

Local and Other Items.

The market to-day was the best we have seen since New Years. Prices are looking upwards.

A CAR of Ontario pork was sold at auction in Halifax a few days ago at six cents per pound.

THE couriers, with fifty-three bags of mail matter, left Cape Traverse at 1.20 o'clock today for this city.

REGULAR Communication of Alexandria Royal Arch Chapter to-morrow (Wednesday), at 8 o'clock p. m.

THE Grand Division session, in consequence of the late storm, has been postponed until Wednesday the 19th inst., then to meet at Hamilton at one o'clock.

A MISSIONARY SERVICE will be conducted in the Prince street Presbyterian Church, on Friday evening, 7th inst., at 7.30 o'clock. Rev. Mr. Carr, of Alberton, will preach.

ARRIVED at Queenstown on the 12th ult., barquentine "W. D. Stewart," English, P. E. Island; 14th, brig "Carmenita," Anderson, and "Plymouth," McDonald, do.; 16th, "Adeline," Grant, do.; brig "Arctic," Brinton, do.

At Montville, fifteen miles from Portland, Me., on Saturday evening, John McFarland, a respectable farmer, his wife and grand daughter, were killed by one Rowell, an insane man. The lunatic was afterward shot and killed by a neighbor, whom he had attacked.

A Bergh is sadly needed for the protection of the Indians. If he does not soon appear, they will be "civilized" off the face of the United States. The recent slaughter of the Cheyenne, who bravely died, is a heart-sickening story, the more so as steps could have been taken to render the butchery unnecessary, to say the least. There is to be an inquiry, but then it is to be prosecuted by some of the officers concerned in the Cheyenne affair.

City Council.

The City Council met last evening. Present: The Mayor, Recorder and Councilors Beer, Morris, Stumbles, Horne, Crabbe, Koughan, Peake.

The report of the accounts of the Corporation of the City of Charlottetown, for the year ending December 31st, 1878, with appendix, containing a statement of vouchers for 1878; a statement of licenses issued; reports from Stipendiary Magistrate, and Chief Engineer of Fire Department, and report of School Trustees of Charlottetown, were received, and, on motion, ordered to be published.

The time of the Council was taken up in the consideration of the report of the committee appointed to revise the Act of Incorporation. There are many alterations suggested, and we will in a short time present our readers with a report of them. The Council adjourned at 10.30.

Special Notices.

FRESH supply of OYSTERS at the Beehive, Prince Street.—2in

CHOICE GREEN GRAPES only 28c. per lb. at W. F. CARTER'S.

CHOICE LEMONS and Oranges at W. F. CARTER'S.

ALL kinds of Preserves suitable for sick people at W. F. CARTER'S. j29 2w eod

APPLES by the barrel, bushel or peck cheap at W. F. CARTER'S.

It will pay you to buy your Dry Goods at J. B. McDonald's.

PICKLES, in bulk, 12c. a pint, at Beer and Goff's

BUY your Flour at Beer & Goff's.

GOLDEN SYRUP, 10c. a pint, at Beer and Goff's.

FOR Bargains in Ladies' Shawls and Furs go to J. B. McDonald's.

The Death-rate of

Our country is getting to be fearfully alarming, the average of life being lessened every year, without any reasonable cause, death resulting generally from the most insignificant origin. At this season of the year, especially, a cold is such a common thing that in the hurry of every day life we are apt to overlook the dangers attending it and often find, too late, that a Fever or Lung trouble has already set in. Thousands lose their lives in this way every winter, while had Boschee's German Syrup been taken, a cure would have resulted, and a large bill from a doctor been avoided. For all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, Boschee's German Syrup has proven itself to be the greatest discovery of its kind in medicine. Every Druggist in this country will tell you of its wonderful effect. Over 950,000 bottles sold last year without a single failure known.

Died.

In this city, on the 4th inst., of decline, Elizabeth, wife of Neil McNeill, aged 28 years. Funeral from her late residence, Great George street, on Thursday morning, at 10 o'clock.

NOTICE. NOTICE.

WE have to request the prompt payment of all accounts now due. All accounts unpaid after the

1st Day of February Next, will be sued for without further notice.

DODD & ROGERS. Charlottetown, Jan. 13, 1879—pat h ne till feb

THE WEEKLY EXAMINER.—Persons having relatives or friends abroad, and desiring to keep them informed concerning P. E. Island, cannot do so in a better or cheaper way than by subscribing to THE WEEKLY EXAMINER. Sent, postpaid, to any address in Great Britain, the United States, or the Dominion, on receipt of One Dollar.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

LONDON, Feb. 3.

A correspondent telegraphs from Khelat Shilzai that supplies are obtained with great difficulty. The commissary officers appear unable to forward stores to the front, and the soldiers, artillerymen and horses are suffering from want of clothing and food.

The people of the country are sulky, and inclined to be insolent. All natives suspected of bearing arms in Candahar have been searched—the concealment of arms being punishable.

LONDON, Feb. 3.

A notice of ten per cent. reduction of wages from the 15th of February has been posted in the Tyne shipbuilding yards. It will affect 6,000 workmen.

OTTAWA, Feb. 3.

It is hoped that the order in Council prohibiting the importation of United States cattle into Canada will lead the British Government to relax its order in regard to Canadian cattle.

It is reported that the Toronto firm of Morse & Co. is likely to get the railway contract. The firm is said to have large financial backing. The amount invested is about six millions.

Mr. J. A. Hall succeeds Mr. M. J. Griffin, as Private Secretary to the Minister of Justice.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the statements or opinions of our correspondents

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Str—During the progress of the murder case Mr. Hodgson is reported to have alluded to the "mob" when in court. May I be allowed to ask what did he mean by that word? May I also ask why applause which does not interfere with the business of the proceedings be prohibited in the court room more than in the House of Commons? Yours truly,

Feb. 4, 1879. JUSTITIA.

Maritime Miscellany.

Important to Shippers.—The Buenos Ayrean journals of Nov. 30th, 1878, just received by Messrs. A. & S. E. Spring, contain intelligence that is of utmost consequence to shippers to South American ports. They announce the completion of Boca Wharf and the decree of the Governor fixing a tariff that all vessels must pay for wharfage.

To the uninitiated it may be well to premise that the harbor of Buenos Ayres is a roadstead, and all vessels have to be loaded and unloaded by lighters. There was a sort of creek on one side of the city, opening into the harbor, called the Riachuelo, and this creek has been dredged by the Government and a solid mole built at which vessels will now discharge. Up to the present time the charges have amounted to something like \$125 for a vessel, and now the port and mole charges are to be added in order to make the Government whole for the expense it has been to. In the case of a bark of 500 tons the tariff will be at the rate of 5 cents per ton daily, or \$25 a day. It will also be seen that an entry fee of 60 cents is required, thus making a total of charges that in the case of a vessel loading or discharging, and remaining, as it must, a considerable time, will amount to a sum that will eat a great hole in ordinary profits, and where there is so little profit, if any, as lumber is now, will strike a great blow at the export trade. We append the articles of the decree, dated

DEPARTMENT OF HACIENDA, B. AYRES, Nov. 21, 1878.

Art. 1. From the date hereof the Provincial Government shall have charge of the Riachuelo Mole tariff as follows:—

For vessels from 5 to 100 tons, 4 cents daily per ton; over 100 tons, 5 cents do.

Art. 2. Port charges shall only be collected once on the entry of vessels, on the following scale:

Sailing vessels, 10 to 50 tons, 10 cents; 51 to 100 tons, 15 cents; 100 to 150 tons, 30 cts.; 151 upwards, 60 cents. Lighters from the roads, 10 cents. Steamers, according to tonnage, half price. Sailing vessels, entering and leaving in ballast, half price.

Arts. 3 and 4. The Port and Mole of the Riachuelo is hereby declared open for the loading and unloading of ultramar vessels, according to the rules laid down by the National Government.

Art. 5. The Provincial Government will, for the benefit of the Statistical Department, supply the Custom House monthly with a list of the arrival and sailing of vessels, also their tonnage, or whether loaded or in ballast. Let this be published.

AVELLANEDA, "V. de la Plaza."

GRAND Fancy Dress Carnival

THE Directors of the Citizens' Skating Rink have pleasure in announcing their

Annual Skating Carnival

TO TAKE PLACE AT THE RINK, ON Thursday Evening, Feb. 13th,

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.

REGULATIONS:

All persons intending to take part must enter their names with the Secretary, not later than Saturday, the 8th inst., after which no application will be entertained.

Each person, in costume, must be provided with a legible card bearing name and "character," such card to be handed to the person in waiting, upon entering the Dress Room.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any objectionable character.

Admission—Ticket holders, in Costume, FREE; Season ticket holders, to promenade, 25c; Non-Ticket holders, in Costume, 50 cts.; Non-ticket holders to Promenade, 50 cts. Tickets to be had at Apothecaries Hall.

By order, W. C. HOBKIRK, Sec'y. Feb. 1, 1879—s w s tu w th pat 3in

JANUARY, 1879.

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

J. B. MACDONALD'S.

The Following Goods will be Cleared out at Bargains:

- Ladies' Wool Shawls, Ladies Fur Hats and Boas, Ladies' Fur Caps, Children's Fur Caps and Sets, Men's and Boys' Fur and Heavy Cloth Caps, Scarfs & Clouds, Blankets, Quilts, Horse Blankets (Full Trimmed), Men and Boys' Ulsters and Reefers, Cottons and Cotton Warp AT COST.

ALL OTHER GOODS AT BOTTOM PRICES AT J. B. MACDONALD'S.

Queen Street, Charlottetown, Jan. 9, 1879

ECONOMY & SECURITY.

SUN MUTUAL

LIFE AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY

OF MONTREAL.

A SOUND AND RELIABLE HOME COMPANY.

Investments All Within the Dominion.

\$55,299.51

SURPLUS PROFITS ON PREMIUMS IN 1877.

NEW BUSINESS, 1876, SUBMITTED \$1,856,598

1877, 3,158,000

Solid Addition to Company's Assets in 1877, - \$55,299.55.

There is no reserve clause, making the amount of claims under the Sun Mutual Policy to be less than the sum assured by them, as under the minimum system.

Special attention is claimed to the fact that our policies are payable in full.

THOMAS WORKMAN, Esq., President; M. H. GAULT, Esq., Managing Director; T. J. CLAXTON, Esq., Vice-President; R. MACAULAY, Secretary; J. M. C. BELESDEBNIERS, Superintendent.

Prince Edward Island Board of Directors:

HON. L. C. OWEN, HON. J. F. ROBERTSON, DANIEL DAVIES, OWEN CONNOLLY, Esq., MESSRS. JENKINS & McLEOD, MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

HORACE HASZARD, Manager, P. E. Island.

July 3, 1878—

NO LONGER AGENT!

Our Agreement with W. H. OLIVE, of St. John, N. B., has this day terminated by mutual consent. In the meantime, parties desiring Machinery can obtain information from us direct, or through

AMOS FISHER, Truro, N. S., or JOHN WELSH, St. Martin's, N. B.

BOTH PRACTICAL MEN WHOSE JUDGMENT AND ADVICE CAN BE RELIED ON.

PRICES REDUCED!

Great Improvements in our SAWS IRON—PORTABLE GRIST MILLS—PORTABLE SAW MILLS.

Address—WATEROUS ENGINE WORKS CO., Brantford, Canada.

April 17 1878.

A Good Time May be Expected

THE Volunteer Brass and City String Band will give a

BONNET HOP,

On Thursday Evening Next,

IN THE ATHENEUM.

Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock, and continue until 2 o'clock. A Refreshment Table will be there.

Tickets to be had at Dr. Dodd's, also at John Quirk's, Esq.

TICKETS 40 CENTS EACH.

Jan. 31, 1879.

No. 35 Water St.,

Charlottetown.

Prince Edward Island Branch

—OF THE—

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

FIRE AND LIFE.

INSURANCE CO.

Subscribed Capital, \$9,733,332.00

Paid up Capital, 1,216,666.00

CHIEF OFFICES—Edinburgh, 64 Princess Street; London, 61 Threadneedle Street.

Nine-Tenths of the Profits of the Life Assurance Business are divided every Five Years. The Tables of Rates are moderate.

Fire Insurances effected on nearly every description of Property, at the LOWEST RATES of Premium, corresponding to the nature of the risk.

Losses settled with promptitude and liberality.

G. W. DEBLOIS, General Agent.

Dec. 14.

ORGAN FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, a First-Class Mason & Hamlin Organ, almost new, and in perfect order. Will be sold VERY CHEAP.

For information, apply to THOMAS HAGAN, EXAMINER OFFICE. Ch'town, Jan. 24, 1879—2aw tf

MORTGAGE SALE.

To be sold, by Public Auction, at the Court House in Summerside, in Prince County, on Tuesday, the Eighteenth day of February next, at the hour of one o'clock, in the afternoon, under a Power of Sale in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the fifth day of October, 1878, made between William Thomas Mill, of the one part, and John Brecken, Frederick De St. Croix Brecken, and Robert Robinson Hodgson, trustees, of the other part,—

1. All that tract, piece or parcel of land, situated on Lot Eighteen, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a stake fixed on the shore of Indian River; thence by a line running south twenty degrees west until it meets the boundary line dividing Lots or Townships Numbers eighteen and nineteen; thence running due east on said division line for the distance of thirty-two chains; thence by a line running north twenty degrees east until it reaches Indian River, aforesaid; thence following the course of the River to the place of commencement, making and including fifty-six (56) acres of land be the same, a little more or less, in Prince County, aforesaid.

2. Also, all that other tract, piece or parcel of Land, situate on Lot or Township Twenty-five, in Prince County, aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake fixed on William McMurly's eastern boundary line at the southeast corner of Joshua Harding's Lot; from thence running south for the distance of forty-four chains; thence east eleven chains and fifty links; thence north forty-four chains; thence west eleven chains and fifty links, to the aforesaid stake or place of commencement, making and including fifty (50) acres of land, a little more or less, being the southern moiety of one hundred acres of land; and being bounded on the north by the northern moiety thereof, known as Joshua Harding's lot; on the east by—Gay's land, on the south by—

Keefe's land, and on the west by the said William MacMurly's land.

3. Also, all that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate on Lot or Township Number Nineteen, bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a square stake fixed in the south-west angle of land in the occupation of Peter Gillis; thence running north six degrees and forty-five minutes, east fourteen chains and two links to division line between Lots Nineteen and Eighteen; thence along said line westwardly twenty-six chains and sixty-nine links to the entrance of Barbara Weit River; thence along the course of the said river to the place of beginning, containing twenty-nine acres and forty perches, be the same, a little more or less.

4. All that tract, piece or parcel of land situate on Lot or Township Number Eighteen, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a stake set on the shore of Richmond Bay in the centre of a road on the line of Lots Eighteen or Nineteen; thence northwardly along said shore such a distance as shall make fifteen chains and sixty-five links (15 chains and 65 links) at a right angle from said division line; thence north eighty-nine degrees east or parallel with the said division line forty-eight chains and fifteen links (48 chains, 15 links) or to lands the property of the said William Thomas Mill, thence south twenty degrees west to said division line to the stake at the place of commencement, containing seventy-eight acres of land, a little more or less.

5. Also all that other tract, piece or parcel of land situate on Lot or Township Number Twenty-five (25), in Prince county, and bounded and described as follows, that is to say, commencing at a stake set in the north boundary line of land in possession of the widow Keiff or Lawrence Malone, being the southeast angle of fifty acres of land the property of William T. Mill, from thence by a line running north twelve chains and fifty links, thence east nine chains and fifty-five links or to the east boundary line of land in possession of William Gay, thence south to the first mentioned land, thence westwardly along said land to the stake at the place of commencement, containing eleven and nine-tenths acres, a little more or less.

6. Also all that other tract, piece or parcel of land situate on Lot or Township Number Nineteen, in Prince County, bounded as follows, that is to say, commencing at the southeast angle of land in the possession of Neil McDonald, from thence running west along said land twelve chains and twenty links (12 chains, 20 links) or to the southwest angle of said land, and from thence two points running two parallel lines south thirty-one (31) chains or to the south boundary line of plot G containing thirty-seven and one-half (37½) acres of land, be the same a little more or less, together with all buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenances to the same belonging.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown. Dated the 13th day of January, A. D. 1879. JOHN BRECKEN, FREDERICK DE ST. C. BRECKEN, R. R. HODGSON, By E. J. HODGSON, their attorney. Jan. 13—law ts prog

Executors' Notice.

THE undersigned Executors of the Estate of Ralph Brecken Peake, late of Charlottetown, in the Province of Prince Edward Island, merchant, deceased, hereby notify all persons indebted to the said Estate to make immediate payment to them; and all persons having any claims against the said Estate are hereby required to render the same to the undersigned, duly attested, within one year from date.

Dated this twenty-first day of January, A. D. 1879.

EDWARD J. HODGSON, GEORGE W. DEBLOIS, THOS. HANDRAHAN, Executors.

Jan. 21, 1879. r g 3m

Administrator's Notice.

THE undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of ROBERT ORR, late of Charlottetown, deceased, intestate, hereby notifies all persons indebted to the said Estate to make immediate payment to him; and all persons having claims or demands against the said Estate are hereby required to exhibit such claims and demands, duly attested, to him for payment within twelve months.

JOHN MCPHEE, Administrator. Ch'town, Jan. 8th, 1879—2w 2aw

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For 36c., 40c., and 44c. per lb.

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For 7½c., 8c., 8½c., and 9c. per lb.

CHOICE FLOUR

From \$5.50 to \$6.00 per bbl., and

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Ch'town, Jan. 17—

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TRADE MARK. The Great English Remedy, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that

Before Taking follow as a se—After Taking, quence of self-abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at \$1 per package, or six packages for \$5, or will be sent free, by mail, on receipt of the money, by addressing

The Gray Medicine Co., Windsor, Ont., Canada.

Sold in Charlottetown by all Druggists, and by all wholesale and retail Druggists in the United States and Canada.

January 24, 1879.

REMOVAL!

J. QUIRK has removed his shop to new building, two doors to the right.

Ch'town, Dec. 26.—h pres lm