

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

COSTS LESS HERE.—To be in the swim in New York requires from \$25,000 to \$100,000 a year.

I. O. O. F.—Important business in St. Lawrence Lodge to-night. Election of representatives to Grand Lodge.

IMPROVING PROPERTY.—Mr. James Currie, who lately purchased the Lord property, is having extensive improvements made thereon.

BARB BURNED.—On Saturday afternoon a barn belonging to a man named Wyand, on the Cavendish Road, caught fire from the lightning and was burned to the ground.

H. M. S. BLAKE COMING.—David Small, Esq., Harbor Master of this port, has received a letter from the Staff Commander of H. M. S. Blake, stating that that vessel will visit Charlottetown about the 17th of next month.

MILITARY.—The officers and men of No. 3 Company, 82nd Batt., will meet this (Monday) evening at the Drill Shed at 8 o'clock, sharp. Every member of the company is requested to be present.—D. Stewart, Captain.

AQUATIC.—A singlescull race took place this afternoon on the Hillsborough River between a well-known electrician and James Bradley, for a purse, distance one mile, with turn. The race was won by the former in 15 minutes.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH.—Last evening the Rev. Thomas Duncan preached an able sermon to one of the largest congregations ever assembled within the walls of St. James' Church. The choir was ably assisted on the occasion by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ryder and Miss Wood, of the First Baptist Church, Reading, Mass. Mr. Bell presided at the organ with his usual skill.

COURT NEWS.—In the Chancery Court at Georgetown the taking of evidence in the case of Westaway vs. Westaway was concluded on Saturday, after which the Court adjourned. The argument of counsel will be heard in Charlottetown. The City Court and the Appeal Court were in session this forenoon. Judge Fitzgerald presided.

CRICKET.—The cricket match, Phoenix vs. Cabot, to have been played at the Park on Saturday afternoon last, did not come off. At half-past three o'clock the full Cabot team were on the field, but only four of the Phoenix team put in an appearance. After a few minutes' delay a scratch game was arranged, but at about 7 o'clock play had to be stopped on account of the rain. We learn that the match is indefinitely postponed.

SOME RECENT FIRES.—Seven buildings were destroyed by fire at Shediac on Saturday morning, at four o'clock. The fire started in the rear of the Union Hotel, whence it spread to the old post office, the First Methodist Church and other buildings. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

A fire at Bouchette on Thursday night resulted in the loss of about \$10,000 worth of property. The fire started in an unfinished building intended for a hotel. In one of the barns destroyed were several valuable horses, which could not be saved.

CROP REPORTS.—The first crop report for 1893 was issued by the Nova Scotia Government's Secretary for Agriculture on Friday. It is up to the 10th of July. The hay crop does not promise much above three quarters of the average; potatoes are fair, wheat is nearly up to the average; barley good; buckwheat good. The fruit prospects thus far are for a good crop.

Excellent reports have been received concerning the condition of the crops in the Northwest and throughout the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

EASTERN NOTES.

The Gowan Brae cheese factory is doing good work. Over a hundred cheeses are already manufactured. The building is first-class. Mr. White, the contractor, spared no pains in making it fully up to the specifications. He deserves credit, and gets it from shareholders and milk suppliers alike. Some who were a little timorous at first in embarking in this new enterprise now feel satisfied that cheese farmers more than any other branch of industry yet tried. The probability is that next year the output of cheese at Gowan Brae will be nearly double that of this year, as many who have been holding back are likely to fall into line next season, if not sooner.

Lumber factories all promptly closed on the 15th. Both fishermen and packers are satisfied with the Government regulations this year. It is hoped that present rules will be adhered to for awhile at least. Changing them too often is bad for the business.

The tea party at St. Margaret's was well attended. A large number of people gathered early in the day. The rain which came at noon interfered somewhat with the arrangements, but all hands bravely stood to their post till it was over. Cakes sold well and every body went home pleased.

A strawberry festival came off last Sunday at Kingsboro, which was well patronized. Quite a number of the villagers of Souris, taking advantage of the exceedingly fine day for a drive to the East, helped to swell the numbers on the festival grounds. The cakes were auctioned off at the close by Mr. Wm. McLean, G'd to meet, sorry to part was felt, it is not expressed, by more than one bachelor friend as the gathering dispersed.

Rev. Mr. Bishop, after filling the pulpit of the Kingsboro and the Souris Baptist churches for the last six years, has resigned his charge, intending to go back to his old home in Wolfville, N. S. His resignation, which will take effect some time early next month, has been accepted with regret on the part of his congregation. As a pastor he is very much liked. Outside of his own church he is also regarded as a man of refinement, a polished speaker and kind and considerate to all.

Rev. Mr. Dutcher, late of Vernon River, is now settled in Souris. Rev. D. H. Lodge is in Souris visiting friends. On Saturday evening he received a telegram telling him that his church at Shediac was in ashes. At the evening services in the Methodist Church, Souris, on Sunday last, the pastor referred to the calamitous circumstances that occurred at Shediac in the burning of so many valuable buildings, among them the church whose pastor was present in the audience.

No One Knows

where all the pins and buttons that are made go to. Few know where all their handkerchiefs disappear to. Umbrellas have also been known to vanish whilst the owner's back was turned. Ah, well! 'Tis an ill wind '—you know the rest. Umbrellas, Sunshades and Handkerchiefs are always in demand. Don't lose this opportunity of replacing "the lost and missing." We are going to give you a money-saving chance. Don't pass it. Men are also invited.

BEER BROS. Weather Bulletin. Toronto, July 24, 10 a. m. Westerly to northerly winds; fresh or strong during the day, fine and cool.

THE NORTON BLOCK.

A Brief Description of the Handsome Structure—Macdonald's New Building. Work on the handsome and commodious store of Messrs. B. E. Norton & Co., on the site of the building destroyed by fire last winter, is about completed. The structure reflects great credit upon the owners and builders, and will add materially to the appearance of the street on which it is located. The building is three stories high with basement, and is built of brick throughout. There is a fire proof wall between it and the adjoining building, where the fire came through last winter. The principal repairs and alterations made consist of the putting in of the new fire-proof wall referred to, and a new front and floor and roof. The brickwork in the front is relieved by the introduction of grey freestone trimmings, which add materially to the beauty of the structure. The old style windows of the former building have all been replaced by larger and more modern ones, and other useful alterations have been made to the exterior. The interior of the main store has been considerably improved and beautified by the addition of a new ceiling artistically finished in natural wood, and the office has been made more commodious and comfortable. A new, wide stairway has been built at the rear of the store, and an elevator of modern design for the transferring of freight from the basement to the upper story, and vice versa, has also been placed in position. The foundation has been greatly strengthened, several new columns and supports having been put in,—and the building is now better adapted for the carrying on of a general hardware business than ever before. To put the structure in its present shape, Mr. Norton says, cost about \$3,000. The work of erection was performed under the superintendence of Mr. Charles McGregor, and the men employed were paid by the day. Mr. J. B. McDonald is erecting a very handsome brick structure next to Messrs. Norton & Co.'s building, which he hopes to have ready for occupation in a short time. When the work is a little further advanced we shall endeavor to give the general public an idea of what the structure will be like.

The Sparham Case.

KEMPTVILLE, July 24.—Much interest is felt by residents of this place in the case of Mr. W. F. Sparham, of Ottawa, to whom reference was made in an Ottawa despatch a few days ago, as a sufferer delivered from kidney disease by the use of Dr. Dodd's kidney pills. Mr. Sparham was born and brought up here, and is well known and universally popular. His friends here had heard of his illness and his failure to obtain relief from all the medicines he tried before taking the pills. Their wonderful effect in his case will make the remedy more popular in this vicinity, for all now are fully aware of his good properties.

THEY WON'T PAY TAXES.—The Bathurst Courier says the Protestants of that place who are opposed to the present arrangements of the school trustees have determined to resist the payment of school taxes, and that Mr. C. N. Skinner has been in town in the interests of the orangemen.

Progress of the Home Rule Bill.

LONDON, July 20.—The last eleven clauses of the home rule bill were brought through the committee stage in the house of commons this evening. Clause 39, concerning the significance of terms used in the bill, was lost and the other clauses carried. There was a total lack of excitement throughout the evening.

IT COMES HIGH.—There are six subjects on the Murphy gold cure institute, Halifax. The fee is \$75, payable in three weekly instalments.

Mrs. Lochhead will give instruction in all branches of art, drawing, and painting in water color, oil, gouache and tapestry, from casts, life, still life, and natural. Classes will also be formed in sketching from nature. Orders taken for portraits. For terms, etc., apply to Mrs. Lochhead's Studio, Dundas Esplanade, before the 1st of August. jy22 lw

LOCAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this heading charged for at the rate of ten cents per line.

New hats, new corsets, new trunks, new calhairs, new canisters, new notions, new butter bins, new peas, at Gay's stalls, Market. th&mon

Extra value in Men's White Shirts—laundried and unlaundried.—Moore & McLeod. 31—jy24

Porcelain Lined Fruit Jars.—Opening to-day at Geo. Carter & Co's, 116 Queen Street, a large lot of these excellent preserve jars, in three sizes half gallon, quart and pint, will be sold cheap. Special prices for lots of one dozen or over.

If you don't see big advertisements about our Clearance Sale before removing to our new store (the former site of the Diamond Bookstore), it is because we are too busy to advertise. But the bargains are here just the same.—Bazaar Co.

The Steam Feather will not go to the World's Fair—too busy.

You may consult the best physicians in town, but unless you have your beds and mattresses put through the steam process you cannot enjoy perfect health.

You have had all kinds of sickness on your mattress, and it has been in use for some twenty years; send it to the Steam Renovator and it will be made better than ever. Leave your order with W. F. Carter.

A lady says, "I never knew what a good night's rest was till I had my mattress renovated; it is far better than new." Will be in operation for one month. Leave orders at W. F. Carter's.

MARRIED.

At Boston, June 28th, Daniel A. McKay, of P. E. Island, to Sadie McAskill, of Cape Breton.

At Little Sands, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. E. Gillis, Alexander McLean, of Gray's Road to Catherine Gillis, of Little Sands.

DIED.

Pearl Esther, the beloved and only daughter of Peter A. Dewar, Esq., at their home, Montague Bridge, July 15, aged 5 years and seven days.

Go to thy rest fair child! Go to thy dream-land bed! While yet so gentle, untroubled, With blessings on thy head. Shall love with weak embrace, Thy upward flight detain? No! gentle angel seek thy place Amid the cherub train. Frederick S., beloved and infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and Elizabeth J. Kennedy, at their home, Kinloch, July 16, aged two months and sixteen days. Eye sin could blight or sorrow fade, Death timely came with friendly care! The opening bud to heaven conveyed, And laid it bloom forever there.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, the great Blood and Nerve Remedy. Drugs Are Necessary for the cure of disease. It is also necessary that all drugs should be absolutely pure, otherwise their use will be of no benefit. We handle only the purest Drugs, Chemicals, and guarantee their purity. A. S. JOHNSON, Cor. Kent and Prince Streets.

Blue Serges For Summer.

It is economical, very dressy, very durable, and is now in style. Stabilis Dye. Will not shrink, will not spot. Not affected by sea water. "Porous and therefore healthy." A large assortment now in stock. Plain and fancies.

STANLEY BROTHERS, BROWN'S BLOCK.

All Readymade Clothing for Summer Wear

MUST BE SOLD.

Prices Reduced to Ensure a Sale!

For the balance of this Month we offer all our Summer Clothing for Men, Boys and Children at lowest possible prices. A rare chance to secure Clothing cheap. Come early in order to get the best selection.

McKAY WOOLEN COMPANY.

Charlottetown, July 21, 1893—m w f

A Heavy Purchase.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.

Between 65,000 and 75,000 Yards

Cotton Goods,

in Grev Cotton, White Cotton, Shirtings, Gingham, Prints and other Cotton Goods. Our prices to the Wholesale and Retail trade is the lowest in Charlottetown.

MIDSUMMER WHITE GOODS, in Ladies' Underclothing, Ladies' Night Dresses, Ladies' Chemises, Ladies' Knickers. Low Prices this Month in Skirtings, Muslin Flouncings, Cambric Flouncings, Children's Flouncings, in 12, 15, 18, 21 and 27 inches wide.

LADIES' GLOVES in the best makes only. We keep a full line of Black and Colored Kid Gloves always on hand, and we guarantee all Gloves at \$1.00 per pair and upwards.

CORSETS.—We show a large range and keep all sizes in stock. Our Retail trade is increasing very fast. Our Wholesale trade is the largest Dry Goods on the Island. We buy large quantities; we sell large quantities. Begin to trade with us and you will always trade with us.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail, Queen Street Charlottetown, July 7, 1893.

Our Holiday Stock

JUST COMING IN

and we think we have something to suit everyone. Space would not permit us to describe them—call and examine.

We want to GIVE AWAY 3,000 more Rolls of Paper, and about 200 Blinds, only asking about what it costs us to wrap them up.

If you want Curtain Poles or Pictures, we can tell you the best place in town to get them. Students for examination at Prince of Wales College will find it to their advantage to call on us. We have bought a stock of FOOLSCAP of the BEST QUALITY, PADDED, with marginal line, on purpose for this trade. See it. Leave your orders for midsommer number of "Graphic," "London News," and "Gentlewomen." They will contain full accounts of the Royal Wedding, also Illustrations and Supplements.

BAZAAR COMPANY, QUEEN STREET. Ch'town, July 2, tts.

Nice Clothes

Made up in first-class style, of the very best Tweeds and Suitings in the city.

Well Dressed Men

Always patronize fashionable Tailors. We invite inspection.

Our Good Fits

Are a by-word in Charlottetown.

James McLeod & Son,

BRUCE'S GREAT SALE

Men's Furnishings, Custom & Readymade Clothing, COMMENCES TO-DAY.

Prices are cut to the very lowest in Shirts, Ties

Collars, Underwear, Hosiery, Hats, Readymade

Clothing; also in Custom-made Clothing. Call early.

D. A. BRUCE.

Charlottetown, July 4, 1893—tu th sat

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YOU MUST USE Berger's English Pure Paris Green.

CERTAIN TO KILL!

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Via the Fast, Magnificent Steamers "HALIFAX" & "OLIVETTE" From Halifax every Tuesday and Thursday at 8 p. m., and Saturdays at 10 p. m.

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Charlottetown to Boston ON SATURDAYS.

For only \$5.00 passengers can leave Charlottetown on Saturday morning and connect with Saturday Evening Steamer, arriving at Boston on Monday at 8 a. m. The quickest route!

Don't travel second-class when you can go via the fast Short Line and the well-known steamer "HALIFAX" and "OLIVETTE" for the same money.

For Tickets apply to the Charlottetown Navigation Company. jy14

Pickford & Black.

Halifax & P. E. Island S. S. Line. STEAMER FASTNET

Leaves Halifax, N. S., for Charlottetown every Monday, 6 p. m. Arrives Charlottetown from Halifax about 6 a. m., Wednesday.

Leaves Charlottetown for Summerside about 10 a. m., Wednesday.

Arrives Charlottetown from Summerside about 4 a. m., Thursday.

Leaves Charlottetown for Halifax, N. S., 4 p. m., Thursday.

For Freight or Passage apply to W. W. CLARKE, Agent, Charlottetown, July 12, 1893.

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The Premises recently occupied by Mr. John Beer, corner Cumberland Fitzroy Streets—a commodious and pleasantly situated house, fitted throughout with hot water heating apparatus—with good stable and coach house. Apply to W. W. BEER.

Light Brahma Chickens A FEW very fine ones, for sale cheap, if taken immediately. F. C. COTTON. July 16

Wants, Lost, Found, &c

Advertisements under this heading charged five cents per line.

WANTED—A house containing seven or eight rooms in upper part of the town, with stable and garden. Apply to G. H. TAYLOR. jy23-31

TO LET—One-half of a double tenement house on Hillsboro, near the ferry, recently occupied by B. C. Proves. For particulars apply to Wm. Wyatt or B. C. Proves. cod 14—jy22

LOST—On the road between South Witshire and Charlottetown, on Friday evening, a brown overcoat, owner will reward finder for his trouble if the article is left at the EXAMINER office. dy 23—jy22

WANTED—By the 28th of July, an experienced girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. W. CLARKE, Prince Street. 14—jy21

LOST—Yesterday, between the Kirk and Victoria Park, by the shore route, a lady's silver watch, with Robt. Stuart. Finder will be rewarded by leaving the same with Mrs. ALEX. BROWN, Fitzroy Street. 14—jy21

WANTED TO HIRE, for about two months, a good, quiet, family carriage horse, not less than 150 lbs weight, to drive round town.—J. UNSWORTH. 14—jy20

TO LET—A cottage situated on Pleasant Street, containing eight rooms in front and rear, at present occupied by John A. McLean, Esq.; also situated in the same location given immediately. Apply to Mr. Thomas McQuinn, Lower Queen Street, or to the owner, EDWARD KELLY. 14

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A man-servant. Wages \$12 per month. Apply on Friday, 2nd July, 10 a. m., following market days to EDWARD BAYFIELD, at the office of Messrs. Bayfield and Blanchard. jy16 dw 17

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