

Local and Other Items.

"BEHOLD the Lord High Executioner" to-morrow night at Market Hall.

MEETING.—Attention is called to the meeting of the Board of Trade this evening at 8 o'clock.

NOTICE.—The members of the Societies Irish Society will please return all tickets unsold not later than Friday evening, the 26th inst.

REASONABLE.—The Terra Haute Express says: It is a wise child that goes out of the room to laugh when the old man mashes his finger.

MILITARY.—The Charlottetown Engineers will meet for drill at the Drill Shed this evening at eight o'clock sharp. A full attendance requested. W. A. Weeks, Capt.

HIGH PRICE.—We understand that waterworks debentures are selling at 6 1/2 premium. This, we believe, is the highest price ever paid for Charlottetown debentures.

MASONIC.—A special convocation of Alexandra Royal Arch Chapter of Masons will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Chapter Hall, Water Street, for the purpose of conferring degrees.

QUEEN SQUARE GARDENS.—A meeting of the ladies and all interested in the Queen Square Gardens will be held in the Legislative Library, on Friday morning, at half-past eleven o'clock.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.—The St. Lawrence left Summerside for Point du Chene at four o'clock this morning.

The Princess of Wales left this port for Picton at six o'clock this morning.

MAP OF MANITOBA.—"Brownlie's Indexed Railway and Guide Map of Manitoba" is to hand. It is published by the authority of the Provincial Government. Those Manitobans adopt every means to advertise their country. Success to them.

EASTER MEETING.—The Easter Meeting of St. Paul's Church congregation, adjourned until Thursday next, will then be further adjourned, without transacting any business, until Tuesday evening, 30th April, at 8 o'clock, in the Schoolroom.

GOOD SHOOTING.—An exchange reports that Mr. Neil Walker, of Point Aconi, C. B., shot five wild geese in two shots last week at that place. They were flying along in the fog and ventured too near the shore and within range of a rifle. This is remarkably good shooting.

POST OFFICE ROBBER.—The post office at Pembroke, Ont., was broken into and robbed on Saturday night last. Everything in the shape of money, stamps and registered letters are said to have been taken. The amount of loss is not known, but it is believed to be considerable. Several hundred dollars in stamps were carried off.

Y. M. C. A.—The Entertainment Committee have completed arrangements with the Hadyn (Weber) Quartette of Boston, assisted by Miss Clara A. Hunt, the famous concert soprano, of Boston, to give two concerts in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on the 11th and 13th of May. Advertisement will appear in a few days.

NATAL DAY.—The work of arranging the Market Hall is about completed. The committee have done their work well. The raised seats at the rear of the Hall are very comfortable, while for reserved seat ticket holders four hundred chairs have been placed in the centre. With a fine day, the celebration will doubtless be a grand affair.

"To sit in solemn silence in a dull, dark dock, In a pestilential prison with a life long lock, Awaiting the sensation of a short, sharp shock, From a black and chippy chopper on a big black block."

This trio from the Mikado to-morrow night will alone be worth the price of admission.

WHEAT WILL BE LOWER.—The St. Louis Republic prints a report on the prospect of the wheat crop from Missouri, Illinois, Kansas, Indiana, Kentucky and Michigan, showing that there is an improved condition of these States, Michigan being the lowest. The average is 106 1-3 per cent. indicating a tremendous yield of winter wheat, barring untoward accidents.

CARD OF THANKS.—The members of the Fitzroy and Mac-Mac Lawn Tennis Clubs beg to tender their sincere thanks to Mrs. Malcolm McLeod, Rev. F. E. J. Lloyd, Mr. H. J. Palmer, Mr. Vinnicombe, the members of the Orchestra, the ladies of the Bromo Brigade, and others whose valuable aid enabled the Clubs to produce so successful an entertainment as that of last evening.

WHAT IT SHOWS.—The British postmaster-general reports that last year 391,662 persons in the States sent money by postal order to relatives in Great Britain and Ireland, the total sum amounting to about \$5,250,000, while 78,340 persons in Canada sent over \$1,000,000 in the same way; and the total sum sent in that way from Australia, the United States and South Africa in the year was over \$9,000,000, or an average of over \$30,000 a day, coming from 635,255 persons. This shows what vital regard the British race have for the parents left behind.

ONE ONLY WAS LEFT.—In 1880, according to an exchange, some thirty young women in Berlin started an Old Maids' Club, with a provision for a fine of 1,000 marks upon every one who married. The club was a great success, but suddenly an epidemic of marriage set in, and at the annual meeting this year only one member was left, and she found herself called upon to dispose of 28,000 marks the accumulation of the fines paid by the former members. She took the advice of the ex-members, and it was decided that half the sum should go to a hospital, and that the solitary old maid should have the rest for herself.

AQUATIC.—It appears that Jake Gaudaur and John Teemer have not yet ratified their series of races for \$500 or \$1,000 a side, at various distances. Mr. St. John Gaudaur's backer, writes the Boston Herald from St. Louis that the fault for delay is partly his. "Teemer," he says, "is willing to make some concessions, possibly all that would be reasonably obtained, but I have given way on so many points in the past that I feel justified now in demanding my terms, which are fair and honorable to both men. At any rate, Jake is the only way I will risk my money. Jake was in to see me to-day, looking and feeling splendidly. He is rowing twice a day, and is determined to get to the top this season. I am as confident as ever of his winning as to Gaudaur."

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Debates and Proceedings.

THE SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES.

OTTAWA, April 23.

Last night Mr. Kenny, of Halifax, called the Government's attention to the state of the Magdalen Island service.

After routine this afternoon the Copyright Amendment Act and Wallace's bill to suppress combines were read a third time.

From four till six o'clock Mr. Weldon's Extradition Act was discussed in committee of the whole. While the preamble of the measure was not assailed, several speakers attacked its details.

After recess Mr. Laverge moved to strike out the retroactive clause on the ground that it would affect many who, since coming into Canada, had led honorable lives.

Mr. Laverge's amendment was carried by a rising vote by quite a majority.

Mr. Weldon then amended the bill so as to provide that when extradition is asked it shall be accompanied by an understanding that the party shall not be tried on any charge save that on which extradition is asked.

Clause 16 was dropped and some matters of detail amended, the committee rose, and the bill was read a third time as amended.

Hon. Mr. Foster submitted the supplementary estimates for the year ending June, 1889, this afternoon, amounting to \$1,313,757.54 of which \$131,554 is chargeable to capital and the balance to income.

The P. E. Island items are, to pay P. E. I. members for shortage in travelling expenses, 1887-88, \$110; Charlottetown Dominion Building, for introduction of water, \$500; improvements to Summerside public buildings, \$900; Charlottetown Dominion Building, to pay for care of grounds, \$400. The grants for public works in harbors and rivers are: Port Selkirk, \$1,000; China Point, \$1,200; Chapel Point Wharf, Grand River, \$800.

Killed by Lightning.

HALIFAX, April 23.

John Schofield, residing near Kentville, and his twelve year old son were killed by lightning during Sunday night's thunder storm. The house was completely wrecked. Nothing was known of the fatality till yesterday morning when the neighbor's saw a wrecked homestead. They entered and found the bodies. A black streak ran from Schofield's mouth to his knee, which indicated the course of the electric fluid. His eyes protruded from their sockets, his tongue was burned and the whole body was purple. The boy's head was crushed by fallen timbers. Mrs. Schofield and three other children were bundled in the corner of the building which was intact and were half scared out of their senses.

The Short Line Again.

MONTREAL, April 23.

A special to the Star from Ottawa says the Short Line in New Brunswick came up for discussion at the Ontario caucus yesterday, and many Ontario and western members strongly opposed the intention of the Government to expend so much money on a railway which benefited only one Province.

Nova Scotia News.

HALIFAX, April 23.

St. George's Day was celebrated by the usual procession and service at St. Paul's, with a sermon by Bishop Courtney; and the dinner to-night was held at the Queen.

Norman Night suicided at Lawrencetown this afternoon by hanging.

Archibald McPhee, Justice of the Peace, of Gay's River, Halifax County, is under arrest for robbery.

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ST. ANDREW'S, N. B., April 23.

The Government steamer Dream arrived in port last evening for the purpose of getting stores and mails. This morning the captain ordered the engineer to get up steam to leave for the cruising ground, but the engineer refused duty. He was brought before Justice Hatheway, who committed him to jail for the term of four weeks.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, April 24.—10 a. m.

Southerly winds; fair to cloudy weather; local rains to-night; higher temperature.

A Question to be Answered.

SIR,—San Paulo, in Brazil, is in 24° south latitude; what is the length of a degree of longitude in that latitude? A solution and rule required.

ENQUIRER.

MARRIED.

On the 23rd inst., at the Parsonage, by the Rev. George Steel, Mr. Samuel Charles Stewart, of Mount Allison, to Miss Hattie, daughter of Albert Boswell, Esq., of Mount Mellick, Lot 49.

Local Notices.

Go with the crowd. People are rushing to McEachen's Boot Store for boots and shoes. A large lot of boots and shoes at 50 cents per pair.

Opening to-day, 5 cases of American Hats, new and nobly at John McLeod & Co's.

1-2-3—What does this mean? It means that you can save from 1 to 3 dollars by buying your spring boots at McEachen's Boot Store.

Bamboozed, that's the word! People are getting bamboozed every day buying shoddy boots. The only place in the city where you can buy solid leather boots, for the price you pay for shoddy ones, is at McEachen's Boot Store.

WANTED.

MALE AND FEMALE HELP, for BOSTON and SUBURBS, for private families and for hotel work at sea-level and mountains. Parties contemplating a visit to Boston, or requiring reliable situations, will do well by calling at the old reliable

THE MARION EMPLOYMENT CO., 23 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Constipation

Demands prompt treatment. The results of neglect may be serious. Avoid all harsh and drastic purgatives, the tendency of which is to weaken the bowels. The best remedy is Ayer's Pills. Being purely vegetable, their action is prompt and their effect always beneficial. They are an admirable Liver and After-dinner pill, and everywhere endorsed by the profession.

"Ayer's Pills are highly and universally spoken of by the people about here. I make no doubt of their value in my practice."—Dr. I. E. Fowler, Bridgeport, Conn.

"I can recommend Ayer's Pills above all others, having long proved their value as a cathartic for myself and family."—J. T. Hess, Leithsville, Pa.

"For several years Ayer's Pills have been used in my family. We find them an

Effective Remedy

for constipation and indigestion, and are never without them in the house."—Moses Greiner, Lowell, Mass.

"I have used Ayer's Pills for liver troubles and indigestion, during many years, and have always found them prompt and efficient in their action."—L. N. Smith, Utica, N. Y.

"I suffered from constipation which assumed such an obstinate form that I feared it would cause a stoppage of the bowels. Two boxes of Ayer's Pills effected a complete cure."—D. Burke, Saco, Me.

"I have used Ayer's Pills for the past thirty years and consider them an invaluable family medicine. I know of no better remedy for liver troubles, and have always found them a prompt cure for dyspepsia."—James Quinn, 10 Middle St., Hartford, Conn.

"Having been troubled with costiveness, which seems inevitable with persons of sedentary habits, I have tried Ayer's Pills, hoping for relief. I am now free from the trouble, and I feel better than by any other medicine. I arrive at this conclusion only after a faithful trial of their merits."—Samuel T. Jones, Oak St., Boston, Mass.

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PREPARED BY Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

Every Housekeeper

WHO PAYS 25 CENTS for a 6 oz. package of Baking Powder (as now sold in the market), instead of buying a 10 oz. Paper Package of

WOODILL'S German Baking Powder

WILL LOSE 7 7-8 CENTS.

Is it not worth saving? Take care of your wrappers for the prizes to be given after 31st July. ap17—dy eod

Citizens. Attention! PURE WATER.

HAVING engaged the services of a man who will devote his time to the FITTING UP OF WATER PIPES in Houses, I would respectfully solicit a share of your patronage. All work entrusted to me will be done both cheap and satisfactory.

A large supply of PIPES, FAUCETS, etc. always in stock, and prompt attention given to orders.

L. W. HARRIS, Upper Queen Street.

Gooseberries and Currants.

FOR SALE.—Two Thousand Currant and Gooseberry Bushes. As I haven't to pay freight or commission, I will sell them for \$2 per dozen, and put them on the train at Cardigan. Fine two-year-old Bushes, my own growing; will bear this year. Address,

JOHN ROBERTSON, Inkerman Farm, New Perth, P. C. ap20

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A NICE HOUSE on Pleasant Street. Also a Double Tenement on King Street. Possession immediate. Apply to WILLIAM DODD. ap11

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Two Acres of the Most Eligible Land in the Vicinity of the City. Just outside the City Limits and clear of City Taxes, yet as convenient as if in the City.

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON PREMISES, On Wednesday, 8th of May next, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON:

Two Acres of Land on the Malpeque Road near Spring Park, being the land and residence of the late James Bar in McKenna, Esquire, having a front of about three chains and five links on the Malpeque Road, and extending back eastward to a street six chains and fifty-eight links.

The land is fronting on the Malpeque Road, and has streets on the south and west sides thereof. On it are a comfortable Cottage, good Wash and Bath.

The land will be sold in one block, or subdivided in Building Lots, to suit purchasers. Full particulars on application to the subscriber, or at the office of Messrs. Palmer & M. L. d. T. R. S.—2, per cent. down; the balance in four years, at 6 per cent. interest.

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- Brussels Carpet, Velvet Carpet, Tapestry Carpet, Kidderminster Carpet, Axminster Carpet, Union, Hemp and Felt Carpet, Cocoa Matting and Mats, Art Squares woven in one piece, with fringed end, Hearth and Sofa Rugs, Goat Skin Rugs, China Mats, fancy borders, Wool Mats, Linoleum and Floor Oil Cloths, all widths.

Tapestry, Rep Curtains, Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles and Window Shades, in great variety.

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BE SURE YOU SEE PROWSE BROTHERS,

THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MEN, Who Buy Every Dollar's Worth of Goods for Spot Cash.

PROWSE, while in Montreal, secured about Eight Thousand Dollars' (\$8,000) worth of CLOTHING at about half price, which can be sold less than competitors can to sell their Shoddy for.

AUCTION PRICES: 1,013 (One Thousand and Thirteen) Boys' and Childrens' Suits. 950 (Nine Hundred and Fifty) Mens' Suits to select from.

We say we sell the Cheapest, and we can prove it; and not only the Cheapest, but a long way the Cheapest. We advertise what we know is the truth, and we will back up what we say by offering any man or woman \$1,000 (One Thousand Dollars) who can find a larger and cheaper stock of BOYS' and CHILDREN'S CLOTHING on P. E. Island.

Our prices are so low on HATS, they can't go lower. We solicit your trade, as we know we can please you better and give you better value than any other House in the Trade.

PROWSE BROS., The Wonderful Cheap Men, QUEEN STREET. Charlottetown, April 12, 1889—eod wky

38,000 DOLLARS!

From 15 to 33 1/2 per Cent. Discount.

My Whole Stock of Dry Goods, &c., will be offered at the above Discount for Cash,

Comprising Black and Colored Dress Goods, Velvets, Plushes, Velvetteens, Silks, Satins, Trimmings, &c., &c. Mantle and Ulster Cloths, Furs, Wool Shawls, Squares, Hosiery, Underclothing, Corsets, White, Red and Grey Flannels, Embroidery, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, &c.

Mens' Coatings, Worsted, Tweeds, Shirts, Underclothing, W. P. Coats, &c., &c.

Blankets, Quilts, Table Linen, Towelings, &c

SALE POSITIVE, and will continue until the whole is disposed of.

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WHAT HANDSOME PROPERTY situated on the St. Peter's Road, about one and a half miles from the city, known as "THE GARDINER PROPERTY," recently occupied by Mr. Robert Bridges. The House and Buildings are in good order. Sixteen, twenty-six or fifty acres can be had with this property.

Part of purchase money can remain on security of property for a term of years, at five per cent. interest. Apply to JOHN INGS. ap10—4w haw

THE SUBSCRIBER HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that it is his intention of commencing about the FIRST OF MAY to make a thorough examination of all Privies, Dirty Yards, Cesspools, Ash Pits, Cellars, &c.

of which those concerned will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly. Any information will be thankfully received at the Market House on Market Days. D. McRAE, Sanitary Officer. Charlottetown, April 8, 1889—eod tf