

Explosion and Loss of Life.

THE RESULT OF CARELESSLY HANDLING GIANT POWDER.

The Giant Power Works in the district of Berkeley, across the bay from San Francisco, exploded on the 17th, killing twelve white men and twelve Chinamen. This is the third explosion the company has sustained. All were attended with loss of life. The explosion occurred in the packing-room; and all at work there were killed. About 6000 pounds were stored in the room. All the victims were blown to atoms. A large piece was found with part of the skull of a Chinaman and one attached. There were six houses inside the works, and all blown to shivers, but the workmen in them escaped with the exception of one man in the magazine, no trace of whom was found. Outside of the works are six houses, including the boarding house of the hands, all of which were more or less damaged. The cause of the explosion is supposed to be carelessness. The workmen are hired by the piece, and are directed to use wooden mallets in packing cartridges, but they found they could work faster and make more money by using iron hammers—a risky business around Giant Powder.

CHURCH PROPERTY.—The total value of church property in the United States is placed at \$500,000,000. Should it continue to increase in the same proportion as in the past, it is estimated that its value in 1900 will reach the sum of \$3,000,000,000, or one-third more than the national debt. The ecclesiastical property in New York exempt from taxation is valued at \$110,000,000.

A young Maine farmer, whose new wife, a highly-cultured Boston girl, well up in geology and mineralogy, disappointed him by rambling over the farm, pecking at the rocks instead of attending to the milk and eggs, experienced a complete revolution in his feelings when she discovered gold, and he was told that his farm was worth \$50,000.

A watchman at a railroad crossing in Paterson, N. J., at a great peril to himself, stopped a carriage that was just about to dash in front of a passing train. The carriage contained Mrs. Charles Danforth, whose husband lately died leaving her \$2,000,000. She rewarded the watchman by sending him an envelope containing fifty cents.

The Staubenville Herald says: You can always tell a clerk in a dry good store from the millionaire proprietor, by the goodclothes the clerk wears.

The Cardinal Archbishop of Paris predicts internal troubles for France in case the decrees against the unauthorized orders should be executed.

The news from Russia is gloomy; a famine, Nihilist arrests, and court-martials are the order of the day.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, April 21.

Light to moderate winds, fine warm weather.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1880
SUNRISES, 5.05 | HIGH WATER 5.39 p.m.
SETTS, 6.52 | FULL MOON 24, 6.37 a.m.

A Good Thing.

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German Physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in Medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Beware of medicines of similar names, lately introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cents. Sample bottle, 10 cents.

A Good Account.

"To sum it up, six long years of bed-ridden sickness and suffering, costing \$200 per year, total \$1,200—all which was stopped by three bottles of Hop Bitters taken by my wife, who has done her own housework for a year since, without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it for their benefit."

JOHN WERKS, Butler, N. Y.

HEMORRHOIDS.—I suffered terribly. Had made arrangements with a prominent surgeon to operate. A friend advised me to try Giles' Liniment and Pills. I did so, and to my unspeakable joy, got immediate relief, and am now cured. J. L. Keam, Metropolitan Hotel, N. Y. Giles pills cure Rheumatism. Sold by W. R. Watson. Send for pamphlet. Dr. Giles, 120 West Broadway, N. Y. Trial size 25 cents.

PERKINS & STERNS

CONTINUE TO OFFER

EXTRA GOOD VALUE

IN ALL KINDS OF

Staple and Fancy

DRY GOODS.

Our Stock of the following Goods is complete, and marked at the very lowest prices:

- White Cottons,
- Grey Cottons,
- Printed Cottons,
- Fleecy Cottons,
- Cotton Battings.

NEW SPRING TWEEDS.

We have just opened our New Spring Tweeds, and can say we have the

Very Best Value in the City.

—AND AN—

Immense Variety of Patterns to Choose from.

ROOM PAPER,

—OF—

English and Canadian Manufacture,

A large variety of Patterns, and very Cheap.

Our Carpet and Oil Cloths

GOOD VALUE.

Perkins & Sterns.

March 2, 1880.

ONE-THIRD DISCOUNT.

THE Subscriber wishes to intimate to the public in general that he has just fitted up apartments in his Warerooms purposely for the Undertaking business in addition to his former appliances, and is prepared to furnish Caskets, Coffins, Hearses, &c., on the shortest notice, and at greatly reduced prices. Telegraph orders from the country will be specially attended to at one hour's notice. He has on hand a large assortment of Rosewood, Walnut and Mahogany, Rosewood and Walnut imitation Caskets in a variety of Patterns and sizes, and prices below any in the city, with silver-plated (Canadian and American) mounting in beautiful designs as well as modifications of old and approved patterns of mounting.

Hearses of every class, and horses well trained, with careful drivers, and at prices lower than any other Establishment; and \$3 per cent. less will be charged on the Hearse when ordered with the Casket.

MARK BUTCHER,
Queen Square Warerooms, Ch'town.
April 13, '80—pres ar wky 4w cod

AUCTION.



TO be sold by AUCTION, on FRIDAY, 30th April, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the MARKET SQUARE, Charlottetown, if not previously disposed of by private Sale, the FIRST PRIZE STALLION "TEMPEST," rising 5 years old, stands 17 hands high, weighs 1400 lbs., color dark bay, with clean limbs. "Tempest" is of splendid style and action, sired by the celebrated Stockman horse, dam "Saladin." He took first prize at the Provincial Exhibition, and is allowed by the most competent judges to be the best "Stockman" ever exhibited. His colts are without doubt the best specimens of horse flesh to be seen on the Island. His full sister and brother were prize-winners at the Exhibition of 1875. Terms made to suit purchasers. For further particulars apply to OWEN WINTERS.

Terrace House, Pownal St., April 13—4i 2aw



WELLAND CANAL.

Notice to Bridge Builders.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned (Secretary of Railways and Canals), and endorsed "Tender for Bridges, Welland Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Western Mails on TUESDAY, the 15th DAY OF JUNE NEXT, for the construction of swing and stationary Bridges at various places on the line of the Welland Canal. Those for highways are to be a combination of iron and wood, and those for railway purposes are to be of iron.

Plans, specifications, and general conditions can be seen at this office on and after MONDAY, the 31st DAY OF MAY NEXT, where Forms of Tender can also be obtained.

Parties tendering are expected to have a practical knowledge of works of this class, and are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation, and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to \$250 for each bridge, for which an offer is made, must accompany each Tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract the party or parties whose tender it is proposed to accept will be notified that their tender is accepted, subject to a deposit of five per cent. of the bulk sum of the contract—of which the sum sent in with the tender will be considered a part—to be deposited to the credit of the Receiver General within eight days after the date of the notice.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order, F. BRAUN, Secretary.

DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS, } ap 9, 2aw tl
Ottawa, 29th March, 1880. } June 15, f w



Canadian Pacific Railway.

TENDERS FOR IRON BRIDGE SUPERSTRUCTURE.

TENDERS addressed to the undersigned will be received up to noon of SATURDAY, the 15th MAY next, for furnishing and erecting Iron Superstructures over the Eastern and Western outlets of the Lake of the Woods.

Specifications and other particulars will be furnished on application at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Ottawa, on and after the 15th April.

By Order, F. BRAUN, Secretary.

DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS, } ap 9, 2aw tl
Ottawa, 1st April, 1880. } May 15, f w

BUY the DAILY EXAMINER for the latest news—local and telegraphic.

COYLE & CORMACK, PAINTERS.

SHOP formerly occupied by STENTIFORD & TAYLOR, HILLSBOROUGH STREET. All orders in their line will be promptly attended to. Neatness and Despatch guaranteed. Charlottetown, April 10, 1880—1wk

QUEEN INSURANCE COY. OF ENGLAND.

CAPITAL, . . . TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

INSURANCE effected on all kinds of Buildings, Merchandise and Produce. Also, on Vessels on the stocks.

Special rates for isolated residences. Losses settled promptly.

GEORGE MACLEOD (Union Bank), Agent for Prince Edward Island

June, 1877—

MACLEAN & MARTIN ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Newson's Building, Opp. Post Office,

Charlottetown, P. E. I.

A. A. McLEAN. D. C. MARTIN.

June 18, 1879.—ex2aw

E. G. HUNTER,

Manufacturer & Dealer in

MONUMENTS

Tablets, Headstones, &c.,

in variety, at LOWEST PRICES. BEST STOCK. Superior Workmanship.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED TO PATRONS

N. B.—Farm Produce taken at market rates, in payment, during shipping season.

Kent Street, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Please call and examine Designs & Prices.

Mar. 20, 1880.—w d—tu sa 6m

J. R. FOSTER,

Moncton, N. B.,

REPRESENTING IN THE MARITIME PROVINCES

Ontario, Chicago and Western

Millers and Shippers,

—IN—

FLOUR, MEAL, GRAIN,

Seeds and Provisions.

The following are some of the leading brands of Flour for sale wholesale, in car-lots only, viz:—"Buda," "Alabaster," "White Rose," "Warcup's Superior," "Pastry," "Beaver Mills," "Red XXX," "Amber," &c., &c.

The above choice brands of flour, with many others, can be obtained at all the leading Flour Houses in the Maritime Provinces. Samples of all kinds of Seed Grains, and other goods will be sent to any address on application free of charge.

Ask for quotations by telegraph in "Cipher," which will be supplied to all correspondents on application.

Nov. 25, 1879—ly

JUST RECEIVED,

Per S. S. Northern Light,

A CHOICE SELECTION OF

Spring Tweeds and Worsted.

SPECIAL BARGAINS GIVEN.

BRUCE & MCKENZIE,

Feb. 21, 1880—3aw tl Queen Street.

ST. MARGARET'S HALL,

HALIFAX, N. S.

SEMINARY FOR YOUNG LADIES.

VISITOR:

The Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia

PRINCIPAL:

The Rev. John Padfield.

THIS SCHOOL offers, at very moderate cost, the advantages of a comfortable and pleasant home together with a thorough and refined education.

The course of instruction is the same as that of the best Schools in England and is founded upon the University Examinations for Women. Eight young ladies from this School passed the Local Examination of the University of King's College in June last. This is the only School in Canada that has passed pupils at a University Examination.

The number of pupils is limited, rendering the School select, and while it possesses all the educational advantages of a large public school, each pupil is enabled to receive that individual care and oversight which is so important, and which cannot be given in a large establishment.

Mr. and Mrs. Padfield are assisted by a staff of four resident governesses, besides visiting masters.

Parisienne French is taught conversationally. There are two resident French Governesses.

References given to parents of pupils.

For further particulars address the Principal.

Sept. 19, 1879.

THE place to get your Printing done is at the EXAMINER PRINTING ROOMS.

Herring. Codfish.

CHEAP FOR CASH,

50 bbls. Herring,
100 qts. Codfish,
200 bags Salt.

D. SMALL.

Head Queen's Wharf, opposite I. C. Hall's.

To Fisheries and Factories.

ONE TON AMERICAN MANILLA MARLIN (Tanned and White), Cotton Lines, Twines, Leads, Hooks, Bait Mills, Fishing Anchors, Cotton Ducks (light and heavy), 100 coils Manila Rope, Hemp Rope, Wire Rope, Paints, Oils, Tar, Oakum, Ships' Chandlery, Sail Making, Light Ducks for Boats' Sails.

D. SMALL.

Jan. 21, 1880—f

"Belvidere."

THIS well-known property, situated in the Township of Charlottetown, consisting of about 200 acres, is offered on lease for a term of years, either as a whole or in part.

For particulars apply to

DANIEL HODGSON, or

G. W. DEBLOIS,

Agents for Alexander Beazley, Esq.

March 10, 1880—pat ff

To Let. To Let.

TO LET, that NEW BRICK HOUSE situated on Pownal Street, now occupied by Fenton T. Newbery, Esq. Possession given in May next. Also, Cottage, with land attached, situated on Malpeque Road, about one mile from the city. Possession given immediately.

THOS. W. DODD.

March 5, 1880—pat eaw

TRUTHS.

HOP BITTERS,

(A Medicine, not a Drink.)

CONTAINS

HOPS, BUCHU, MANDRAKE, DANDELION,

AND THE PUREST AND BEST MEDICAL QUALITIES OF ALL OTHER BITTERS.

THEY CURE

All Diseases of the Stomach, Bowels, Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Urinary Organs, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Female Complaints and Drunkenness.

\$1000 IN GOLD

Will be paid for a case they will not cure or help, or for anything impure or injurious found in them.

Ask your Druggists for Hop Bitters and free books, and try the Bitters before you sleep. Take no other.

The Hop Cough Cure and Pain Relief is the Cheapest, Surest and Best.

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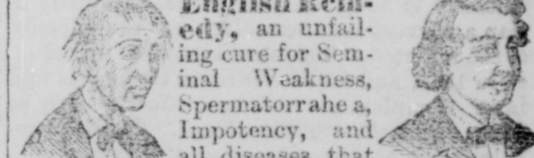
Spavins, Splints and Ringbones cured without blemish. Send for pamphlet containing full information, to Dr. Wm. Giles, 120 West Broadway, N. Y. Use only for horses the liniment in yellow wrappers. Sold by all druggists, and in quarts at \$2.50 in which there is great saving. Trial bottles, 25 cts.

Agent at Charlottetown: W. R. WATSON, Druggist.

Nov. 28, 1879—cod wky 4m

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE

TRADE MARK. The Great English Remedy, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that



Before Taking follow as a se-After Taking, quence of self-abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at \$1 per package, or six packages for \$5, or will be sent free, by mail, on receipt of the money, by addressing

The Gray Medicine Co.,

Toronto, Ont., Canada.

N. B.—The demands of our business have necessitated our removing to Toronto, to which place please address all future communications.

Sold in Charlottetown by all Druggists and by all wholesale and retail Druggists in the United States and Canada.

January 24, 1880