

Local and Other Items.

The steamer Carroll sailed from Halifax for Boston on the 24th. The steamer M. A. Starr will sail from Halifax for this port to-morrow. A Brass Band was organized at Summerside on Tuesday evening last. Fresh Flower and Garden Seeds just received at Rankin's Drug Store.—31. We see by the Patriot that there was a fog over the harbor yesterday morning! REMEMBER the Oddfellows Natal Day entertainment in the Market Hall to-night. There are four candidates for the Mayoralty of Pictou. The election takes place on the 7th May. The gates leading to Hillsborough Park are open again—affording pasturage to cows, pigs, geese and goats. Mr. NEWTON LEA, of Summerside, arrived in this city with his stallion "All Right," last evening. "All Right" is a very showy animal, and attracts a great deal of attention.

MESSRS. McSWEEN, Muncy and Shreve arrived from Summerside by noon train to take part in the entertainment of to-night. Friend Graves, of the Journal, is also with them. The children of the several schools in this city are being drilled extensively for their march to the West End ceremonies on Monday next. The school mairns assume a very military appearance.

A MEETING of the Charlottetown Lacrosse Club will be held in the Citizen's Skating Rink to-morrow (Saturday) evening, at eight o'clock, at which all members, or those intending to join, are requested to attend.

MR. JAS. HUGHES' water cart came to grief by one of the wheels giving way, at the corner of Richmond and Queen streets, this forenoon. The contents of the puncheon were turned into the street, after which the obstruction was removed.

TRUCKMEN are being prosecuted for not keeping up to the rule of numbering their vehicles. At the Magistrates Court this morning, Henry Charlton was fined 5 cents and costs for having no number on his truck. Augustus Down, Angus DesRoche, William Turner, for the same offense, was fined twenty cents and costs. John Diamond, for the same offense, was fined \$1.50 and costs.

The New York Bulletin says that a feature of the export trade is the large number of agricultural implements going abroad, most of them, it is understood, being intended for Germany. One steamer that sailed on the 13th inst. took out no less than 1,000 packages of mowers and reapers, in addition to 1,500 packages of hardware and general merchandise.

An "old country" farmer came to Halifax a week or two ago with £1,500, which he intended to invest in a farm in Nova Scotia, but determined to enjoy city life for a time before settling down to honest toil, he strayed away from his boarding house, and was not seen again for several days. On his return on Saturday last he was minus the whole of his money, plus two black eyes, and could not tell where he had lost the one or received the other.

A FORTUNE.—A meeting of the Hilton heirs was held last week at New Dublin, Lunenburg County. It is reported that some millions of dollars invested in cotton mills and other property in England, will fall into the hands of the heirs. Messrs. Hilton and Remby, of New Dublin, were appointed to proceed to England at once to look after the property. Mrs. Dagget, of this town, will be entitled to a large share of the fortune.—Liverpool (N. S.) Times.

There was a large and active market to-day. Prices have a downward tendency, as follows: Beef (small) from 9 to 14 cents per lb.; do (per quarter) from 8 to 10 cents. Pork (per carcass) from 5 to 6 cents per lb. Mutton, from 8 to 12 cents per lb. Veal from 4 to 7 cents per lb. Turkeys from 80 cents to \$1.50. Butter (fresh) from 23 to 26 cents per lb.; do (tub) from 9 to 22 cents per lb. Clover seed from 24 to 30 cents per lb. Timothy seed from \$3.50 to \$4.50 per bushel. Hay from 80 cents to \$1 per 100 lbs.

At 11 o'clock this forenoon a man named Joseph McCormack, of Souris East, narrowly escaped instant death by a kick he received from Dr. Jenkins' horse, "Royal Harry." A large crowd was assembled before Dodd's Medical Hall, inspecting Mr. Newton Lee's stallion, "All Right." "Royal Harry" was on the street at the time, and, as he passed "All Right," the crowd dispersed; but Mr. McCormack kept his place on the middle of the street. The groom, thinking the crowd sufficiently side, gave the horse a full rein, whereupon he instantly turned towards McCormack and dealt him a terribly violent kick in the face, which felled him senseless to the ground. Everyone present was struck with amazement at what they thought an instant death. Some shouted "he is killed! he is surely killed!" and those near-by thought it useless to leave hands upon him. However, on examination by Dr. Jenkins it was found that the injury received was not so serious as at first anticipated. One of the shoe-corks penetrated his cheek at the right side of the nose, leaving a ghastly wound about an inch and one-half long. The jaw-bone was not fractured, and other than the above there was no injury apparent. He remained insensible for about an hour, during which time the wound was stitched and dressed. At last accounts he was doing well.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE SITUATION.

(Special Despatch to Examiner.) LONDON, April 25. A despatch says that the British Consuls are still unsuccessful in negotiations for an armistice between the Turks and insurgents of Argino. The Turks have been defeated by the insurgents near Karaditza. A Constantinople telegram says: "It now comes that the circular received on the 10th inst., said to have been sent by the Porte to its representatives abroad recognizing the San Stefano treaty as the result of the war, expressing a determination to loyally carrying out its terms, but at the same time saying that the Porte would regard as opportune any modification which might be made, and pledging the Porte to carry out the projected reforms, was not sent out by the Porte, nor is there any circular whatever regarding the San Stefano treaty to be issued."

BELGRADE, April 25. General Leschyanin has returned from St. Petersburg with an autograph letter from the Czar thanking the Serbian troops and acknowledging their bravery by concurring in the cession of Wranja and Leitu to Serbia and promising to have all possible regard for Serbia's wishes.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 25. The Russians have established a telegraph line between San Stefano and St. George, a few miles north, and are now constructing roads.

The Turkish Seraskierate has received information that the insurrection in Roumania is spreading.

There has been another engagement, in which 60 officers, presumably Russians, were placed hors de combat.

Three thousand prisoners of war from Bucharest were landed at Constantinople on Wednesday. The return of prisoners from Russia has been postponed until their maintenance is paid for.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 25. The Agence Russe announces that negotiations continue in a friendly manner by intercourse of Cabinets.

There will also, before Congress meets, be an exchange of views between the Cabinets upon the principal questions at issue.

England's demands more than an acknowledgment of the European character of the questions raised by recent events, as Prince Gortschakoff's reply to Lord Salisbury was in absolute affirmation of such acknowledgment.

MONTREAL, April 23. The notorious Goff is out again to-day with another set of trumped-up charges against ex-Solicitor Baker. Baker has a crushing reply for to-morrow morning's papers. Goff is arrested on six or seven indictments. The whole thing is a miserable political intrigue at which respectable Liberals are disgusted.

A man named John Bladé was killed by a derrick on the Lachine Canal.

The old Champ de Mars is being restored in capital order for military drill.

To-day M. Masson, an old and leading merchant, died very suddenly. He was connected with many financial institutions, and Director and leading shareholder in the Merchants' Bank.

Rine, the temperance lecturer, has gone to Stratford to stand his trial for indecent assault.

Political Notes.

The jury having failed to agree, Hon. Alexander McKenzie has not succeeded in getting any verdict against the Sarnia Canadian in the libel suit about which so much fuss was made. Perhaps the Premier will "try again."

In the Toronto Globe we read the following paragraph: "The British Parliament House has sunk over two inches during the past year."

We do not see anything to wonder at in that. The McKenzie Government has sunk over three millions during the past year.

The Lower Canadian journals harping on the revolutionary string supplied by our leading Grit contemporary, in giving the division on the motion of Sir John McDonald in regard to the Quebec coup d'etat say, "For the Legislative union or for censuring Lieutenant Governor Letellier," and then follow the names of those who voted with Sir John. If the Legislative union would be imperilled by the House of Commons pronouncing an opinion upon the conduct of M. Letellier, then we suppose Lieutenant Governors in Canada can do just as they please, subject only to an appeal to the people of their respective provinces. In other words, they are in a position of far greater independence than the Governor General, on whose conduct the Imperial House of Commons would not hesitate to vote if it saw fit.—Mail.

NOTICE!

IN giving up business in Charlottetown, the undersigned takes this opportunity of thanking his many customers and patrons for their liberal support since his commencement in business, and would intimate that he will sell his present stock of

BOOTS & SHOES

at cost, till 1st of May, by which date he would respectfully request persons indebted to him to settle their respective accounts. Also, The unexpired Term of a Lease of the Shop on Queen Street will be disposed of at a bargain. FRANK EDEN. Ch'town, April 16, 1878—2 aw for 3w th&sat

NO LONGER AGENT!

Our Agreement with W. H. OLIVE, of St. John, N. B., has this day terminated by mutual consent. In the meantime, parties desiring Machinery can obtain information from us direct, or through AMOS FISHER, TRURO, N. S., or JOHN WELSH, St. Martin's, N. B. BOTH PRACTICAL MEN WHOSE JUDGMENT AND ADVICE CAN BE RELIED ON. PRICES REDUCED! Great Improvements in our SAW IRONS—PORTABLE GRIST MILLS—PORTABLE SAW MILLS. WATEROUS ENGINE WORKS CO., Brantford, Canada. April 17, 1878.

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THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Citizens' Skating Rink Company will be held in the RINK on Wednesday, May 8th, at 8 o'clock, p. m. By order, J. R. BRECKEN, Sec'y. Ch'town, April 24, 1878—wed & sat till d

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ON SALE,

At the Charlottetown Steam Bakery, LOW FOR CASH, 525 Barrels Navy Biscuit, 150 " Medium " 200 " No. 1 Pilot (thick). JOHN QUIRK, Charlottetown Steam Bakery. Prince Street, April 11—ne & pat 1m

SALE OF LAND.

TO be Sold at Public Auction, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April instant, at half past twelve o'clock, at Neil Woodside's House, at Alberton, One Road of LAND, with a Two-Storey Building thereon, situate on Lot Four, formerly the property of William T. Lefurgey, and lately owned by Richard Keiff. Dated April 24, 1878. PALMER & McLEOD. April 24—s j li

AUCTION!

Valuable Property in Charlottetown Royalty.

To be Sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of July next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the third day of March, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-seven, and made between John Wilson, of Charlottetown Royalty, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, butcher, and Elizabeth Wilson, his wife, of the one part, and George Peake and Ralph Brecken Peake, of Charlottetown, in said County and Island, Trustees, under the marriage settlement, of Fanny Leigh, of the other part.

ALL that Tract, Piece or Parcel of Land situate, lying and being in the Royalty of Charlottetown, the same being marked and numbered upon the plan of the said Royalty, kept in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds and Keeper of Plans for the said Island, as Pasture Lot Number Three Hundred and Forty-four (344), containing, by estimation, Twelve Acres of Land, more or less, bounded on the west by the Malpeque Road; on the north by lot number three hundred and sixty three; on the east by lot number three hundred and forty-five; and on the south by lot number three hundred and nineteen, together with all Buildings, Rights, Members and Appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown. Dated this twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1878.

GEORGE PEAKE, RALPH B. PEAKE.

April 25—t sale

AUCTION!

MORTGAGE SALE.

To be Sold, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of May next, A. D. 1878, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the Sixteenth day of December, A. D. 1873, and made between Alexander McSwain, junior, and Guelielma, his wife, and Alexander McSwain, senior, of Township Number Twenty-one, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, of the one part, and George Peake and Ralph Brecken Peake, of Charlottetown, in the said County and Island, Trustees, under the marriage settlement, of Fanny Leigh, of the other part.

ALL that Tract, Piece or Parcel of Land being on Lot or Township Number Twenty-one, in said County and Island, bounded as follows, that is to say: By a line commencing at a stake fixed on the northwest side of a road from Haslam's to Rattenbury's Mill, in the southwest angle of farm lot number seventy-four; thence (according to the magnetic meridian of 1764) north fifty-seven chains, or to the rear line of farms fronting on the Wigmore Road; thence along said rear line west eight chains; thence south to the aforesaid road; thence following the course of the same, northeastwardly, to the place of commencement, said land being known and distinguished as Farm Lot Number Seventy; three, as laid down on a plan in the margin of a Deed thereof, from the Government of said Island to the said Alexander McSwain, junior, containing Fifty Acres of Land, a little more or less, together with all Buildings and Appurtenances thereto belonging.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown. Dated this Eleventh day of April, A. D., 1878.

GEORGE PEAKE, RALPH B. PEAKE.

April 11, 1878—till sale

AUCTION!

Fishing Station at Rustico.

TO BE SOLD, ON THURSDAY, the 9th May next, at 11 o'clock, on the premises,

THE FISHING STATION of the late E. E. Churchill, which comprises all that tract of Land situate on Rustico Beach, in Lot 24, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a stake set in the west side of Water Terrace, and in the northeast angle of Fishing Station No. 1, in possession of R. B. Morrison, and running thence by the Magnetic Meridian of the year 1764, south sixty degrees west, two hundred feet, to the shore of Rustico Bay; thence north sixty degrees, east to the said Terrace; and thence southwardly along the same to the place of commencement—together with Buildings thereon.

ALSO—4 Fishing BOATS, and 33 PUNCHCOONS, together with 100 lbs of Fishing Gear, Baits, Barrels, &c., &c. Terms at sale. J. S. CARVELL, Administrator. Ch'town, March 11—eod wkly t sale

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