

Local and Other Items.

Two drunks were fined... The bark Claribel has arrived... The death of Mr. Lowell is probably more keenly and widely felt in England than would be that of any other American...

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

House of Commons.

Cartwright and Costigan.

OTTAWA, Aug 16

The House of Commons was chiefly occupied yesterday in discussing the North-west bill. Several other bills were, however, passed before the adjournment.

THE TARTE-McGREGGEE CASE

SOME ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE

A SIGNIFICANT FACT.

BOSTON, Aug. 15.

Before the Committee of Privileges and Elections yesterday, Michael Stairs testified that Sir Hector Langevin had strongly advised him to withdraw his tender for the Esquimaux Graving Dock, as it was too low, which he did, but no inducements were offered him to do so.

Robert McGreevy was re-called and gave evidence in rebuttal of several parties. Murphy refused to sign his evidence, which is very significant. His signature is not essential, but facilitates procedure in case of a prosecution for perjury.

LISTER VS. CHAPLEAU.

An Irregular Proceeding.

OTTAWA, Aug. 15.

In the Public Accounts Committee yesterday, Lister reviewed his charge against Hon. Mr. Chapleau, and desired to have the court officials produce the documents. The chairman declared Mr. Lister's procedure irregular, and said that he should state his charges in the House of Commons, where they would be referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

PACAUD-MERCIER SCANDAL.

A Sensational Revelation.

Mercier Must Go

OTTAWA, Aug. 15.

Before the railway senate committee yesterday the evidence revealed a most barefaced fraud on the part of Pacaud and his accomplices. Armstrong having been ordered by the Senate to answer the questions, testified that he paid Pacaud one hundred thousand dollars cash, for which Pacaud undertook to have the Mercier government consent to pay a subsidy to the Baie de Chaleur syndicate.

Fishery Bulletin.

(Fisheries Intelligence Bureau Report.)

HALIFAX, Aug 15—Anticosti—Codfish abundant off Southwest Point, but few are being taken owing to the extreme scarcity of bait. Quebec—Codfishing good at St John River, Long Point and Newport Point; north coast, but good hauls of cod, hake, haddock, halibut, herring, mackerel and sardines at Campbell.

cod and herring for bait at Whitehead; a fair catch of cod at Isaac's Harbor and a good haul at Lunenburg. The cod fishery reported poor at Spry Bay and Liverpool. A fair catch of herring and Mackerel at Lunenburg; but the herring are striking off at Liverpool. Mackerel are reported schooling and taking hooks freely at Lobster Bay and Pubnico.

Telegraphic Ticks

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The Times says: "The death of Mr. Lowell is probably more keenly and widely felt in England than would be that of any other American, or indeed of any man not a fellow-countryman. His was really a remarkable mind, and he is mourned by all that is best in America."

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13.—Such an extreme measure as the prohibition of rye has not been adopted in Russia since the Crimean war. The Novosti says the measure will seriously affect only Austria and Germany and not England or France, which only import white wheat, therefore friends of Russia will not suffer.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 13.—The remarkably hot weather of the past three days culminated in a severe wind and rain storm, which burst on this city yesterday afternoon with thunder and lightning. Hundreds of windows were demolished, big trees uprooted and fences prostrated. Much damage was done to telegraph and telephone wires. During the storm the temperature dropped 20 degrees.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 13.—Senator Leland Stanford is giving aid and encouragement to thousands of southern negroes who are establishing colonies in California. It is expected 50,000 negroes will become residents of this state within the next three months. The colonists come principally from Alabama, Texas, South and North Carolina. Democratic papers are making vigorous protests against this influx of colored people.

OTTAWA, Aug. 13.—The evidence of Senator Robitaille, taken in his private room, was read to the committee of privileges and elections at the opening of the meeting this morning. Senator Robitaille said that early in last session Robert McGreevy came to him and after asking him if he were on good terms with the government and with Sir Hector, showed him certain documents damaging to them as to McGreevy, which he desired witness to by before the government. Robert said that he and Murphy had fully considered that matter and were determined to go on. Witness asked him then: "What do you want? Do you want the law suit abandoned? Do you want money?" Robert McGreevy answered that he did not care about the law suit and did not want money, but that Thomas should resign his seat in parliament and on the harbor commission. "Because," he said, "so long as he is there we cannot get a contract." I said even if you make him resign he will be returned again. Robert answered, "We will check him at that." The result of the conversation was that he showed the papers to Sir John Langevin, Mr. McGreevy and Sir John Macdonald, but they declined to take any action, and he communicated this fact to Robert McGreevy when he came back to him.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Aug. 15.—10 a. m. Light to moderate winds, fair warm weather.

PARIS GREEN, insect powder, sticky fly paper, open to day at Reddin Bros.

PEARS, 10 cents per dozen, at Beer & Goff's to-night.



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The New, First-Class Clyde Built Steamer

PREMIER,

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FROM HALIFAX on Wednesday, 19th of August, at 7 p. m., and every Wednesday thereafter for Charlottetown and Summerside, calling at Sonora, Sherbrooke, Isaac's Harbor, Canso, Arichat and Port Hawkesbury.

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Fares, to any port of call, \$3 00 Return " " " " " " 5 00

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WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

AGENTS:—Life of Sir John A. Macdonald, by his nephew, Col. J. P. Macpherson, M. A., A. D. C., written with the concurrence of Sir John. The only authentic biography of Sir John. N. B., sole publishers. Exclusive territory given each Agent. Baroness Macdonald kindly expressed the hope "that the volume may be successful from every point of view." Hugh John Macdonald, who has carefully read part of the manuscript, says: "I can honestly congratulate you upon the success of your work." aug15—lm

FOUND.—This morning, two keys. Owner can have same on application to CHARLES LEIST, JR. 14—aug13

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The Largest, Best and Cheapest Stock of Clothing ever shown to the People of P. E. Island. Don't be led astray by bogus advertisements, because we can sell cheaper than most of our competitors can buy. Come and see.

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STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

136 QUEEN STREET, THREE DOORS FROM STAMPER'S CORNER.

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C. J. PATTON, late of Charlottetown Woolen Co. T. M. PATTON, late of Blanchard & Co., Truro. Charlottetown, August 4, 1891—eod & wky

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Ladies' Dress Goods.

Having a Large Stock of Fine-All-wool Light Dress Materials, we will make the following Reduction in Price to make a speedy Clearance—

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Ladies should see these Goods. They are decidedly the best Bargains that have been offered in this City for some time.

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