

The Daily Examiner APRIL 21, 1885.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.)

THE RIEL REBELLION!

FORT PITT FALLEN!

Two Police Killed.

MASSACRE OF PARTY FEARED.

THREE SCOUTS CAPTURED

TORONTO, April 20.

The Globe's Clarke's Crossing special, April 19, says:—Lord Melgund, with Capt. French, Major Boulton and his troops made a reconnaissance from the camp yesterday morning, and captured three Indians whom they found hid in a coulee. One of them is a cousin of Whitecap, chief of the Sioux, who took refuge here after the Minnesota massacre. They told General Middleton that Riel sent to Whitecap's band to come as there were plenty provisions, and when they joined them he forced them to remain. These three men left camp five days ago, being unable to get their horses. They stated Riel was at his house at Batoche. He had 200 half-breeds, and there seven prisoners still with him. Two of the Indians were kept in camp, and the third sent to tell Whitecap and all Indians that Canada did not war on good Indians, and no harm would come to them provided they went on their reserves. The General says the men marched 198 miles in eleven days, which, considering the weather, bad roads and other difficulties, is a great feat for soldiers not yet seasoned. The 90th battalion waded through a coulee with water up to their waists and manfully, as if on parade, and cheered as they crossed the stream. He reported as they were sick or in the hospital. He had a telegram from Battledore, "all well there this morning." A courier had also come in from Prince Albert with advice to the 15th inst. The reports are favorable.

CLARKE'S CROSSING, N. W. T., April 21.

A despatch just received from Battledore states that messengers just returned from Fort Pitt say that Fort Pitt has fallen.

Two police were killed and it is feared the whole party has been massacred. An Indian has told a messenger that the Indians have gone down the river, but this is not credited.

Fort Pitt is situated on the north bank of the north Saskatchewan, 98 miles north-west from Battledore, and 204 miles east from Edmonton by the trail running along the north side of the river. It is situated on a low, rich flat, which lies from 12 to 19 feet above the river level, and which runs back about one-half a mile to where it meets the high, rolling country that stretches away on all sides in the rear of the post. The Fort consists of several log buildings arranged in a hollow square, and was formerly enclosed by a stockade with bastions on the corners, but as this was removed some years ago it, when besieged by Indians a week ago, lay completely unprotected in the midst of some cultivated fields surrounded by common rail fences. It has been for many years, and up to its fall, in charge of Factor William McKay, a gentleman who is not only thoroughly intimate with the Indian character, but is one who is very highly esteemed by the Indians in that part of the country, who not only apply to him to readjust all their little differences, but many of them will not enter into any undertaking or conclude any bargain without first consulting him. In the summer of 1883 when the Indian Department were endeavoring to place that ugly and troublesome Indian, Big Bear, upon his reserve near Fort Pitt, they got him as far as Battledore, and although Indian Agent Rae is a good man in such matters, he was unable to get Big Bear to go any further until Mr. McKay had come down from Fort Pitt and used his influence with him. The Indians in Fort Pitt agency number 1,200. The Fort was in charge of twenty-five mounted police.]

THE RUSSIAN WAR.

A Feeling of Uneasiness in London.

Even Gladstone Cannot Maintain Peace.

Watching a Cruiser's Movements.

LONDON, April 20.

Continuous interchange of despatches has been kept up since Saturday between Earl Granville and M. DeGiers, the Russian Foreign Minister. The indications so again warlike. The breach between England and Russia is widening, and the possibility of an amicable settlement is considered more remote than at any time during the past few days. Newspapers here generally seem inclined to the opinion that peace cannot be maintained, even under Gladstone.

NORFOLK, VA., April 20.

The Russian corvette Stritax, with 180 men, four days out from Havana, arrived at the naval anchorage this afternoon, and was followed an hour later by the British man-of-war Garnet, from Vera Cruz, with 250 men and 12 guns. The Garnet came to anchor a quarter of a mile below the Stritax.

SUAKIN, April 20.

A sheikh with 700 men has started out to capture Osman Digna for the British.

ODESSA, April 20.

In all well-informed quarters here, with-

out exception, the good faith of the Ameer toward England is mistrusted.

LONDON, April 20.

A feeling of uneasiness, bordering on alarm, prevails here. It is generally thought England will be forced to war with Russia.

Earl Granville stated this afternoon that while he could not make public the despatch from Sir Peter Lumsden, he could state that it contained a contradiction of the statement made by Gen. Komaroff.

DeGiers says that the defiant language of Earl Dufferin encouraged the Afghans to provoke a Russian attack, they relying upon British support.

Ottawa Notes.

OTTAWA, April 20.

In the House of Commons, this afternoon, Mr. Macdonald, of P. E. I., presented a petition signed by about 6000 persons in P. E. Island, asking that each Province may be permitted to have a Prohibitory Liquor Law, and that if this be not done, the Dominion Parliament pass a bill imposing more stringency in enforcing local option.

Mr. Blake at considerable length presented a list of papers that it was necessary, he said, that the Government should bring down to assist Parliament in intelligibly discussing the question of the Northwest troubles.

Sir John went for Mr. Blake very strongly, charging him with encouraging the half-breeds who are in rebellion.

Sir R. Cartwright defended Mr. Blake. He thought the information asked for by Mr. Blake quite necessary.

Sir Leonard Tilley is absent from Parliament, being indisposed.

Mr. Davies, of P. E. I., has been presented with a beautiful dressing case by the reformers and electors of Peel County. Mr. Davies had addressed them there a few days ago.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, April 21—10 a. m. Fresh westerly winds, fair weather, stationary or slightly higher temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, CH'LTOWN, April 21, 1885.

Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....59.5
Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....31.8
Lowest Temperature this morning.....38.5
Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....49.1
Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock.....52.0

City Council.

An adjourned meeting of the City Council was held last evening. Present—The Mayor, and Councillors Crabbe, Kouhgan, Davy, Hazzard, McRae, Horne, Douse and McLean.

A communication was read from Mr. Jas. R. Davidson, regarding a nuisance in close proximity to his yard. Ordered to be referred to the Surveying Magistrate.

A communication from George Lewis, in reference to porch at Market occupied by Mrs. Murphy, was ordered to lie on the table.

Moved by Councillor Crabbe, seconded by Councillor Hazzard,—

Resolved, That His Worship the Mayor instruct the Assessors to make a return of personal property in the city liable to taxation, within thirty days; and—

Further Resolved, That they be paid for making such assessment the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Crabbe, seconded by Councillor Hazzard,—

Resolved, That the Finance Committee and Chief Engineer be a committee to purchase from Mr. E. B. Love a piece of land owned by him, and situated on Queen Street, on the best possible terms, on which to erect a building for the use of the Fire Department and Civic offices. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Crabbe, seconded by Councillor Kouhgan,—

Resolved, That the Finance Committee and Chief Engineer be a committee to instruct Messrs. Phillips and Chappell, Architects, in drafting the plans for the proposed new building for the use of the Fire Department and Civic offices. Carried.

Council adjourned sine die.

The First Trip of the Season.

The schooner Josephine, Capt. Simon Cheverie, left Souris for Pictou on the 16th inst. The Captain reports that he met with very little ice till he reached Pictou Island. Here he encountered a few clumps, through which he worked his way to Cariboo, a small island close to Pictou harbor. He arrived there at 10 o'clock the day after he left Souris. The same evening he took nine passengers that had been waiting at Pictou, and landed them safely the day following at Little Sands. He returned to Cariboo the same day, and after taking on board twenty-nine passengers, he ran back to Guernsey Cove, where he landed them on the 18th inst. There were, we learn, no less than five commercial agents among the number. Not a bad flock for this time of year.

Capt. Cheverie says that there is no heavy ice in the Gulf, and thinks that if the Northern Light had been got out of Georgetown, she might have been making regular trips ever since the 5th of March last. He intends leaving Souris again with passengers for Pictou on Wednesday morning, the 22nd. He is now in Souris engaged in fitting up his schooner for passenger accommodation, and expects to take across over sixty passengers on his next trip.

Capt. Cheverie deserves to be congratulated upon his good judgment and undoubted pluck in crossing the Straits. His was the first sailing vessel last spring that crossed from Pictou to this Island. A firm believer in Souris as the winter port. He says he hopes yet to convince the Government by deeds which speak louder than words, that Souris is the right place for the winter steamer to come.

SALT! SALT!

TO arrive at Point du Chene, and due early in May, Eight Thousand Sacks Liverpool Common SALT and One Hundred Sacks Fine SALT. For Sale low.

JAMES FRIER, Shediac, N. B.
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AUCTION SALES.

VALUABLE PROPERTY IN CHARLOTTETOWN COMMON.

I AM instructed by COL. FREELAND to sell by Auction, on WEDNESDAY, MAY 6th, at 12 o'clock, noon, his BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED PROPERTY at BRIGHTON, containing about 18 acres of land, divided as follows:—

1st. The Dwelling House, with an excellent Glass House, on stone foundation, attached, in which early vegetables and plants of all kinds can be raised; good Stables and Coach House, &c., with about 2½ Acres of Land, having a frontage on Upper Brighton Road of nearly five chains, commanding a very fine view of North and West Rivers and Hillsborough Bay, well adapted for a gentleman's residence.

The remainder of the land is subdivided into pasture lots of about one acre each, with a road running through the property, connecting with the Upper Brighton Road and fronting on North River. The whole of this land is in a very high state of cultivation, with abundance of sea weed and mussel mud in front of it. Upon one acre of this land, next the shore, there is a valuable deposit of Potter's Clay. As this property MUST BE SOLD, it offers an excellent chance for safe and profitable investment.

See large Handbills with Plan. TERMS:—20 per cent. down, the balance on Mortgage, bearing interest at 6 per cent. per annum.

ALSO—Immediately after, on the premises: 1 Mare, 10 years old, in foal, 1 cow, 1 iron Cultivator, 1 iron Plough, 2 sets Harrows, 1 Moulding Plough, 1 Seed Sower (Matthews Improved), 1 Wheel Hoe, 2 Carts, 2 Wheelbarrows, 1 Driving Sleigh, 1 Wood Sleigh, 1 set Carriage Harness, 1 Wagon (English Dog Cart), 2 sets Cart Harness, 1 Post Hole Digger, 1 Snow Plough, 1 Goose Boat, 1 Wood Stove, Spades, Shovels, Forks, Hoes, Rakes, Flower Pots, &c., &c.

Terms at Sale A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Ch'town, April 20, 1885.

Yacht "Claribel."

BY Auction, Thursday, April 23rd, at 12 o'clock, noon, where she now lies, at Peake's No. 3 Wharf, the fast-sailing yacht "Claribel," with her tackle and sails complete. This beautiful yacht has a length over all of 40 feet, 12 tons Register; (Yacht measure, 18 tons), has large cabin accommodation and is in every way well equipped and handsomely finished. Terms at Sale.

A. McNEILL, AUCTIONEER. Ch'town, April 14, 1885.

NEW CONFECTIONERY, 98 QUEEN STREET.

AS Candies of all kinds are best when fresh made, we would advise you to buy at the New Confectionery, as we are daily manufacturing small lots of choice candies, which we are selling.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

at prices that cannot be beaten, Strawberry Cream, Lemon do, Fig do, Lemon Drops, Acid do, Hoarhound do, Mixtures, Conversation Lozenges, Roll do, Sticks (assorted), Bullseyes, Jawbreakers, Brown Lumps, White do, Taffies, Chewing Candies, Caramels, Pearl Caraway, &c., &c., &c.

ALSO—Liquorice, Gum, Cloves, Dates, Cream Tartar, Essence, Fig, Dalls, Worcester's Sauce, Pickles, Shoe Blacking, Apples (choice Russets), Syrups of all kinds, Ginger Beer, and Soda Water with choice flavorings, Cigars, &c. Thankful for the very liberal patronage tendered, I most respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. T. CARTER. Ch'town, April 18, 1885—2wks cod

NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern.

I HAVE appointed E. M. Myrick, of Tignish, P. E. I., my Agent for the Dominion of Canada, with power to manufacture and sell my patent Can-heading Machine. GEORGE A. MARSH.

To Lobster Packers and Can Makers.

I AM prepared to fill orders for the above mentioned Machine, and also for the Johnston Soldering Machine. For particulars, price, &c., apply to the undersigned at Tignish, or to J. H. Myrick & Co., Charlottetown, where the machines may be seen in operation. E. M. MYRICK. Tignish, April 18, 1885—3i cod her3i

City of Charlottetown.

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Mayor's Office, until noon of Monday, the 27th of April inst., from parties willing to supply the city with 30,000 feet 3-inch Merchantable Hemlock Plank. 20,000 feet 2-inch do do. Fifteen thousand feet of each description of plank to be delivered on Queen's Wharf, Charlottetown, on or before the 10th day of May next, and the balance on or about the 1st of June next.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the Lowest or any Tender. By order, A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk. Ch'town, April 18, 1885—sat tu thur

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE WEEKLY EXAMINER, the best paper on the Island. 2000 BUSHELS FISHERY SALT. Ch'town, March 26, 1885—tu th sat

SEEDS! SEEDS!

WE are now offering a very large assortment of FIELD and GARDEN SEEDS, in

Canadian Seed Wheat, Timothy Seed, Barley, Buckwheat, Clover Seed, in all the varieties needed, and will be sold cheap at

W. P. COLWILL'S April 20, 1885—2aw wklly lmo

TENDERS

WILL be received by the undersigned until the 25th inst., for the building, at St. Joseph's Convent, of a cellar wall, according to plan and specification, which may be seen at the office of Messrs. Sterling and Harris.

Stone, lime and sand will be provided on the premises. Tenderers to state their price per perch. HUBERT Z. PERRY. Ch'town, April 20, 1885.

For Sale or to Rent.

AN Upright Piano in good condition. Apply to W. M. REID, North Side King Square. April 20, 1885—4'n da lin wk

FOR CHARTER.

THE fast sailing schooner Onward, 52 tons, now lying in Summerside. Apply to A. C. McLEOD, Kennington, or F. W. HYNDMAN, Charlottetown. April 20.—1w

ODDFELLOWS'

NATAL DAY CELEBRATION, APRIL 27th, 1885.



IN THE EVENING, AT THE MARKET HALL, the great nautical opera

H. M. S.

"PINAFORE"

will be presented, embracing a galaxy of talent unsurpassed. New and effective Scenery and Costumes have been prepared. No part omitted.

Tickets for sale at the usual places, from members of Committee and at the Hall. Doors open at 7.15. Opera begins at 8. Attentive ushers will be in attendance.

W. H. HAZARD, Secy. of Com. Ch'town, April 18—5i cod post eod

Children's Carriages.

BY first Boston boat, we will receive the FINEST, CHEAPEST and BEST assorted stock of Children's Carriages ever shown in Ch'town. Wait for them.

MARK WRIGHT & CO. April 14—2wks 3aw

TEAS.

J. E. MORSE & CO., Halifax, having purchased 1000 packages Tea, previous to advance in price, a consignment from which will be landed at Charlottetown per first steamer, the subscriber would respectfully solicit inspection of samples and prices, now to be seen at his office, 13 Queen Street. A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Agent. Ch'town, April 18th, 1885 1mo cod

CHILDREN'S CONCERT.

THE Boys and Girls of St. Paul's Sunday School intend giving their Annual Concert on Tuesday, 21st April, in their School-room. Admission 15 cents; Sabbath School children 5 cents. Concert to begin at 8 o'clock. April 6, 1885—cod

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—A Servant Girl for general housework. Apply at this office. p21—2i pd

WANTED—A Situation, by a young man of some experience in Dry Goods and Groceries, writes a good hand and is good at figures. Apply at EXAMINER office. ap21 6i

BOY WANTED—The subscriber wants a boy about 16 years of age, to attend at trains and general work. Also a good Cook wanted. Simon Bolger, Ocean House. (ap 20, 3i pd)

WANTED—A Cook and a Housemaid. Apply at EXAMINER office. apr 18

WANTED—A strong, active Girl for general housework. Apply at the Prince Edward Island Hospital. april

TO LET—All or part of the premises lately occupied by Advertiser office, at P. G. Fraser's corner; can be fitted and enlarged for Barber Shop, Offices, &c. Apply to Dorsey, Goff & Co.—ap8

SIX BOARDERS can be comfortably accommodated at Miss Stewart's, corner of Great George and Euston Streets. apply

TO RENT—The Subscriber offers for rent half the Shop, formerly occupied by Messrs. Bremner Bros.—W. A. Brennan. ap1

TO LET—The Dry Good Store on Queen Street, lately occupied by Mr. James Shand. Apply to Mr. Stevenson. mar20