

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

APRIL 26, 1884.

City Improvement.

Now that Spring has fairly set in and communication with the outside world is once more restored, it behooves all public-spirited men to endeavor by every means in their power to improve the appearance of the city.

Already private citizens have taken the initiative in the matter. Houses are being painted and otherwise made attractive; gardens are being attended to, and ornamental trees planted in front of the residences of some of our most enterprising citizens.

Look at Hillsborough Square! It is a disgrace to the century and a standing memorial of the incapacity or neglect of men who have been placed in responsible positions, the duties of which they were either unable or unwilling to discharge.

But all this is changed. The seats have been taken away or destroyed, the ornamental trees broken down, the grass allowed to grow on the walks, and a great many other evils allowed to exist.

Now, why is this? Is it impossible to lift ourselves out of the slough in which we have lain so long? We think so. Let our public men put their heads together, and make this square what it once was, a credit to the city, and the pride of our citizens.

We sincerely hope that this matter, together with the removal of the filth which has accumulated on our streets during the past winter, will be immediately attended to, so that visitors to the Island will not leave it impressed with the idea that there is a lamentable lack of public spirit in our midst.

Blake's Friends Deserting Him.

MR. BLAKE'S friends left him badly on the Railway Subsidy Resolutions nineteen of them voting with the Government, Laurier, the leader of the Quebec Grits, among the rest. Many of them spoke against the Resolutions, although they voted for them all the same.

Since Mr. Blake's humiliating defeat on the subsidy resolutions, there is serious talk among some of his followers about inviting Mr. Mowat to take charge of the Grit contingent in the House of Commons.

Expenditures on Public Works.

ACCORDING to a return brought down to Parliament in the closing days of the late session, the aggregate expenditure on public works throughout the whole Dominion, from the date of Confederation to the 7th February last, was \$143,396,605.

Table with 2 columns: Province, Amount. Rows include Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, P. E. Island, Manitoba, British Columbia, The Territories, Miscellaneous.

Of the total amount, \$93,604,037 were charged to capital, and \$49,792,568 to income. Upon works of general importance the amount expended was \$126,207,114, and upon local works, \$16,189,491.

The Grand Trunk Railway.

ACCORDING to the report, just issued, the Grand Trunk Railway yielded, during the half year ending 31st December last, a net revenue of £582,179 sterling. The passenger traffic of the half year showed an increase equal to £57,052, or 8.07 per cent., but the freight traffic fell off by an amount equal to £29,933, as compared with same part of the previous year.

The Health of the Queen.

LATE despatches state that a good deal of anxiety is felt concerning the health of our Queen. We are told that since her arrival at Darmstadt the health of Her Majesty has been bad, and that she is now confined to the Grand Ducal Palace with a severe attack of lumbago.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Denial.

SIR,—In the Presbyterian of Thursday appears a paragraph, taken from the Patriot of last Saturday, purporting to be a statement of a speech given by Mr. Bowers before the Literary and Scientific Institute. That statement was false in every particular.

On Monday of this week, Mr. Wm. Kennedy, the President of the Institution, wrote a letter to the Patriot contradicting the report, and he was kind enough to add the formula that of course the misstatement was unintentional.

Employment for Women.

SIR,—Much has been written regarding proper and remunerative employment for women. Silk culture, poultry raising and several other themes have been thoroughly ventilated, and the result has, no doubt, been very beneficial.

Our Advertisers.

Geo. Davies & Co. are prepared to supply the public with every description of hats, at low prices. N. J. Campbell will hold an auction sale of furniture, at the residence of Mrs. Macgowan, Dorchester Street, on Thursday next.

Henry E. Starbird.

(From the Clinton, Mass. Courant April 19.)

After an illness of nearly a year's duration, another of our prominent citizens has passed away; Mr. Starbird was a native of Malden; he was in business in Prince Edward Island for a time, coming to Clinton some ten or twelve years ago, and in company with Mr. Baldwin, opening a hardware store in Tyler's new block.

Ecclesiastical News.

The organist of Saffron Walden Church, England, lately resigned, after having held his position sixty-four years.

A new church has been opened at Bagshot, near Aldershot. The Duchess of Connaught gave a beautifully worked altar-cloth; while the Duke presented the altar-cross and candlesticks.

The services at the burying of the late Duke of Albany were of the most solemn and imposing nature. The office for the Burial of the Dead was said first at Portico, mouth, and afterwards at St. George's Chapel, Windsor.

The Easter decorations in the New York churches were perhaps more chaste and ecclesiastical this year than ever before. The churches were not turned into flower gardens, and yet both flowers and foliage were displayed in a quiet, unobtrusive and effective manner.

The work of demolishing the old churches in the city of London has, for some years, been steadily going on. It is said that population has moved away from them, and that the land is valuable, so that the funds arising from the sale of the sites could be usefully spent elsewhere.

On Thursday in Holy Week, Bach's Passion Music was sung in St. Paul's Cathedral. The service was announced for seven o'clock, but at six the whole of the immense building was crowded.

Those who are interested in the friendly relations between the English and the Eastern Churches will be glad to hear that the Russian Bishops have refused to re-ordain an English clergyman seeking admission into the Greek Church.

Puzzles.

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Hats. Hats.

REASONS why L. E. PROWSE sells the CHEAPEST HATS in the city:—

- 1st. Because he does not believe one man should pay double because another does not pay ANYTHING. 2nd. He buys in the best makers' best styles, buys for cash, and sells for cash. 3rd. He does not believe in the old rule—ask large profits and want to get rich too fast—but is satisfied with a SMALL ADVANCE ON COST.

4th. He buys carefully, has no dead stock, keeps the LATEST STYLES always on hand, and at the right time.

5th. Come all, and be convinced that money can be saved by purchasing your Hats from

L. E. PROWSE, Sign of the Big Hat, 74 Queen Street.

Ch'town, April 15, 1884.—cod wkly

Prince Edward Island Hospital.

MEDICAL BOARD: Dr. Hobkirk, Consulting Physician. Dr. Johnson, Dr. Taylor, Dr. Beer, Dr. Dawson, Dr. Warburton, Dr. MacKay.

Matron—Mrs. Hannah Robinson.

Applications for admission may be made to the Visiting Physician or Matron, at the Hospital daily (Sundays excepted), between ten and eleven, a. m., or by correspondence with any member of the medical Board, or the Matron.

The friends of patients will be admitted from two to four, p. m. every day (except Sunday).

The general visiting day for persons wishing to see the institution is Thursday of each week, from two to four o'clock, p. m.

D. B. MACLENNAN, Secretary of Trustees. April 24—cod wkly

Imported Shire Stallion OAK'S HEART.

OAK'S HEART will stand for this season at Whitley's Stables, behind the Glasgow House, on Graton Street, Charlottetown, and at the Ten Mile House, Lot 50.

The first trip to the Ten Mile House will be on Wednesday, the 14th day of May next, and he will stay there until Thursday night following. This will be continued every fortnight during the season.

TERMS—For the season, \$10, cash, at time of first service; or \$12, on approved paper, payable on 15th of October next.

For further particulars apply to the owner, GEORGE TWEEDY, Charlottetown.

N. B.—This horse is now in Truro, and will arrive here on the opening of navigation. G. T. April 24, 1884—6i cod wkly tm

Advertisement for 'LINIMENT' with an illustration of a person and text describing its uses for various ailments like Rheumatism, Diphtheria, Neuralgia, etc.

Valuable Property.

BY AUCTION, May 9th, at five o'clock, p. m., that beautiful plot of land, in Southport, the property of Mrs. P. Green.

Terms at sale. HENRY BOVYER, Auctioneer. Southport, April 25

Schooner R. Munn.

BY AUCTION, FRIDAY, MAY 9th, at four o'clock, p. m., at Southport Wharf, the schooner R. Munn, with Sails, Anchors, Chains, etc.

HENRY BOVYER, Auctioneer. Southport, April 25.

W. WHEATLEY, (OF WHEATLEY & SONS, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND)

Commission Merchant, 269 BARRINGTON STREET, HALIFAX, N. S.

Special attention given to the sale of P. E. Island produce. April 24, 1884.

Brick Machine For Sale AT A BARGAIN.

BULLMAN & SHEPHERD'S MAKE. Capable of turning out about 10,000 Bricks a day. Apply to BULLMAN & SHEPHERD, Charlottetown, April 16, 1884.

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. Ch'town, April 23, 1884.—3aw

Machinery For Sale

ONE Buzz Planer, for jointing and squaring up, four feet table. One Power Drill (heavy). These machines are nearly new, all iron, and first-class.

JAMES C. STEVENSON, New Glasgow, April 19, 1884—pat 4i

TO LET,

The large Brick Store on Queen Street, lately occupied by Mr. W. A. Hutchison. Apply to A. WHITE, Or W. F. CARTER. March 29, 1884—tu sa tf

Grand Orange Tea.

A PUBLIC TEA will be held in Pownal, on 12th day of July, of which further particulars will be given in due time.

New Seed Wheat.

DAILY EXPECTED, and will be sold BY AUCTION, on arrival, via "Northern Light," a quantity of New Seed Wheat direct from Collingwood, Ontario.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. April 10, 1884.—tf wkly 2i

PAPER HANGINGS, in great variety of patterns, selling very low at the London House, wholesale & retail.

April 24, 1884.

To Builders & Architects.

SPECIAL QUOTATIONS given for this season for BRITISH PLATE GLASS. Windows and whole store fronts, all in one piece, at the "City Hardware Store."

NORTON BROS. April 21—1w

MONUMENTS.

PARTIES wishing neat and elegant monuments for their departed friends are invited to examine the choice assortment of Italian, White and Colored American Marble Monuments, Tablets and Headstones, in subscriber's saleroom, made from the most approved modern designs, at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction.

JAMES PHILLIPS, Kent Street. Ch'town, April 9—2aw wkly 2m

CHARLOTTETOWN Woollen Factory Company (OLD).

THE affairs of the above Company having been wound up, pursuant to a Resolution passed by the Shareholders at their last meeting, a final dividend of two dollars and ninety cents per share, has been declared, and will be payable at the office of F. L. Hazard, Esq., Solicitor, in Charlottetown, on and after Friday next, the fourth day of April, instant.

Lated at Charlottetown this 1st day of April, A. D. 1884. By order, HENRY LONGWORTH, Chairman. DAVID R. M. ROOPER, Director. April 1—1w 2aw wkly tm

HATS! HATS!! HATS!!!

A splendid assortment of Christy's Hats, in Silk, Felt, etc., via Northern Light, just opened, at the London House, and prices very low.

New Spring Stock.

32 puns MOLASSES, 50 bbls. SUGAR, 50 caddies Napoleon TOBACCO, 50 boxes Bright Smoking do., Received to-day. CARVELL BROS. Ch'town, April 26, 1884.—1i

FURNITURE.

BY AUCTION, on THURSDAY NEXT, May 1st, at eleven o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Macgowan (opposite Judge Alley's), all her Household Furniture, including one Piano, Sitting Room Furniture, (in Haircloth), one large Mahogany Centre Table, Dining Room Furniture, six Bedroom Suits, Cooking, Parlor and Bedroom Stoves, Kitchen Utensils, Carpets, Oilcloths, Window Blinds, Crockery and Glassware, Feather Beds, Mattresses, Bedding, etc.

N. J. CAMPBELL, Auctioneer. Ch'town, April 26, 1884.

TENDERS FOR Removal of Fire Bell.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, until six o'clock, on Monday evening next, from parties willing to contract for the removal of the Fire Bell from its position in the Market House Tower to Pownal Wharf Freight Shed, and replacing the New Bell, when it arrives.

Tenders must be addressed "Tenders for Removal of Fire Bell." A. N. LARGE, Chief Engineer. Ch'town, April 25.

Loyster Fishermen Wanted.

Ten good Fishermen, to whom the highest wages will be paid, and immediate employment given. Apply to HORACE HASZARD. Ch'town, April 25—10i

NOTICE.

PARTIES in arrears for City Taxes, up to the 31st December, 1883, are hereby notified that executions are placed in the hands of the Sheriff for collection. If not paid by Monday next, the 24th instant, the property of each delinquent will be advertised in two City papers, and sold for payment of same, according to law.

HENRY LONGWORTH, Sheriff of Queen's County. By JAMES CURTIS, His Deputy. Ch'town, April 25, 1884.—2i

IMPORTED STALLION!

BY AUCTION, on the arrival of the first boat from Pictou, a very fine dark bay Entire Horse, from Ontario. This Horse has taken first prizes and diplomas at Toronto, Hamilton, and other exhibitions.

Particulars on arrival of horse at Charlottetown. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Ch'town, April 21, 1884.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—A Furnished House, for the summer months. Address, the United States Consulate. [ap26]

WANTED—A NURSE. Good references required. Apply to Mrs. George Peake, Edgecombe Hall. [ap26 tf]

I. O. O. F.—For Sale, at a bargain, an "Encampment Suit" Enquire at this office. [ap25 2i]

A SIDE-SADDLE (English make) will be sold at a bargain. Apply at this office. [ap24]

TO LET—About the 1st May, a Cottage, on Weymouth Street. Apply to F. L. HAZARD. [ap24 3w]

WANTED—A Young Man accustomed to running saws, to work in Steam Mill. Steady employment and good wages.—MARK WRIGHT & Co. [ap23 3i wky li]

WANTED—A SERVANT GIRL for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Alley, Dorchester Street. [ap21]

WANTED—A NURSE MAID (a good needle-woman preferred) to go to Stellarton, N. S. Apply to Mrs. Col. Gray, Inkerman House. [ap18]

TO LET—On the St. Peter's Road, half a mile from the city, a neat, well finished Cottage, with half an acre of land attached. Pleasantly situated. Formerly occupied by Mr. Cook. Apply to Hector McLeod, St. Peter's Road, East Royalty. [ap27]

THE Parties having in their possession a set of new Driving Harness, taken from the fire of the 20th February, will oblige by returning them to the subscriber without further notice.—JOHN NEWSON. [ap27]