

Local and Other Items.

Mr. A. J. McInnis is at the Osborne. L. E. Proven is opening New Goods today. Rev. T. B. Reagh, New London, is at the Osborne. Clara M. Rris, the actress, is a Canadian. She was born in Toronto. One case of drunkenness at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon. The steamer M. A. Starr leaves Halifax for Charlottetown on Tuesday 29th inst. The crossing near J. D. McLeod's corner requires a little attention from the City Surveyor. The Northern Light reached Pictou this forenoon. She will return to Georgetown this evening. AYER'S HAIR VIGOR restores gray hair to its original color, and makes the hair vigorous and abundant. NEW FLOWERS, FEATHERS, RIBBONS, DRESS GOODS, SILKS, SATINS, HATS, etc., opened today, at L. E. PROVEN'S. The steamer Summerside left for Pictou this morning, taking with her freight, mails and passengers. She left Pictou with passengers, mails and freight at three o'clock. MR. R. BOOTH, representative of the large Far dealing and hat firm of Greene & Sons Company, Montreal, is making his Spring tour of the Province. He is staying at the Rankin. The Black Diamond Line steamer Coban, Capt. Robert Fraser, arrived at New York from Central America on Sunday after a passage of seven days. She will sail from New York for Pictou on Wednesday. By telegram to Peake Bros & Co., bark Moselle and barkentine Crema were passing through Canso this morning, the former vessel making the run from Liverpool in 24 days and the latter vessel from London in 21 days. The steamer Princess of Wales is taking in freight for Point de Chene, and will leave for Summerside and the Point as soon as the ice permits. The harbor at Point de Chene and the straits outside of Summerside are reported full of ice. The mails which arrived in Georgetown by the Northern Light, on Saturday evening, were brought to the city by the regular train to-day. Were they detained in Pictou, a howl for "efficient communication with the Mainland" would be heard. JOSEPH DIXON, of Grand River, P. E. Island, fell from the mainmast of the steamer Texas at Halifax on Wednesday last. His right shoulder, and his left leg above the ankle, were badly fractured. He is at the Hospital, and is progressing favorably. ALL our druggists now heartily endorse the amazing success of Mack's Magnetic Medicine, and recommend it for both sexes in all cases of sexual weakness. Sold in Charlottetown by Apothecaries Hall. See advertisement in another column. [ap28 1w w. The Sydney Mines Agricultural Society are about importing an improved breed of pigs from P. E. Island. We understand improvement in this kind was much desired. This society has, since its inception, been very active in introducing improved stock.—North Sydney Herald. One of the greatest scandals of the day is, that of the four million francs subscribed by the public charity of Europe for the benefit of the survivors in the Casamicicola earthquake, last July, not a cent has yet been distributed. The contributions are at Naples, in the hands of a central committee which renders no account of them. CHIEF JUSTICE HAGARTY, of Toronto, in addressing the Toronto Grand Jury, referred at length to the Mowat conspiracy case. He lamented the violence of party warfare which had striven so shamefully to prejudice a vital question affecting the honor and character of public men, as well as the guilt or innocence of the persons charged. P. T. BARNUM offers a prize of five hundred dollars for the best poem descriptive of the sacred White Elephant recently imported by him from the land of Buddha. If some of our local bards would take a turn at the White Elephant and give "Gentle Spring" a rest, their time would be more profitably employed and the life of "eye newspaper man" made more enjoyable. THE necessity of keeping firearms out of the reach of mischievous boys was made painfully evident on Saturday last. A boy named James Lawlor, son of Mr. Lawlor, laborer, was seriously and almost fatally shot, while he, with a number of others, were playing with a loaded pistol. The facts, as far as we can learn, are: Young Lawlor, who is about twelve years of age, went to Belvidere Woods with a half dozen others of his own size. They had with them a pistol and ammunition and they ranged the woods to their own amusement. At Beer's Creek they rested and while comparing notes the pistol went off accidentally, and part of its contents entered the abdomen of young Lawlor. He was removed to his home, and Dr. Beer was called in attendance. The doctor succeeded in extracting some of the buckshot, but a number still remain in serious positions, and the unfortunate boy lies in a critical condition. THE breakwater just completed at Indian Point, at the entrance of Summerside Harbor, was thoroughly tested on the 22nd inst. On the evening of that date a flood-tide arose and a strong southwest wind prevailed. A large quantity of Gulf ice was carried into Summerside harbor and the current directed a portion of it towards the breakwater, which protects Indian Point lighthouse. When the tide arose full height, the ice was carried upon the breakwater and threatened its destruction; but the work stood the test admirably, and notwithstanding the fact that over twenty feet of ice was piled upon it, the breakwater was but slightly injured. The breakwater is situated at the southwest side of the lighthouse. It is four feet above high water mark, and is one hundred and forty feet long. It was built on the recommendation of Mr. Lord, agent of the Marine and Fishery Department, and was completed by Mr. Ronald Campbell, Contractor, on the 7th inst., but has not yet been taken over by the Department. The value of the work is shown by the fact that had there been no breakwater at Indian Point on the 22nd inst., the lighthouse would have been destroyed. The oldest inhabitant of Indian Point states that it is twenty-five years since a similar storm was experienced at that place.

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J. M. CURRIE, Esq., P. Master at Ottawa, died in New York, last week. It is expected that the rails for the Cape Tormentine railway, having been purchased, will be delivered in Sackville, in July. The Peters' Combination Lock Company, of Moncton, suspended operations on Tuesday. It is said the workmen's pay is several months behind. REMEMBER Campbell's auction of the balance of Mr. Nelms' stock of Stationery, Books, Novelties, etc., on Wednesday next at 11 o'clock. LADIES' and GENTS' American and Canadian Rubbers, just received. Also Gents' fine hand-made goods. J. C. SPRAOUE & Co., Sign of the Big Red Boot. [ap28 2i His HOLINESS THE POPE has decided to create another Cardinal in the United States. It is intended to always have two in the States and also one in South America. THE CANADA EDUCATIONAL MONTHLY; \$1.50 a year. [The Canada Educational Monthly Co., Limited, Toronto.] The April number of this standard independent magazine, owned and controlled by leading members of the Scholastic Profession, is to hand, and is replete with matter interesting alike to the professional and general reader. No school journal in America aims so high, or has such an able corps of regular contributors as The Monthly. The present number contains President Wilson's Inaugural Address on "Free Public Libraries;" Mr. Rye's delightful paper on "University Life in the Early Part of the 17th Century;" Mr. Tattersall's on "Educational Theories and Theorists;" and Mr. Ward's on "The Duties of the Teacher." The University, Science and School Departments are full of interest to teachers and students. The Editorial Notes on current educational questions are judicious and impartial, and indicate an intimate acquaintance with school affairs. The Educational Intelligence and Editor's Table are admirable features. We notice that the magazine is made the medium of official communication. A VERY simple method and an improvement upon the Rafer system of training vicious horses was, says the Rural Canadian, exhibited at West Philadelphia recently, and the manner in which some of the wildest horses were subdued was astonishing. The first trial was made on a kicking or "balking" mare, which her owner said had allowed no rider on her back for at least five years. She became tame in about a few minutes, and allowed herself to be ridden about without a sign of her former wildness. The means by which the result was accomplished was a piece of light rope, which was passed around the front jaw of the mare just above the front teeth, crossed in her mouth, thence secured back of her neck. It was claimed that no horse will kick or jump when thus secured, and that a horse after receiving that treatment a few times will abandon his vicious way forever. A very simple method was also shown by which a kicking horse could be shod. It consisted of connecting the animal's head and tail by means of a rope fastened to the tail and then to the bit, and then draw tightly enough to incline the animal's head to one side. This, it is claimed, makes it absolutely impossible for a horse to kick on the side of the rope. At the same exhibition a horse, which for years had to be bound on the ground to be shod, suffered the blacksmith to operate on him without attempting to kick while secured in the manner described. Natal Day. THE Independent Order of Oddfellows of this city and Summerside, celebrated the anniversary of the foundation of the Order to-day by a procession and a service in the Methodist Church. The members of Willey, Prince Edward, St. Lawrence, and Port La Joie Encampment, assembled at St. Lawrence Lodge Rooms, Queen Street, at 2 o'clock, and formed a procession headed by the band of the 82nd Battalion, marched to Church, where an appropriate service was held, and Rev. J. W. Wadman preached an eloquent sermon, taking for his text the 1st verse of the cxxiii. Psalm: "Behold how good and pleasant a thing it is for brethren to dwell together in unity." At the conclusion of service, the procession was re-formed as follows:— Band of the 82nd Battalion. Willey Lodge. Prince Edward Lodge, Summerside. St. Lawrence Lodge. Port La Joie Encampment. The members wore handsome regalia, and the elaborate banners of the different lodges looked exceedingly well, and the procession presented a very creditable appearance. After parading the different streets, they returned to St. Lawrence Lodge Room and dispersed. To night, the celebration will be concluded by a grand entertainment in Market Hall, for which extensive preparations have been made. Our Advertisers. The yachts Claribel and Carita, are to be sold at auction, at Peake's Number Three Wharf on the 6th May. All information concerning terms etc., can be obtained on application to R. R. Fitzgerald. Geo. Davies & Co., are opening their stock of new spring goods. This seasons importation is the selection of one of the firm, and is guaranteed to be first-class in every respect. N. J. Campbell, auctioneer, will sell the balance of Mr. S. T. Nelms' stock of books, stationery, novelties, etc., on Wednesday next, at 11 o'clock. See advertisement. Lemuel Wright has a supply of pearl barley and oatmeal, on hand, which he is selling cheap. The authorities in Swansea, Wales, are attempting to induce the Government to send the American mails by way of Swansea instead of through Liverpool and Queenstown, as at present. At a recent meeting of the Swansea Harbor Trust, Sir Husey Vivian stated that representations had been made to the Government which showed that during the last six months thirty-six steamers had left Swansea for New York. He said Swansea was the coal port on the English coast nearest the Atlantic, and was, besides, twelve hours nearer the United States than is Liverpool. He added that Mr. Gladstone had referred the subject to the favorable consideration of the permanent committee of the Treasury.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Responsible for the Revolt.

LONDON, April 26. The Cairo correspondent of the Times telegraphs to his paper as follows: "An English officer of great experience in the Soudan, and a friend of General Gordon, assures me that he possesses abundant proof that Sechehr Pacla is tribing in the recent uprising north of Khartoum." The Times recommends immediate inquiry into this matter.

Khartoum's Relief Postponed until Autumn.

LONDON, April 27. A council was held at the War Office this morning. It is reported that the Duke of Cambridge, Commander-in-Chief of the Army, Lord Wolseley, Adjutant-General, the Marquis of Hartington, and others in authority, advise against an expedition to be either at the present time, or any advance, until a full force shall be equipped to relieve Khartoum in the autumn.

O'Kelly Heard From.

DUBLIN, April 27. The Daily Express, of this city, says that James O'Kelly, M. P., who went to Soudan as the correspondent of the London Daily News, after the death of Edmund O'Donovan, has been taken into custody by the Egyptian authorities, suspicious documents were found in his possession, among them letters from Frenchmen to the Mahdi.

Pressing for an Advance on Berber.

LONDON, April 27. Nubar Pacha, Egyptian Prime Minister, is pressing the Government to come to an immediate decision to advance to Berber. The Egyptian troops at Assouan and other stations in Upper Egypt are dissatisfied and declare their intention of joining El Mahdi. Numbers are deserting.

Dying of Thirst.

ST. LOUIS, April 27. Advice from western Texas are to the effect that the cattle are suffering, and large numbers dying, for want of water and grass, the drought having been very severe in that section. Myriads of caterpillars have also appeared, and are destroying all kinds of vegetables.

A Terrible Cyclone.

OHIO, April 27. A terrible cyclone struck this place this afternoon, and two-thirds of the town was completely ruined. Six persons were killed.

Joining the Rebels.

LONDON, April 28. A despatch from Barbary reports that four brigades of Bashi Bazuks, and 500 soldiers have joined the rebels.

Warning the Khedive.

CAIRO, April 27. The Khedive is receiving constant letters warning him that he is doomed to a speedy death unless he abdicates.

Weather Bulletin.

PROBABILITIES for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces. TORONTO, April 28—10 a. m. Fresh southeast to southwest winds; fair milder weather, with a few local rains at night.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Charlottetown, 28th April, 1884.

Highest Temperature Saturday.....41.3 Lowest Temperature Saturday.....32.3 Highest temperature yesterday.....34.3 Lowest temperature (read at midnight).....27.4 Lowest temperature this morning.....27.8 Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....34.9 Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock.....42.0

[Written for The Examiner.]

"I'm Content on this Isle of the Sea." BY A FARMER.

Sweet Isle of Prince Edward, my own loved abode, No soil but thine own have my feet ever trod. I know Grits complain hard and say thou art not As good as the grand home our neighbors have got. But a patriot's wrath swells up in my breast, I tell them to go to the land they love best. I did not send for them, I'm sure I did not— They may all go to—Kansas, that Grit beloved spot. Yes! go to that country they fondly call free, For me, I'm content on this Isle of the Sea.

OTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOTEL. April 26.—D K Hickok, Moraville, Vermont; J P McLeod, Halifax; Daniel Stewart, Cardigan Bridge; C B Pibler, Halifax; J A Silver, Lunenburg, N.S. 28.—James Wright Summerside; Rev T B Reagh, New London; G T Marsh, do; T D Ram-ay, Summerside; M T Rogers, do; Alex Green, do; Ewen McLeod, do; Montague Farrow, do; M C Hudson, do; John Bownell, Cardigan; James McDonald, do; L Anderson, St. Peter's; A J McInnis, Murray River.

Citizens' Skating Rink.

THE General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Citizens' Skating Rink Company will be held in the Rink, on Wednesday, the 14th day of May, at eight p. m. By order. W. W. STANLEY, Secretary. [Charlottetown, April 23, 1884.—Jaw]

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Stallion Romulus.



THE imported thoroughbred Percheron-Norman stallion "Romulus," registered pedigree in Norman Stud-Book, page 2,313, vol. 3, imported direct from France, April, 1883, bred by the celebrated stallion "Romulus," winner of first prize and gold medal, over all others, at Universal Exposition, Paris, 1878, will make this season at the following places:— Head of St. Peter's Bay, fortnightly, beginning May 5th, remaining until next day, leaving via train. At Souris, May 6, 14, 20, 28; June 3, 11, 17, 25; July 1, 9, 15, 23, 29; remaining until next day's train.

New Bedouque Road, at George Clow's, every alternate Saturday, beginning May 10th, going by Tomlin's, and returning Monday, by Tremere's Road and South Wilshire Road, stopping at Henderson's forge, at noon. Will be at B. Heartz's farm, St. Peter's Road, one week on Thursday, and next week on Saturday, beginning May 8th.

Balance of time will be in the city, Upper Great George Street, near P. Large's Carriage Factory. TERMS—Fifteen dollars for the season. Mares not proving in foal can be returned next year free.

For further particulars apply to BENJAMIN HEARTZ, W. S. MCKIE. A. Clow, Groom. Ch'town, April 25, 1884.

Readymade Clothing, in Men's and Boys', selling cheap at the London House.

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TO BE SOLD OR LET.

THE undersigned offers for sale or to let, his residence, at Brighton. Possession 15th May. FRED. W. HYNDMAN. April 14, 1884.—eod 2w

LORNE HOTEL FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for sale the "Lorne Hotel," situate at Tracadie Beach, with furniture, fixtures, boats, etc., complete, ready to open this spring. If not sold at private sale, it will be offered at Auction, and SOLD on the 30th April. The building and furniture, as it now stands, cost close upon \$9,000, and will be sold at a bargain. C. A. HYNDMAN. April 16—2w

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