

Local and Other Items.

No Crossing at the Capes to-day.

MAILS.—The mails will not close until 9.30 o'clock this evening, and will be forwarded via Princess of Wales to Picton to-morrow morning.

SERIOUSLY ILL.—Max Strakosch, the impresario, is seriously ill in New York. His lower limbs are paralyzed and general paralysis is threatened.

ANOTHER COAL ARRIVAL.—The schooner Tarquin, with a cargo of Sydney round coal for C. Lyons, arrived here last evening and is now discharging.

STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—Four Scott Act cases dismissed and five adjourned. The summons against the man Horne, for larceny of a watch, was dismissed.

FRESH HERRING.—The fishermen of Souris have already cast in their nets and caught the fresh herring. On Friday last the first catch of the season was made, and since then they have been taking them in considerable numbers.

BOSTON STEAMERS.—As will be seen by referring to our advertising columns, the steamer Carroll will leave Boston for this port on Saturday next. The fare until further notice will be, for first-class passage berth in cabin, \$6.50; stateroom berth, \$8.50.

REMOVAL.—Mr. C. P. Fletcher has removed his store across Queen Street, directly opposite the old stand. The new premises are much more commodious than the old, and are well stocked with everything in the musical line. Give him a call.

ENGINE-BOYS.—While the whistles at the Railway works were making their greatest sound this morning, the Diamond Bookstore man jocularly remarked that it showed the e-steam in which the new Superintendent is held, as he is Un's worth (one who is worth) honoring.

UNEXPECTED.—The poet who sang—"It is May, it is May, And all earth is gay, For at last old winter is quite away," did not anticipate our present weather in the year of our Lord 1888.

TO PICTON AND RETURN.—A dispatch received this forenoon from Noonan & Daves, Picton, reports that the Princess of Wales which left here at three o'clock this morning arrived there at eight and would leave on return at two this afternoon.

IT PAYS.—Mr. John McLean, of Johnstone's Road, recently sold his grade Percheron colt rising four years old, for the handsome sum of \$500.00. This colt was sired by Mr. Benj. Heartz's imported Percheron stallion "Romulus" and out of an average Island bred mare. It pays to breed to a good horse.

A SPLENDID SPECIMEN.—The thoroughbred Clydesdale stallion Hepburn Clyde, owned by Messrs. McMillan & Anear, arrived in the Northern Light to-day. Hepburn Clyde is a splendid specimen of horseflesh, and was much admired by connoisseurs. He is five years of age, of a bright bay color, and is possessed of superior bone and action. He may be seen at the Eureka stables.

NORTHERN LIGHT.—The Northern Light, with about fifty or sixty passengers and a full cargo, left Picton at six o'clock this morning and arrived here at half-past eleven. Among the passengers were Joseph Unsworth, wife and son, Rev. James Carruthers, L. E. Prowse, Geo. M. Moore, Henry Weeks, G. J. Wright, G. C. Hooper, M. M. Tidd, F. C. Coffin, Fred H. Barr, H. B. Griffin, M. J. Feeley, V. L. Leavitt, W. R. Busham, Henry E. Lyons, H. Hamilton and R. A. Murdoch. No ice worth speaking about was met with during the passage.

IMPROVEMENTS.—Mr. A. Doyle, jr., has recently fitted up a very commodious stable in the rear of his premises, Grafton Street, and is prepared to accommodate a large number of horses. The building contains twelve single stalls and six box stalls, is well ventilated, and persons boarding horses there can rely on having them well looked after. Mr. P. P. Gillis is also making extensive repairs and alterations in his stables on Great George Street, which, when completed, will place him in the front rank of liverymen. We trust that the enterprise of both gentlemen will meet with its reward.

PRIME CATTLE.—A splendid lot of cattle, purchased by Mr. Henry Wood, Lot 48, for James A. Leamar, Halifax, were weighed at the city scales to-day. Following is a list of the weights and the names of the feeders: Ox, 1335 lbs., fed by A. Ings; ox, 1112 lbs., Charles Mutch; cow, 1127 lbs., do; steer, 1375 lbs., A. Anderson; ox, 1212 lbs., M. Macdonald; ald; ox, 1147 lbs., James Praught; ox, 1160 lbs., F. Praught; ox, 1007 lbs., Joseph Haley; cow, 1295 lbs., do; ox, 1092 lbs., Michael Haley; ox, 1115, E. Hinds; ox, 1202 lbs., do; ox, 1017 lbs., A. Boswell; ox, 1080 lbs., do; cow, 1697 lbs., John Dewar; ox, 1600 lbs., do; ox, 1312 lbs., do; ox, 1197 lbs., do; heifer, 1185 lbs., do; ox, 1200 lbs., do; ox, 1492 lbs., John Monaghan. The cattle were put on board the Northern Light this afternoon.

PERSONAL.—Mr. L. E. Prowse arrived from Montreal via Northern Light this forenoon. While in Montreal he purchased an immense stock of bankrupt clothing, which is due here in a few days, and which, he says, will be sold at slaughter prices.

Joseph Unsworth, Esq., the new Superintendent of the Island Railway, crossed over in the Northern Light this forenoon. The flags on the railway buildings were flying in honor of his arrival, and all the available whistles and cannon were called into requisition to assist in the welcome. One of the steam fire engines was also taken out, the whistle-blowing being mistaken for a fire alarm.

Rev. James Carruthers returned from Halifax via Northern Light this forenoon. Mr. Henry Weeks, of Jas. Paton & Co., who had been on a business trip to Picton, returned in the Northern Light to-day.

Mr. George M. Moore, of Perkins & Sterns, who accompanied the passengers in the Northern Light to-day. He had been to Picton attending to the shipping of the firm's new goods.

Mr. E. A. Smith, representing Harding & Smith, millers and manufacturers' agents, St. John, N. B., is here and will call upon his friends throughout the Island in a few days. Messrs. M. M. Tidd and F. C. Coffin, the waterworks engineers, arrived from Boston via Northern Light to-day. They are at the Davies.

Mr. R. A. Murdoch, the well known commercial tourist, of Montreal, crossed in the Northern Light to-day, and will take the first opportunity of calling upon his old friends.

Mr. L. Morris, of Summerside, intends enlarging his business by conducting auctions and selling goods on commission. Success to him.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

OTTAWA, May 2. In the House to-day, Hon. Mr. Thompson introduced a bill to amend the Banking Act, including distillers among those who can use warehouse certificates for discount.

He also introduced a bill amending the Supreme and Exchequer Court Act, extending the right of appeal in British Columbia and the Northwest Territories.

The House then proceeded to the consideration of Government bills and passed the Act amending the Elections Act through its final stage. After a long debate over an amendment proposed by the Opposition to compel by-elections to be held within a given time of the seat becoming vacant.

The bill providing penalties for advertising or negotiating to sell or purchase counterfeit money was also read a second time.

Just before recess the House went into a Committee of Supplies.

The bill ratifying the Fishery treaty passed the Senate yesterday, and the bill incorporating the N. S. Telephone Co., passed the Senate to-day without amendment.

The House was occupied all the evening with estimates of the Agricultural Department. The only important change was the dropping of the grant to the Dominion Exhibition, (\$10,000). There will be no grant this year.

LANSDOWNE'S FAREWELL.

A BRILLIANT BALL.

OTTAWA, May 2. The farewell ball given by Lord Lansdowne at Government House to-night proved a brilliant affair. Over 400 guests were present. The election for the House of Commons took place in Kent County, Ont., to-day. Mr. Cameron, Liberal, was elected by 119 majority.

Steamship Disaster.

HALIFAX, May 2. The Allan steamer Circassian, Captain Barrett, with nearly one thousand passengers on board, from Liverpool to Quebec, arrived here to-day with a broken propeller shaft, in tow of the State Line steamer State of Nevada. The latter steamer is from Glasgow for New York with six hundred passengers. The Circassian left Liverpool for Quebec on April 20th, with 25 cabin and 883 steerage passengers, and on Friday evening when in lat. 42.46, lon. 52.31, she broke her propeller shaft. The following day she proceeded slowly under sail, but next morning was making the best of her way in a calm when she sighted the State of Nevada, who bore down on her and took her in tow. It is stated that an agreement was made between the two captains for \$10,000 a day for two days, the remaining time to be decided upon by the owners. The State of Nevada sails for New York to-night. The Circassian's passengers will be forwarded by the Intercolonial Railway.

What's in a Name?

MONTREAL, May 2. Much satisfaction is expressed by Protestants at the withdrawal of Archbishop Fabre's name from the petition for the erection of the statue of the Virgin Mary. The Star says: "Had His Grace's name not been withdrawn, it is altogether probable the scheme would have been carried forward until it reached at least a very grave crisis."

A Thorough Investigation.

HALIFAX, May 2. The S. P. C. A. are taking an interest in the inquest on the last man killed in the employ of the Electric Light Company, and a thorough investigation will take place. Medical men representing the society were present at the post mortem.

Heavy Failures.

TRIESTE, May 2. News has reached here that fifteen banking houses in Buenos Ayres have suspended within ten days. Their liabilities exceed 7,000,000 pesos. The Government banks refuse to discount bills. Italian export houses suffer heavily.

Confidence in Farnell.

LONDON, May 2. The London and Liverpool branches of the National League have passed resolutions expressing confidence in Farnell, and declaring they will pay no attention to the Pope.

Another Line.

MONTREAL, May 2. It is rumored that the Grand Trunk Railway is negotiating for a line of Atlantic steamers between Liverpool, Halifax and Montreal.

Dominion Exhibition.

HALIFAX, May 2. The Dominion Exhibition Committee to-day authorized the preparation of a prize list, with prizes and medals, aggregating \$24,000.

World's Fair in Montreal.

MONTREAL, May 2. At a meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade it was decided to support a scheme of having a world's fair in 1892.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, May 3-10 a. m. Moderate winds, fine and a little warmer.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

BY AUCTION.

I am instructed by GEORGE MACLEOD, ESQ., to sell by Auction, at his Residence, East Kent Street,

On Thursday, 10th of May,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.:

ALL HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

CONSISTING OF—DRAWING ROOM—1 Drawing Room Set, walnut and repp; 1 Piano (Chappell & Co., London), 1 Music Stand, 1 Card Table, 1 Centre Table (marble top), 1 Chessboard (marble top), 1 Whist-table, 1 large Mirror, 1 French Clock, 1 Brussels Carpet, Oil Paintings, Silk Screens, Cornices, Curtains, Glassware, &c. DINNER ROOM—1 Set, in walnut and hair cloth; 1 Organ (Uxbridge Organ Co.), 1 very large walnut Extension Table, 1 Centre Table, 1 Walnut Sideboard, 1 Book Cabinet, 1 case Birds, Mirror, Oil Paintings, Brussels Carpet, Cornices, Curtains, Fire Irons, etc. Also—Dinner and Tea Sets, Trays, Glassware, etc. BREAKFAST ROOM—1 Breakfast Room Set, 1 Walnut Dook Case and Secretaire, 1 Extension Table, Cornices, Curtains, Fire Irons, etc. BEDROOMS—1 Ash and Walnut Bedroom Sets, Lounges, Wardrobes, Carpets, Rugs, Chamber Sets, Pictures, Cornices, Curtains, &c. KITCHEN—2 Cook Stoves, Mangle Wringers, and all Kitchen Utensils. ALSO—1 Single Wagon, 1 Vis-a-vis, 1 Water Cart, 1 Lawn Mower, Sleighs, &c. House open Wednesday for inspection of furniture, &c.

G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

Business Stand.

THE undersigned offers for sale his Business Stand at Mill View, near Vernon River Bridge. Terms easy. J. R. BOURKE, JR., Mill View, May 1, 1888.—4t

FOR SALE.

THREE ACRES OF LAND in the Village of Souris East, fronting 23 chains on the Main Street, and bounded on the north by land of Stephen A. McDonald, on the east by lands of Marshall Paquet and on the west by lands of the west by Souris River, at present in the possession of Michael McCormack, Esq. For particulars apply in Charlottetown at the office of—MCLEOD, MORSON & McQUARRIE, Solicitors. mh13-4t & w y law (tues) 4t

In the Vice Admiralty Court of Prince Edward Island.

The Queen vs. the Boats and Seines of the American Schooners Argonaut and Col. J. H. French.

IN pursuance of Commissions of Sale issued out of the above Court, dated the 23rd March, 1888, and to be directed, I will set up and sell, or cause to be sold, at Public Auction, at noon on the SECOND DAY OF MAY NEXT, at Conolly's Warehouse, in SOURIS, the following—1 Seine Boat and 1 Seine, with gear thereto, belonging to Schooner Argonaut. 1 Seine Boat and 1 Seine, with gear thereto, belonging to Schooner Col. J. H. French. FRED W. HYNDMAN, Marshal Vice Admiralty Court. Ch'town, March 27, 1888.—2w t1/2

The above sale is postponed until 16th MAY, 1888. FRED W. HYNDMAN, Marshal V. A. Court. mh11

CARRIAGES, &c.

I HAVE NOW IN STOCK a nice lot of New and Second-Hand Single and Double-Seat Carriages. Top Buggies in all the leading styles, Road and Tramping Buggies, Buggy Tops to suit any Carriage, Rubber Aprons, &c., which I will sell cheap for cash or good paper. REPAIRS AND TRIMMING of Carriages promptly attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed. FACTORY and Showrooms, UPPER PRINCE STREET, opposite New Baptist Church. J. J. SEAMAN. ap11-4t 2aw wky 3m

GEO. CARTER & CO.,

The Seedsmen,

Of Charlottetown, invite Farmers and Gardeners from every part of the Island, who may be visiting the City, to call and inspect their stock of Flower, Field and Garden

SEEDS.

Not only the LARGEST STOCK, but also the BEST STRAINS and FINEST QUALITIES are here kept. The Stock includes "EVERYTHING FOR THE FARM AND GARDEN"—Seed Wheat, Clover Seed, Timothy Seed, Vetches, Fodder Corn, Hazzard's Improved Turnip (guaranteed true), Carter's Prize Winner Turnip, Carter's Mammoth Prize Mangel, Danver's Carrots, and nearly Three Hundred varieties of Flower and Vegetable Seeds. Seeds sent by mail, postage paid, or delivered free of charge on board cars or steamers. CARTER'S ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE FOR 1888, the finest published in the Maritime Provinces, MAILED FREE. It explains everything. Send for it. Name and address on Postal Card will do. Address—GEO. CARTER & CO., Seedsmen, Charlottetown, P. E. I. ap18

AGENTS.

No book will sell at present like our Home, Farm and Business Cyclopedia. It is a large work, containing 900 pages, profusely illustrated, and also contains portraits of the leading statesmen of the Dominion. The Home Department discusses fully everything relative to Housekeeping in all its phases. The Farm Department discusses in a peculiarly interesting way, just the information every successful farmer must possess. The Business Department, besides giving full information on Commercial Law and every form of Legal Documents, contains Goodwin's System of Practical Book-keeping. Each Department of the work has the advantage of being written by Canadian Specialists. We want an Agent in every Town and County. For terms and full particulars address W. E. EARLE, St. John, N. B. J. S. ROBERTSON & BROS., Publishers. April 7, 1888.—2aw & wky

FOR SALE.

First-class Cow and Calf. Apply to JOSEPH CONNERY, Malpeque Road. ap21

WANTED.—By the 26th July next, a House containing seven rooms, in a central part of the city. Rent must be moderate. Address, with particulars, "H," EXAMINER'S OFFICE. ap17-0/1

RARE OPPORTUNITY

A First-Class Family Residence

Outbuildings, Garden, Vinery, Orchard, Pasture Lots, &c.

THE Subscriber offers for sale his well-known Residence, situated on Lot No. 4, in the Municipality of Charlottetown, containing over 7 acres.

DWELLING.

The Dwelling House is very commodious, with lofty rooms, and contains Dining and Drawing Rooms, Breakfast Room and Office, large Hall, eight Bedrooms, Kitchen, Pantry and Scullery. The Cellar (the full size of House and Kitchen) is seven feet deep, dry, and plastered overhead. A Hot Water Apparatus has just been put in, which warms Hall, Kitchen and five Bedrooms. A never-failing Well of excellent water has recently been fitted with a new Force Pump. The House is substantially built, easily warmed in winter, and as good as new.

OUTBUILDINGS.

The Outbuildings comprise Barn and Stable, Hay Barn, Coach House, Joiner's Shop, Tool-house, Granary, Root House, Ice House, &c.

LANDS.

A Well stocked Fruit and Kitchen Garden of half an acre, under fence; a Vinery capable of producing 200 lbs. of the choicest Grapes; an Orchard of 1 1/2 acres, stocked with the best varieties of Apples, Pears and Plums, and thoroughly drained with drain pipe; two Pasture Lots in a good state of cultivation, containing over 4 1/2 acres.

This desirable Property is admirably suited as a residence for a professional man, having all the advantages of pure air, freedom from dust, and not amenable to city taxes, yet within ten minutes' walk of the business part of the city. For further particulars apply to WILLIAM DODD, Esq., Charlottetown, or to the owner, WM. HEARD. The Cedars, April 6, 1888.—2aw

Sheriff's Sale.

GEORGE HERBERT HASZARD, Plaintiff, and LEONARD B. MILLER, Defendant.

BY virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, to me directed, issued out of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature, at the suit of George Herbert Haszard against Leonard B. Miller, I have taken and seized as the Property, Goods and Chattels of the above named Defendant, the following articles, viz: one Bay Mare called "Maud M" (Abdallah), in Queen's County, and I do hereby give Public Notice that I will, on SATURDAY, the Fifth day of May, A. D. 1888, at Twelve o'clock, noon, at the Market Square in Charlottetown, in the said County, set up and sell by Public Auction, on the said day, the property marked on said Writ, being one hundred and twenty-six dollars and ninety cents, besides Sheriff's fees and all incidental expenses. JAMES CURTIS, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Queen's County, 28th April, A. D. 1888. EDWARD J. HODGSON, Plaintiff's Attorney. ap30-31

FOR SALE OR TO LET

For a Term of Years.

LAWDALE, situated on the St. Peter's Road, about one mile and a half from the city, known as the "GARDINER PROPERTY," and recently occupied by E. Bridges. On the premises are a handsome Dwelling House, good Barns, &c. This place consists of about Sixteen Acres of Land, in good heart, and several pieces of land can be had adjoining, sufficient to make a Farm of about fifty acres. For further information apply to JOHN INGS, Ch'town, April 11, 1888.—3aw

P. E. Island Electric Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company will be held at their Office in Charlottetown, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of May next, A. D. 1888, at the hour of One o'clock, p. m. Dated 23rd day of April, A. D. 1888. ap23-6t eod JAMES WADELL, Superintendent.

"ALL RIGHT."

ALL RIGHT will be in Charlottetown on THURSDAY, the 3rd of May, and will remain until SATURDAY, at Ten o'clock. He will return to Charlottetown EVERY THURSDAY during the season, and remain till Ten o'clock the following Saturday. NEWTON LEE. April 23, 1888.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

WANTED.—A Girl for housework. Apply at E. W. TAYLOR'S, Cameron Block. mh13-21

WANTED TO RENT.—In a central part of the city, a Room capable of seating about thirty or more persons. Apply to S. N. EARLE. mh12

WANTED.—By a young lady, a situation as Saleswoman in Dry Goods Store or Grocery, who has had several years' experience, and has the best of reference. Apply at this office. mh12-4t pd

TO LET.—Two Houses on Upper Euston Street. Good situation. Possession 10th May. Rent \$100 each. Apply to C. S. MCGREGOR. mh12-1f

TO LET.—A comfortable House, containing Seven Rooms, situated on Fitzroy Street. Apply to F. H. BARR. 31-mh12

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework. Apply at No. 388 King Square. 1f-mh12

FOUND.—A Goose Boat. The owner can find out by whom, on calling at THE EXAMINER office and paying for this advertisement. mh11-2t

LOST.—In the Lyceum, last evening, a Purse containing a small sum of money and some papers. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at this office. 3t eod-ap21

WANTED.—A young woman as Cashier. Must be a good writer and quick at figures. Apply by letter with reference to Box 684. mh11-2t

LOST.—Last night, in the Lyceum or on the street, a Lady's Purse, containing money and papers with the owner's name. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at NORTON & FENNELLS. 21-mh11

TO LET.—Three-story House on corner of Euston and Pleasant Streets, containing ten rooms, recently occupied by the late Fred. Mitchell. Immediate possession given. Rent moderate. Apply to A. McDONALD, Railway Office. ap27-3t eod

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A good Cook. References required. Apply at this office. ap27-4t

WANTED TO HIRE.—To work on a Farm, a good Horse and Cart, from 10th to 20th May next. Enquire at this office. 3t eod-ap27

TO LET.—A Residence near the entrance of St. Peter's Road, recently in the occupation of the late Superintendent of the P. E. Island Railway. Possession 1st May next. Apply to J. A. LONGWORTH. 1f-ap25

OFFICE TO LET.—In the Building occupied by E. K. Jost, north side Queen Square. Rent low. Enquire on the premises. 1w eod-ap25

CLEARANCE SALE

—OF—

Cloths, Clothing, Furnishing Goods, &c.

Having purchased the Stock of Goods in my Store from H. H. HARVEY at a sacrifice, I will give CASH BUYERS

25 to 40 Per Cent. Discount.

In order to make room for SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, we will clear out our present Stock at above Discounts.

HATS! HATS!

Selling Cheaper than the Cheapest, as we intend going out of this Department.

As heretofore, our CUSTOM DEPARTMENT will receive our best attention.

D. A. BRUCE,

CUSTOM TAILOR.

Charlottetown, April 24, 1888.

Paper Hangings for this Season.

Our Immense Stock of Room Paper is now ready for sale.

WE HAVE OVER 30,000 ROLLS ON HAND,

Bought in England, Scotland, United States and Canada.

Newest Patterns and Lowest Prices.

Staple & Fancy Dry Goods, Carpets & Oil Cloths

VERY CHEAP.

PERKINS & STERN'S.

Charlottetown, March 12, 1888.

New Furniture at Auction Prices.

BEWARE of Cheap Imported Furniture, manufactured EXPRESSLY for AUCTION ROOMS.

Support LOCAL INDUSTRIES, and keep the P. E. ISLAND BOYS at Home.

We offer for Spot Cash Only, WALNUT PALLOR SETS covered with Hair Cloth, only \$35.00.

HARDWOOD BEDROOM SUITS, complete with Chairs only \$20.00.

And an Immense Stock of FINE FURNITURE at FINE PRICES.

MARK WRIGHT & CO.

Charlottetown, April 5, 1888.

Monuments, Tablets & Headstones

Reduced Prices for Two Months Only,

CAIRNS & McLEAN'S,

Kent Street (Phillips' Old Stand.)

Having purchased the entire Stock of MR. JAMES PHILLIPS and of the late E. G. HUNTER, we are over-stocked, and have decided to sell at a

Discount of 10 to 20 Per Cent. for Two Months from date.

Parties wanting anything in this line would do well to call early and have first choice.

Over 200 Fine Designs to select from.

CAIRNS & McLEAN.

April 13, 1888—wky 2m dy 1m 2aw