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CALENDAR FOR APRIL, 1896.

Last Quarter, 4th day, 11.7m. p. m. New Moon, 13th day, 0h. 10.3m. a. m. First Quarter, 20th day, 6h. 34.3m. p. m. Full Moon, 27th day, 9h. 34.7m. a. m.

Table with 4 columns: Day of Week, Sun rises, Sun sets, High water. Rows for days of the week.

P. E. Island Railway

On and after THURSDAY, 5th December, 1895, the trains of this railway will run daily Sundays excepted, as follows:—

Table with 2 columns: Trains Outward, Trains Inward. Lists destinations and times.

Trains are run by Eastern Standard Time

McDONALD, D. POTTINGER, Superintendents, Gen. Mgr. Govt. Ry., Charlottetown, N. B.

Railway Office, Dec 1, 1895.

Advertisement for SHARP'S BALSAM OF HOREHOUND AND ANISEED. Cures Croup, Coughs, Colds. 50 YEARS IN USE. Price 25 cts a bottle.

WE WISH all our friends to know that we are still on CONNOLLY'S WHARF, and intend remaining there for this year at least.

FOR SALE. A DOUBLE TENEMENT HOUSE, situated on the north side of Upper Great George Street.

McKAY WOOLEN COMPANY.

CUSTOM TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

Prices tell their own tale. Ours ring out with no uncertain sound, proclaiming that, taking the quality of goods into consideration we can sell our make of Suits at as small a price as the ordinary made garments.

McKay Woolen Company, the Bargain Corner.

Lands to Let.

The undersigned Trustees of the estate of the late Bernard McPhillips will receive sealed applications until MONDAY, the 27th April, instant, from persons willing to rent for the coming season the lands of the late Bernard McPhillips, consisting of:—

W. H. AITKEN, CHARLES E. MCKINNON, Trustees.

April 20—11 dt

PETERS, PETER & ING, Barristers, Attorneys & Law, &c., Charlottetown.

Camron Block, Charlottetown.

MONEY TO LOAN.

Frederick Peters, Q. C., Arthur Peters, Gen. Mgr. Govt. Ry., Charlottetown, N. B.

A. Ernest Ings, mch7-2m (136)

MILITIA.

Sealed tenders for the supply for the Permanent Force and Active Militia, of necessary articles, such as:—Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Caps, Hosiery, etc.

Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, 15th April, 1896.

WE WISH

all our friends to know that we are still on CONNOLLY'S WHARF, and intend remaining there for this year at least.

JAMES BARRETT, Connolly's Wharf.

For Bookbinding

AND JOB PRINTING

J. D. TAYLOR, QUEEN STREET.

Charlottetown, April 15, 1896.

LOOK OUT!

I am selling up-to-date Furniture of all kinds at reduced prices. Parlor and Chamber Suites especially low this month.

JOHN NEWSON, THE BARGAIN GIVER.

Charlottetown, April 22, 1896.



CABINET SEWING MACHINE. A Wonderful Invention.

We have placed the price of this Machine at \$10.00. It is now within the reach of all. Fully warranted for Five Years. Call and see it.

MILLER BROTHERS, Charlottetown, March 24, 1896.

Tyke Serge Suits, \$18

Bisley " " 16

Other English Serges, \$14 and \$15.

Spring Overcoatings in all shades. Spring Suitings in almost all shades. Hats, the latest and best. Collars Ties, and all kinds of Underwear.

Nobody can sell the same quality of goods cheaper. Everyone knows that we can make and fit all right.

JOHN MACLEOD & CO., TAILORS.

Charlottetown, April 9, 1896—246 & wy

Spring ARRIVED. 1896.

NEW STOCK NOW READY.

All the Latest Styles in Footwear!

A well selected stock of reasonable goods up to all your requirements, and at prices within your means.

We call your attention to our new lines of BOOTS and SHOES, which are radiant with good values and sparkling with low prices.

"A pleased customer is the best advertisement." Your inspection invited.

WEEKS & WARREN, NORTH SIDE MARKET SQUARE.

Charlottetown, April 15, 1896.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

WEDNESDAY, April 22.

House met at 10.30. Mr. Gallant presented a petition from Lawrence McDonald and others, of Grand River, Lot 14, praying for the incorporation of St. Patrick's Hall Company.

Mr. H. C. McDonald asked the Commissioner of Public Works if the Government had arrived at any decision with reference to the opening of a new road from Newton to the Montague road, Lot 57, and if so, what the Government propose to do if an estimate has been made regarding the cost of opening the said road and making the same fit for public use.

Mr. McLean said he found that a good title to the western end of the proposed road could not be obtained at present, and having himself visited the eastern or Montague side last summer and finding it a very rough and difficult section to build a road over, he had decided to have it built, one estimated at \$500 and the other at \$200, this great cost will require the Government to consider very carefully the propriety of building the road at present.

Mr. McKinnon asked the Commissioner of Public Works whether a petition asking for the continuation of Compton's Road, Lot 61, and 63, through from Heatherdale, has been received and what action is proposed to take in regard thereto; also whether a petition had been received from the residents of Lots 62 and 63 asking for the opening of a road between the western end of Peters Road and the County Line Road.

In reply the Commissioner of Public Works said the petitions would be considered, and if deemed in the public interests he would endeavor to comply with the prayer of the petitioners.

On motion of Hon. Mr. McLean, the House went into committee on the Act amending the Roads Act, 1879, with Mr. Godkin in the chair. The bill as introduced provides as follows:—

1. Section four of the Public Roads Act, 1879, is hereby repealed, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

"All money granted by the Legislature for maintenance, repairs and construction of roads, bridges and other works shall be expended, subject to any resolution of the Legislative Assembly for the appointment of the same by the Commissioner of Public Works, or under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, by such Supervisors as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may appoint as aforesaid, and in the order or certificate of the Supervisor in and to be drawn by the Supervisor to the several and respective persons who actually work and labor in making, completing and repairing the roads, bridges and other works and in furnishing material therefor."

2. Section seventeen of the said Act is hereby repealed, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

"The said Overseer of highways shall, and they are hereby required, and empowered to summon the inhabitants liable to perform statute labor under this Act, residing within their respective precincts by giving them at least twenty-four hours notice either verbally or in writing of the time and place where and when they intend to employ them, and they shall direct and order the persons so summoned to labor in making and repairing the highways, streets or bridges in the most effectual and advantageous manner for and during the number of days or hours appointed by this Act for such service or labor; but they, the said Overseers, as well as their horses, are hereby exempted and excused from all labor required to be performed under any of the provisions of this Act, save and except their duties as Overseers."

3. Section twenty-four of the said Act is hereby repealed, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

"When in the opinion of the Supervisor or Overseer the labor of horses on a road machine or with ploughs or carts, shall be more useful than that of men, he may direct any person liable to perform statute labor, and who has not committed the same, and who is the possessor of one or more horses, and plough or cart, to furnish the service of a horse or horses, an plough or cart, and in such cases the service of one team of horses and plough, or one horse and cart, shall count as the labor of one man. The labor of a horse on a road machine for five hours shall be considered equal to twenty-five cents commutation money."

4. Section twenty-seven of the said Act is hereby repealed, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

"Provided always that all persons liable to perform statute labor under this Act shall have the option, instead of such

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CHARACTER TOLD IN SHOES.

Our Natures Revealed Unerringly in the Type of Footwear We Wear.

Anybody who looks about him can tell character by the shoes. It requires no study to do this; the evidence is there every time and no probing is necessary.

A policeman or a detective, no matter in what disguise, is often identified by criminals by his shoes. They know full well that policemen and detectives are in the habit of wearing large, heavy shoes, with soles twice the thickness of an ordinary shoe.

How easy it is to recognize the German corner grocer by the broad flat shoe he wears, no matter where you may meet him.

The neat button shoe or gaiter is typical of the methodical business man. The careless man or woman can be readily recognized by a shoe on which half the buttons are off, or on which the laces are secured in an unsightly and slipshod manner.

Dainty, refined maidens wear shoes with patent leather tips that fit their feet to perfection; and again, girls who are vivacious and flighty wear high-heeled shoes that cramp their feet.

When you see a girl wearing shoes on which one side of the heel is worn off and bent you will know that she is vacillating and fickle.

Common sense women wear a low-heeled shoe, which is intended more for comfort than style.

The heavy, coarse boots worn by countrymen are proverbial. It requires no unbecoming sterner to recognize the owner of them.

Whenever you are in doubt concerning the character of any person judge by the shoes and you'll seldom make a mistake.—New York Herald.

FAST AND FIRM.

As the Rock of Gibraltar.

Diamond Dye Blacks.

Black is the most useful dye for the home, as any color can be dyed over to a black.

As it is absolutely necessary to use special dyes for different classes of goods, science has produced Diamond Dye fast black for wool, fast black for cotton and mixed goods and fast black for silk and feathers. Each of these blacks, which are the most perfect results in their special work, are exceedingly simple and easy to use, and make rich, full blacks that never fade or fade, and can be washed in soap-water without the least injury to the color.

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Dresses, coats, jackets, men's suits, feathers, stockings, etc., etc., can be dyed a rich, full and everlasting black with little labor and trifling expense, if the Diamond Dye fast blacks are used.

Beware of crude and imitation dyes that some dealers would have you buy instead of the Diamond Dyes. Ask for the "Diamond" dye and refuse every substitute.

Mr. McKinnon introduced several changes in the schedules of the act, made necessary by the gerrymander in King's County.

These amendments were ruled out of order, as it was thought they would invalidate the act.

Mr. Aitken moved that the hours of labor be reduced to ten.

Mr. Shaw seconded the motion and spoke strongly in its favor.

The discussion which followed was taken part in by Hon. Mr. McLean, Hon. Mr. Sinclair, Hon. Mr. Farquharson, Mr. Rogers, (Alberton), Mr. H. C. Macdonald, Mr. Aitken and Mr. McKinnon and others.

At one o'clock recess was taken until three.

A snap—We have got a snap in the purchase of a lot of men's pants. We can offer you a pair worth \$1.50 for 98 cents. Look at them at J. B. Macdonald & Co's

Irrigation by Windmills.

It was found that in the Arkansas valley water could be obtained by shallow wells ranging in depth from eight to twenty feet. This is raised by hundreds of windmills into hundreds of small reservoirs constructed at the highest point of each farm.

Family Likeness.

Some curious investigations have recently been undertaken by a photographic society in Geneva. The purpose was to show that no longer a married couple lived together—we apprehend harmoniously—the more and more marked became the resemblance which the two persons bore to each other.

Susan B. Anthony.

Miss Susan B. Anthony is an ardent logician, and one cannot help admiring her reply to the congressman who called her attention to the fact that large numbers of women object to having thrust upon them the responsibilities incident to suffrage rights.

God's Tests.

God's ways of testing us are His own. They are tried upon us when we least expect them. They strike us in our least protected part. They are to the un-vegetated heart cruelly, but to them which believe they are the chastening which forms our baptism into the fold of God.

New Fad.

Heinrich Fehrmann, professor of commercial arithmetic in Munich, recommends the collection of street car tickets. He has founded a monthly bulletin, "Trambillettsport," the object of which is to give pictures of tickets used for car fare in great cities, and furnish detailed information about them. He wishes to establish a society and a Trambilletts Bureau.

Cosmetics Among the Romans.

All that had been previously done in the way of facial decoration was left far in the shade by the ancient Romans. All the Latin writers—historians, poets, naturalists and others—mention it in one way or another. It was the practice of Roman actors, as it has been of those of the profession since the theater has existed.

Mortgage Sale.

To be sold at Public Auction, at the Court House in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, on FRIDAY, the first day of May next, A. D. 1896, 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 twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1888, and made between James Murphy on the one part, and James McGregor, of Charlottetown, in Queen's County aforesaid, of the other part.

House and Corner Lot FOR SALE.

Pleasantly situated, facing P. W. College Grounds, between the residences of Mr. F. W. Moore and L. L. Bever, Esq. Kenning Street. Garden runs back on Cumberland Street 120 feet. Mr. Shaw and Coach House. House heated with hot water, also has registered grates. Terms easy and made known on application to E. W. TAYLOR, Jeweler, or to DAVIES & HASZARD, Barristers. At the Mount Edward Quarry. First-class stone can be delivered at a reasonable price, any thickness or size to suit contractors. HENRY SWAN.