Local and Other Items.

I. O. O. F.—Regular session of St Lawrence Lodge this evening.

DRAWING TO A CLOSE.—Next Monday ends the half holiday arrangement.

CIVIC.—There will be a special meeting of the City Council this evening.

LARGE STOCK of new watches and jewellery received to-day at E. W. Taylor's.

NEW oatmeal ground from this year's crop, just received at Beer & Goff's. aug22 2i

ARRIVED.—The steamer Coban arrived here from Montreal, at two o'clock this afternoon.

JUST RECEIVED— Lady of the Lake, Evangeline, Schmitz's History, etc., at the Diamond Bookstore, very cheap.

S. OF T.—Meeting of Victoria Division, No. 4, this evening in McLeod's Hall at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren welcomet

MISS WILSON will resume lessons on Wednesday, Sept. 2nd, at the Music Rooms, corner Kent and Prince Streets, at the usual hour. eod—au24

THE RIFLE.—There will be a meeting of the council of Queen's County Rifle Association in the Law Courts Building to-morrow evening at 7.30.

MORE LIGHT.—The P. E. Island Electric Company should not depend too much upon the moon. It is stated that darkness reigned supreme last evening. This ought not to be.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.—The Natural History Society enjoyed a very pleasant excursion and picnic on Saturday. But they did not—as "A Subscriber" reports—see the sea serpent.

THE TURF.—There will be races at Crapaud on Saturday next. The programme is made up of a farmers race, purse $25, a three-minute race, purse $50, and a 2 40 race, purse $80. Entries close on Friday evening.

STILL THEY GO.—Friday morning last Mr. P.S. Brown, of this city, shipped to A. E. Fraser, Mayor of Spring Hill, N. S., a handsome four-year-old carriage horse, sired by Sir William Wallace, which the former purchased from Mr. Hood, of Cornwall. The price paid was something above the usual.

POLICE COURT.—This morning a man for assault and battery was fined $4 or 20 days, a drunk was fined $4 or 20 days, one nuisance case was dismissed and another adjourned, an abusive language case between two women was adjourned, as was also the case of a man summoned for not paying seamen's wages.

CATTLE POISONED — Sussex Record :— Some unprincipled person or persons were evil minded enough to make a pernicious "Compound cattle food" consisting of meal, salt and Paris green, and put it near by a flock of cattle owned by Mr A T Stewart. Some of the animals ate the food, and when Mr Stewart went for them at night he found three of his best cows dead.

NATURE provides a remedy for all diseases, and in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills women have a remedy for all those ills peculiar to their sex Suppressions, bearing-down pains, nervous headaches, etc., speedily yield to their treatment and restore the sufferer to perfect health. Try them. Sold by all dealers or sent on receipt of price (50c a box) by addressing Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Brockville, Ont. 1w

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.— The daily weather probabilities issued from the Toronto meteoroligal office for the maritime provinces are entitled to greater weight than most people suppose. For the month of May, according to the report just issued, the total number of predictions for the maritime provinces was 107. Of these 93 were more or less verified, the percentage fully verified being 79 4.

A SUCCESSFUL ISLANDER.—J. H. Macpherson took first prize for putting the heavy shot and second prize for putting the light shot at the Strathallen gathering at Bridge-off-Allen, Scotland, a few weeks ago. He put the heavy shot 54 feet. The competition was open to the world. Mr. Macpherson is a native of Prince Edward Island.

COUNTY COURT.—The August term of the County Court of this County, opens in Charlottetown to-morrow with 178 cases on the docket. Among the suits for trial this term we have heard of several of special interest and importance. One of these is an action of slander for $150 damages, arising out of a speech of one of the orators at the late city meeting in the Market Hall, and the other is an action of damages against a deputy returning officer, for refusing a vote at the late partial election for a member for the city.

THERE never was a greater boon to the housewife. Every form of stain or dirt disappears before Lessive Phenix — the new solutive. Wash cotton, linen or flannel with it. It cleans all kinds of utensils. It will clean your silverware. It is a phenomenal soap saver, because it does the work without the use of soap at all. It makes a wonderful improvement in your clothing, after you have used it a few times. A powder but not the old chemical powder, which destroyed both your hands and your clothes. It makes the skin soft, and the hardest washing easy. Ask your grocer.

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 child 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 diarrhœa, 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.
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DEATH FROM THE CLOUDS.—According to a recent despatch from Vienna, the cloud-burst, which partially destroyed the village of Kollman, on Tuesday, seems to have done more damage, and caused the loss of more lives, than at first supposed. Sixty bodies have already been recovered, all terribly disfigured, and have been buried in rugs, sacks, etc., owing to the lack of coffins. It is stated that 6,000 cubic metres of stone have been hurled down the mountains a distance of 700 metres, Three hundred men are employed in diverting the water.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

Frost in the Northwest.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 24.

So far, advices from Minnesota, the Dakotas and Manitoba show the temperature to have been dangerously touched first time, but no serious damage was done in Manitoba. Some frost is reported without serious results.

Terrible Disaster.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.

There has been a terrible disaster in this city caused by the collapse of a five-story brick building. Eighty-six persons are missing. Seventeen dead bodies have been recovered.

Hurricanes — Heavy Damage.

OTTAWA, Aug. 34

In the Martinique hurricane, last Tuesday, 250 lives were lost. In the gales and hurricanes reported along the Spanish coast, many vessels were wrecked and heavy damage done.

Senecal and the Weather.

OTTAWA, Aug. 24.

Senecal, Su perintendent of Printing Bureau has resigned.

The weather here is very cool, with steady rains—bad for the harvest.

Earthquakes.

ROME, Aug. 24.

Strong earthquake shocks have been felt in various towns of Italy.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Aug. 24.—10 a. m.

Winds mostly easterly, unsettled, followed by rain in western Nova Scotia and southern New Brunswick.

Fishery Bulletin.

(Fisheries Intelligence Bureau Report.)

HALIFAX, Aug. 24—Anticosti no bait or fishing of any kind at English Bay, but cod fishing reported good, and squid bait very plentiful at Fox Bay.

Quebec—Cod fishing good at Thunder River, fair at Moisie and Long Point. Launce good at three above mentioned stations, but unfavorable weather prevented all fishing opperations at all other points on coast.

P. E. Island—No fish taken any place owing to stormy weather.

Cape Breton—Weather prevented fishing operations at all places excepting Arichat, where there was a fair catch of herring.

Nova Scotia—Fish of all kinds reported scarce excepting at Digby where there were good catches of hake bnd herring, fair of hadock, and a few cod. A vessel arrived at Liverpool this week reports fish plentiful at West Bank.

News Notes.

Grasshoppers are doing much damage in Pelee Island.

It is reported that the Prince of Wales, Emperor William of Germany, and the Shah of Persia all seriously contemplate visiting the World's Fair in 1893.

A murderer in Mecklenburg ten minutes before his execution choked the clergyman, put on his long black coat, dashed out and mixed among the officials around the scaffold. He had almost reached the gate when he was caught.

Railway statistics show that the American takes 27 railway trips a year, the Englishman 19, the Belgian 11, the Frenchman, German, Swede, Norwegian and Spaniard five each, while the Turk, Swiss and Italian take but one each.

The Presbytery of P. E. Island has divided Murray Harbor congregation : Murray Harbor North forms one charge, Murray Harbor South and Little Sands another. G. B. McLeod accepts a call to Covehead and Brackley Point Road, ordination and induction fixed for Sept 8th.—Witness.

When the British and French squadrons met at Villefranche, after the French admiral's band had played "God Save the Queen, the British flagship responded wi h "La Marseillaise." That was a compliment from freemen to freemen that cast the Russian serfs' travesty very much into the shade.

The fishermen of San Diego have utilized electricity in their war upon the fish. Incandescent electric lights are lowered into the water at night and a large net is lowered below them. The fish are attracted by the light and are plainly visible. When sufficiently numerous the nets are hauled up. The catches are enormous.

The Sea Serpent Again.

SIR,—There is a marvellous report about town this morning respecting the "sea serpent" raising much excitement. It is said the Natural History Society that left town Saturday morning by the Rocky Point ferry boat, for Holland Cove and Governor's Island, on their annual geological picnic, saw the creature off Governor's Island, making his way towards this harbor —that he was seen by all the members of the Society. If so, we shall have an interesting account of this mysterious animal in the coming Patriot. Many persons are of opinion that the existence of the sea serpent is a mere myth. But I am of quite a contra opinion, inasmuch as your correspondent has had it affirmed by two gentlemen of undoubted veracity, who saw him about thirty years ago, when crossing from Miramichie to the Island, which can be read of in one of our papers of that time.

Besides this undoubted statement, Capt. Jim Lewis affirmed some five years ago, that he saw him lying asleep, basking himself in the sun on the beach, on the south shore of Governor's Island. Jim said at first sight he thought it a row of sea weed. He said it was larger round than his canoe, and five times as long, and that his canoe was lying close by. As he approached the canoe, he noticed what he thought the row of sea weed to move; and then he fired a bullet at it, when immediately it rose, it's head high up, looking like a great snake, with one red firey eye, and then made of to sea very fast. Although the Indian chief's story was not believed, it was partially confirmed by Capt. Lund, who said he saw the serpent in the straits that morning.

Yours very truly,
A SUBSCRIBER.

CONVENT DE NOTRE DAME,

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.

Studies will Commence as usual on the First of September.

THE SISTERS beg to inform the public that much in the way of general improvement has been accomplished during the holidays for the well-being and convenience of the pupils. By means of a first-class heating apparatus, the spacious apartments of the Institution possess the advantage of a constant genial temperature. Suitable arrangements, combining a strict attention to comfort and economical charges, are made for young ladies either attending the Normal School or otherwise engaged, who would wish to enjoy the benefit of a quiet and home-like boarding house. For particulars apply to the Mother Superior. aug18

CIGAR AND CIGARETTE SMOKERS!

The effects of the Tobacco Habit on the human system are so similar to the effects of Dyspepsia, a New Brunswick physician who had been cured by "Dyspepticure" was led to try this remedy on a patient broken down by the use of tobacco. The results were almost magical—immediate relief and a perfect cure in a few weeks. "Dyspepticure" always takes away the desire for smoking. 1w—aug24

Davies' New Drug Store.

WE are now fully opened for business, and invite the public to come and inspect our new Store.

Our stock of Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Fancy, Toilet and miscellaneous articles has been doubled, and the public will not find a more complete stock in any Drug Store on the Island.

We are carrying a very choice line of French, English and German Perfumes, also in Fancy Soaps.

We have also added to the attraction of our new Store an elaborate Soda Fountain, the finest ever imported to Charlottetown, where the popular beverages of the season are dispensed. An important point with our beverages is that the Syrups run through the Fountain are made with genuine Fruit Juices, not artificial flavors.

The choicest brands of Havana Cigars in the city, Tobacco, Cigarettes, Pipes, Tobacco Pouches, etc. Give us a call.
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P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY.

FUTURITY RACE.

IN connection with the P. E. Island Futurity Race, to be held at Summerside on Wednesday, 26th August, inst., a SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAIN will leave Charlottetown at 8 30 a. m., standard ; returning, will leave Summerside at 5.15 p. m., standard.

Return Tickets will be issued by this Train at undermentioned rates :—

Charlottetown, Royalty Junction, Winsloe, Milton	$1 00
Colville, Loyalist, North Wiltshire, Hunter River, Bradalbane, Cape Traverse, Albany	75

Other Stations, single first-class fare.

J. UNSWORTH,
Superintendent.

Railway Office, Charlottetown, August 22, 1891.

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WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

WANTED.—A competent person to act as nurse, for an infant. Apply to DR. BEER. aug 24

WANTED.—Immediately, a servant girl, with good references. Apply to MRS. WILLIAM HEARD, Upper Prince Street. aug 24

LOST.—On Saturday evening, between the rear entrance of Post Office and the Diamond Bookstore, a flat Safe Key. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office. aug24

FOR THE RACES!—For sale, one new Sulky, second to none on the Island ; also, one good Track Sulky, very little used, made last year, cheap for cash at W. C. TICE'S, next door to Fish Market, Grafton Street m t f pd—au24

WANTED.—A good general servant. References required. Apply to MISS ANNIE ALLEY, Prince Street. 3i pd—aug22

TO LET.—A Store on Queen Street, lately occupied by E. S. Bonnell ; also, a Dwelling House and Stable next door. Apply to R. K. BRACE. tf—aug22

WANTED.—A general servant in a family of three, where a servant man is kept. Hot and cold water through the house. Good wages to a smart girl. Apply at this office. aug22 -3i pd

WANTED.—Two female cooks at St. Dunstan's College, about 1st September. Apply at the College. 1w—aug22

WANTED.—A nurse in a family of four. Good reference required. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. aug21

WANTED AT ONCE.—Parlor and housemaid, with good references. High wages. Apply at THE EXAMINER office. aug21

WANTED.—A servant for general housework. Apply to MRS. C. V. MCGREGOR, Prince Street. aug21

WANTED.—A housemaid in a small family. Washing given out. Inquire at this office. aug21—tf

TO LET.—A House on Pownal Street, lately occupied by R. F. DeBlois. Possession given immediately. Apply to THOMAS W. DODD. july31—tf

FOUND.—A plan of part of Charlottetown. Apply at this office. aug20

WANTED.—A general servant in a small family. Apply at this office. tf—aug20

WANTED.—A general servant. Apply at once to MRS. F. PARKER CARVELL, Pownal St aug1—tf

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RECEIVED TO-DAY

Ex S. S. "Ottawa" from London:

Black and Colored French Lacing Cords,
Children's Cashmere Hosiery,
Black French Merinoes,
Black Silk Velvets,
Black Velvet Ribbons,
Black Silk Ribbons,
Black and Colored Lacings,
Black and Colored Plain Sateens,
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Black and White Print Cottons.
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Charlottetown, August 7, 1891—eod & wky

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It is impossible to enumerate all the lots that have been offered, but the following list will give some idea of the leading lines:—

Black Silks, Dress Goods, Print Cottons, Sunshades, Umbrellas, Waterproofs, Dolmans, Jackets, Capes, Trunks, Valises, Readymade Clothing, Underclothing, Blouses, etc.

Sale will last about Three Weeks longer.

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Top Shirts. Shirts and Drawers, Ladies' Vests.

We have bought at the lowest prices and guarantee the very best value in the city.

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