIES' HALL.
Office Hours: 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.
Ch'town, June 3, 1878—2aw

COMMERCIAL.

We very much regret to learn that the enterprising firm of Hyndman Bros., of this city, have found it necessary to call a meeting of their creditors. Mr. P. W. Hyndman, the senior member of the firm, has been for the past twenty-five years one of our most energetic, hardworking and active business men; and Mr. F. W. Hyndman, after serving fourteen years in the British Navy, with credit to himself, accepted his retirement a few years since, and embarked the whole of the commutation money in the business, occupying the position of junior partner. Our sympathies are enlisted on behalf of these gentlemen, on account of their uniform steady attention to business, the activity and enterprise they have shown, and from the fact that their present embarrassments—which we trust are only of a temporary character—have not arisen from any incautious private expenditure, but are attributable solely to a multiplicity of severe losses in the legitimate pursuit of their business, to the many failures among their debtors, to the depreciation in the value of shipping and real estate, and to the general monetary pressure in commercial circles. A loss of many thousand dollars was last year incurred by this firm, together with other losses, in the attempt to open a market in Great Britain for our Island potatoes. When we consider the fact that two of our Banks owe their origin to the indomitable perseverance of Mr. P. W. Hyndman, specially, and that the firm have interested themselves in the promotion of almost every enterprise which has been undertaken for years past, with a view to develop the resources of the Province, we express confidence that men of such energy and ability will meet with every consideration; and we do trust that all reasonable facilities will be afforded them to continue a business which has been of such general utility, and we hope with more favorable results to themselves.

Enjoy Life.

What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means for enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof that Green's August Flower will make them as free from disease as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct cause of seventy-five per cent. of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the Head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents. Try it.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

- RANKIN HOUSE.
June 24—J. W. Cudlip, St. John; J. W. Binney, Moncton; James McDonald, Montreal.
- OSBORNE HOUSE.
June 24—James E. McDonald, Cardigan.
- REVERE HOUSE.
June 24—George K. Scott, Montreal; D. Montgomery, Summerside, S. Cameron, Pictou.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

- PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.
- ENTERED.
June 25.—Schr. Tory, Pugwash, limestone; Gulf Ranger, Pictou, coal; Margaret Jane, Sydney, coal; Cameleon, Tatmagouche, scantling and boards.
- CLEARED.
June 25.—Schr. Jessie, Anticosti, salt; str. Alpha, Pictou, ballast; schr. Gulf Ranger, Pictou, ballast; Ranger, Cascumpe, salt.

BANKRUPT STOCK AT AUCTION.

We will Sell, on
Tuesday, the 23rd July,

AT TEN O'CLOCK, A. M.,

At the Premises Occupied by R. H. Crawford, Esq., Tryon,

All his Stock in Trade, consisting of a well selected lot of Goods, for a country Store, viz:

- Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Rubber Goods, Trimmings, Muslins, Grey and White Cottons, Dress Goods, Millinery, Shawls, Jackets, Table Covering, Stockings, Handkerchiefs, Neckties, Collars, Tea, Sugar, Confectionery, Pepper, Ginger, Tobacco, Soaps, Kerosene Oil, Rope, Washing Soda, Crockeryware, Shop Furniture, Stove and Pipe, Scale, Show Case, Measures, &c., &c.

STABLE STOCK—1 Horse, 1 Cow, 2 Jaunting Sleighs, 1 Truck Wagon, 1 Driving Wagon, 2 sets Wagon Harness, etc., etc.

ALSO, AT 12 O'CLOCK:

THE BUSINESS STAND,

Containing about THREE QUARTER ACRES OF LAND, on which is an excellent 2 STORY BUILDING (Dwelling and Store) all in good repair.

TERMS—Under \$50, cash; over \$50, four months.
TERMS FOR PREMISES. 20 per cent. to be paid at time of purchase; 20 per cent. on 1st December, 1878; 60 per cent. 1st Dec., 1879.

Carvell Bros.,
ASSIGNEES.

Ch'town, June 22, 1878—e o d j sw pat to sale

POSTPONED!

MASONIC PICNIC at Hunter River is postponed till **Wednesday, the 26th inst.** Train will leave at 10 a. m.
JAS. McKECHNIE, Sec'y.
Ch'town, June 24—pat

Great Attractions

—TO—

CASH BUYERS

—AT THE—

London House

—IN THE—

RETAIL DEPARTMENT.

Owing to the extreme depression of trade in the Old Country, our Stock has been laid in by personal selection, at extraordinary Low Prices, enabling us to offer goods in the following departments at a much cheaper rate than heretofore.

- Fancy Dress Goods Department do.,
- Mourning do.,
- Prints and White } do.,
- and Grey Calico } do.,
- Costume Linen do.,
- Galatea & Grass Cloth do.,

All the Novelties for the Season in the Show Room.

A most Attractive Assortment.

In the Gentlemen's Furnishing Department.

English, Scotch and Canadian Tweeds, Black and Blue Worsted Coatings, Scotch Suitings, Black and Blue Broads and Does, Blue Serges, White and Fancy Shirts.

SUITS and SINGLE GARMENTS made up on the premises, at the shortest notice and in the best styles.

In the Ready-Made Department.

A full range of Men's Clothing. A special lot of Boys' Suits, Men's White and Fancy Marseilles Vests—many of them at half their actual value. A splendid assortment of

Gentlemen's Hats,

Silk, Drab Shell, Felt, Straw and Linen.

—IN THE—

House Furnishing Department.

A choice selection of Carpets, Oil-cloths, Mattings, Damasks, Repps, Cretonnes, Lace, Muslin and Leno Curtains; Window Holland, Sheetings and Pillow Cotton; a lot of Colored Alhambra and White Marseilles Toilet Quilts, slightly soiled—at about half price.

A Choice Assortment of English GROCERIES.

Parties from the country will save their railway fare in the purchase of a small parcel.
GEO. DAVIES & CO.
May 25, 1878—

AUCTION SALES.

Dry Pine Lumber & Flooring, Sashes & Frames, Doors, Moulding, &c.

I AM instructed by the Executors of the late Mr. JOHN WALSH, to Sell at AUCTION, at the Lumber Yard, on Pownall Street (near Water Street), On Friday, the 28th inst., AT 6 O'CLOCK,

- 6,500 ft. Spruce Flooring, 1 in., grooved and tongued,
- 20,000 ft. Spruce Flooring, 1½ in., grooved and tongued,
- 10,000 ft. 1 in. Pine Boards,
- 2,000 ft. 2 in. " " "
- 4,000 ft. 3 in. " " "
- 6,000 ft. 3x6 " Scantling,
- 7,000 ft. Spruce Studding, 2 & 3x3,
- 4 pieces Hardwood Plank,
- 12 Ships' Knees,
- 1,500 Bricks,
- 45 Five-Panel Doors, 2 in., 2.10x6.10,
- 9 Four-Panel Doors, 1½ in., 2.6x6.6,
- 14 Sashes and Frames, 10x12, 12 lights,
- 18 " " " 10x14, 12 lights,
- 5 " " " 16x34, 4 lights,
- (axle pulleys),
- 2 Sashes and Frames, 13x28, 4 lights,
- (axle pulleys),
- 3 Sashes and Frames, 10x14, 16 lights,
- 7 " " " 10x12, 8 lights,
- 8 Sashes, 8x10, without Frames,
- 3 Door Frames, 3x7, with fan lights,
- 5 Mantle-Pieces, ordinary size,
- 17 pieces Stair Rail, 2x3½,
- 500 ft. 1½ in. Moulding,
- 200 ft. 3 in. Raised Panel Moulding,
- 200 ft. 5 & 6 in. base, " "

This Lumber is all dry, and with the Flooring of superior quality, is ordered for positive Sale, and must be sold to close up the Estate.

WILLIAM DODD,
Auctioneer.

Charlottetown, June 24, 1878—4i

LARGE SALE

REAL ESTATE

CARDIGAN BRIDGE!

\$15,000 Worth of Eligible Lands and Buildings, which must be sold.

I AM instructed by J. S. Carvell, Esq., to Sell,

By Auction, on the premises, **On Wednesday, July 10th,**

commencing on arrival of train from Charlottetown, at 11 o'clock, the following valuable Property at the Village of Cardigan, namely:

- 24 LOTS, of 4 acres each.
- 5 Water LOTS,
- 15 Building Lots, beautifully situated.
- 1 Finished Dwelling House, with 2 acres of land attached.
- 2 Acres with House thereon.
- Store and Dwelling House with Land attached; the former at present occupied by Messrs. Beer & Son; the latter, by Mr. Hugh Lord Macdonald.
- A Lot with Carriage Factory and Dwelling House thereon; the Factory occupied by Mr. Angus Gregor; the House by Mr. James Stevenson.

A Special Train will leave Charlottetown on morning of sale, at 8:50 o'clock, returning same evening. Return tickets at half fare, thus placing within the reach of all a cheap trip to the country.

Refreshments will be provided for persons coming from a distance.

TERMS—15 per cent. cash at Sale—and the balance by instalments, namely:—

- 15 per cent. on 10th Nov., 1878.
- 20 do do 1879.
- 25 do do 1880.
- 25 do do 1881.

bearing interest at 6 per cent. per annum.

This valuable property—close by Railroad Station, Churches, Schools, Factories, &c.—offers a rare chance to Capitalists, Traders, and others, for safe and profitable investment.

A. McNEILL, Auct'r.

Ch'town, June 15, 1878.

Bremner Bros.

HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING

New Stock!

—NAMESLY—
CHROMOS & ENGRAVINGS, from 5 cents \$1.50.

FANS! FANS! entirely new styles.

WALLETS & POCKET-BOOKS a choice variety.

BASE BALLS & BATS,

RUBBER BALLS.

PHOTO FRAMES very handsome.

and a choice stock of other goods in the Stationery & Fancy Goods' Lines.

BREMNER BROS.
June 18—pat 1w 3aw ne li

Baby Carriages.

JUST ARRIVED, another Lot of those very cheap **CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES,** at H. COOMBS,
June 21, 1878—3i