

Local and Other Items.

RECEIVED to-day, 50 suits cheap Clothing, at L. E. Prowse's.

HALIFAX, St. John, N. B., and Moncton are to have street railways shortly.

Those who want Clothing, cheapest ever seen, should go to L. E. Prowse's.

SMOKE the Duke Cigarette—the finest made.—Reddin's Drug Store.

You can buy Suits to fit boys 3 to 10 years old at less than cost at J. B. Macdonald's.

FIVE THOUSAND Havana Cigars, Bock, Eagle, Newton, Picador and all the favorites.—Reddin's Drug Store.

Hay making is just commencing in the vicinity of Vernon River. The crop is considerably below the average.

We learn that Wm. Heard, Esq., had his ankle sprained a few evenings ago, in one of the "twisters" in the sidewalk on Upper Prince Street.

THERE will be a shooting match at Kensington Range on Monday afternoon between the officers of H. M. S. Bellerophon and the sharpshooters of the Charlottetown Rifle Club.

MESSRS. METZKE & GERRIER have erected their tent on the playground of Upper Prince Street School. It is capable of seating about 1,800 persons. The first meeting will be held on Monday evening, August 2nd, at 7.30.

A HALIFAX despatch says:—About forty privates of the Royal Irish Rifles have deserted since the 1st of July, and only two of them have been captured. Such a large number of desertions, within such a short time, is unprecedented in the garrison.

FOREST fires were raging furiously in the vicinity of Annapolis and the Portage, N. B., on Sunday and Monday, but the rain of Tuesday afternoon stopped their progress. Over five hundred dollars worth of tan bark was burned, in addition to several hundred dollars worth of timber land.

THE body of a man about 25 years of age was discovered in the canal at St. John's, Que., on the morning of the 29th. In the pocket was found a note book, on the first page of which was written, "John H. Philpott, 408 St. Dominique street, Montreal." On another page was written: "Will be found drowned; last drunk."

A DIGBY, N. S., despatch contains the following: There are lots of poor people grieving over money lost by having it taken from them by swindlers who are following the Roberts-Gardner circus. As this circus intends visiting the Island in the course of a few weeks, it would be well for our police to be on the qui vive for the swindlers.

It is stated that Digby, N. S., has decided to have a steam fire engine, and has ordered one from the Burrell-Johnson Iron Co., of Yarmouth. It has also ordered from the same company a cheap system of electric alarm bells. The bells are to be placed in the houses of the firemen, and connected with alarm boxes located in different parts of the town. From any of these boxes all the bells can be sounded at once.

THE Australians who have not visited Enniscorthy this year are a little out of humor with those who have. The papers say that 12,000 Australians have left for England, and it is estimated that the amount spent by the holiday making Australians will make a loss to the colony of \$24,000,000. The reason why so many Canadians have remained at home, may be, is that they didn't like to spend money out of the country.

As Mr. John Bell, of Shirley settlement, N. B., was putting some Paris green on a patch of potatoes, his little son, between two and three years of age, came into the field, and espying a box which contained some of the raw material, the little fellow helped himself to some of the contents. Medical aid was procured as soon as possible, but was too late to be of any avail. The child died about four hours after taking the poison.

An alarm of fire was sounded in Portland, N. B., the other day, and the driver of a horse cart been absent, the Chief of the fire department undertook to drive in his stead. Having got his horse started under a full head of steam, he started to drive in his stead. Having got his horse started under a full head of steam, he started to drive in his stead.

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It should be remembered that the success of every town depends upon the public spirit of its leading citizens. If its leading men are not willing to lay out abundantly of their means, erect attractive buildings, advertise largely their business, and the inducement offered in their town, and if the people are not interested, then no town, be its advantages ever so great, can expect to grow or flourish. The natural advantages are great accessories to the growth of any place, but public spirit backed up with energy and common sense, will turn a swamp into a flourishing town.

AMONG the many handsome churches of which our Island can justly boast, the one now under course of construction at Cape Traverse deserves prominent mention. It stands close to the old one in which the late Rev. Donald McDonald, of beloved memory, preached for many years. It is 50 feet in length, 31 feet in breadth, 20 feet in post, with a tower of over 30 feet clear of roof. Mr. James Siliker is the contractor; and we have no doubt but the building when completed, will reflect credit upon the neighborhood and prove a source of satisfaction to those through whose liberality it is being erected, and to their worthy pastor, the Rev. Mr. Goodwill.

To the Antiseptic Inhaler Co. GENTLEMEN,—According to promise I wrote to inform you that your Inhaler has worked wonders in my case. I have only used it about two months and I find my difficulty entirely removed. I was troubled very much with a bronchial affection, accompanied with nasal catarrh which prevented me from singing—a part of my profession. I tried various nostrums without relief, until I heard of "Butcher's Antiseptic Inhaler" through a friend who had proved its efficiency. I shall do all in my power to recommend a remedy which, to my own knowledge, has been so beneficial in every case coming under my observation.

Yours truly, JOHN HOWARD, Prof. of Music.

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MAYOR BEER is reported better to-day.

TRUNKS and Valises selling very cheap at L. E. Prowse's.

The potato bugs are doing a rushing business in Sackville, N. B.

The Coban arrived at 5 a. m. to-day, and sailed again an hour later.

Buy your Boots at the Dominion Boot and Shoe Store, cheapest and best.

INSECT POWDER, Wilson's Fly Pads—the best of all fly slayers.—Reddin's Drug Store.

THE annual competition of No. 2 Co. Garrison Artillery is now in progress at Kensington Range.

OUR thanks are due Mr. A. J. McLeod, an Island boy in Utah, for copies of late Salt Lake City papers.

THE ballast train, on the eastern extension, has been at work in the vicinity of Souris for the last few days.

INVITATIONS are issued for a ball at Government House to-night and also for a hop on board H. M. S. Bellerophon on Monday afternoon.

MR. McLEAN, a Highland piper, dressed in full Highland costume, from Boston, is in the city, and will play at the Scottish Gathering next Tuesday.

MR. JOHN QUIRK, of the City Steam Bakery, has a large quantity of choice confectionery on hand, which he will sell cheap. Look out for advertisement Monday.

THE steamer Miramichi, Capt. Baquet, arrived from Montreal at eight o'clock, last evening with a general cargo and several passengers. She sailed again at midnight.

We understand that there is accommodation for a few more guests at the Lorne Hotel. The hotel is in excellent condition, and all who have visited it are favorably impressed.

THE regular communication of Victoria Lodge, No. 2, A. F. and A. M., will be held in Masonic Hall on Monday evening, the 2nd August at 8 o'clock. Transient brethren always welcome.

A LARGE NUMBER of distinguished visitors from abroad are staying at the city hotels and seaside resorts, during the hot weather, many of whom purpose being present at the Scottish Gathering next Tuesday.

THE Lansdowne called at Souris on the 29th. The shore fishermen have been doing well within the last few days. Mackerel are reported plentiful and of fair size, but prices rule somewhat low just now.

THE cricket and lawn tennis matches between the officers of H. M. S. Bellerophon and teams from our local clubs, attracted a large number of people to Victoria Park this afternoon. The ship's band is in attendance.

THE auction sale of the Chappell property takes place on Monday next, at 12 o'clock, noon, on the premises. To suit bidders the property may be divided in two parts, suitable for two building lots.—A. McNeill, Auctioneer.

THE Boston Herald places the oarsmen of America as follows: Gandaur first, Hanlan second, Ross (if in fix) third, Teemer fourth, McKay fifth, Conley sixth, Hamm seventh, Lee eighth, Ten Eyck ninth, and Hosmer tenth.

BEFORE and during the Skates vs. Bicycle race at the Roller Rink, on Caledonia night, the Band of the 82nd Battalion, under the leadership of Mr. Galbraith, will entertain the audience with some of the favorite airs of "Auld Scotia."

MR. W. R. WATSON, Editor of the Good Templar of Canada, is to lecture, under the auspices of Morning Star Lodge, I. O. G. T., at Uigg, on Tuesday evening, at 7.30 p. m., and on Wednesday following he is to speak, under the auspices of the Lodge at Eldon.

A SMALL BOY was arraigned before the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon, charged with being one of a number who were bathing in a state of nudity at one of the wharves. The Magistrate cautioned the lad and told him to inform his companions that if he heard of their being swimming in like manner again he would punish them severely.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

ANOTHER APPOINTMENT.

LONDON, July 31. Henry Matthews has been appointed Home Secretary. Mr. Matthews is the famous lawyer who delivered such a scathing denunciation of Sir Charles Dilke in the recent divorce case. He is the first Tory ever elected for Birmingham, and is also the first English Catholic commoner to hold a prominent seat in the Government. Mr. Matthews was engaged in the celebrated Tichborne case, and also for the defence in the recent Stead abduction case. His appointment is strongly praised by the *Pall Mall Gazette*.

Newfoundland's View of the Matter

OTTAWA, July 31. Mr. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine, who has returned from Newfoundland, says that the Government of Newfoundland are not inclined to active measures in regard to the fisheries question. The feeling in the matter there is not the same as in Canada, as American fishermen only go to Newfoundland ports for bait and ice, and they fish on the Banks so that the Government are not inclined to incur the expense of armed cruisers.

A Strict Enforcement Hoped for.

OTTAWA, July 31. Hon. Mr. Foster, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, says that the Maritime Provinces are unanimous in favor of a strict enforcement of the Fisheries Law. He thinks that they are fully satisfied with the efforts of the government in this direction, and hopes that by the aid of the new steamer the fishery laws will be still more stringently enforced.

A Rank and Smelling Victory.

MONTREAL, July 31. The tremendous efforts of the dark lantern brigade, aided by the latest human devices, which are "rank and smelling to heaven," have succeeded in carrying Chambly for the Rielle-Grit combination by a majority of forty-two.

Mr. Trudel, M. P. for Mont Plaisir, is dead. This opens another Quebec constituency.

Good "Swallowing" Capacity.

HALIFAX, July 31. The Commissioners in Bankruptcy have spent a week in listening to the evidence of fraud preferred against Rupert Johnston in connection with his bankruptcy. Johnston has already undergone six months' imprisonment for fraud, it being alleged that he swallowed up some \$40,000 or \$50,000 of his estates.

Y. M. C. A. Convention.

SYDNEY, C. B., July 31. Addresses from the visiting delegates on "How to Study the Bible" and the dedication of the new Y. M. C. A. Hall here, occupied the attention of the convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of the Maritime Provinces yesterday.

Heavy Action for Damages.

LONDON, July 31. The parents of the girl Armstrong, who figured in the trumped-up charges of abduction by editor Stead, of the *Pall Mall Gazette*, has brought an action against Stead and his associates for \$300,000 damages.

A Warning to the Young.

HALIFAX, July 31. Some twenty persons who attended the "Rosebud" Band of Hope picnic yesterday were slightly poisoned. The poisoning it is supposed was the result of eating tainted meat.

Protection of the Fisheries.

HALIFAX, July 31. The New York yacht Yosemite, purchased by the Dominion Government for the further protection of the Fisheries, has arrived here.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, July 31—10 a. m. Light to moderate winds, fine weather; not much change in temperature.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE. July 30—D McLean, Craupaud; Geo F Owen, Cardigan; T W Johnstone, Craupaud; Mrs Johnstone, do; Miss Jones, Bermuda; G Wrightman, Pictou; J G Springour, Cardigan Bridge.

RANKIN HOUSE. July 30—J B Blanchett, St Hyacinthe, Que; B F Elson, Boston; J M Higgins, Toronto; G R McDonald, Racine College; Ogen Strong, Chicago, Ill; A D Michaels, Newcastle; M C McRobbie, St John; W L Foster, Boston; B S Reddy, Montreal; G B Devlin, wife and child, Toronto; Wm Campbell, Park Corner; Prof J B Curotte, Montreal.

REVERE HOUSE. July 30—Geo E Shaw, Toronto; Mrs Geo E Shaw, do; W A C Stevens, Lynn, Mass; Jas Wallace, Halifax; T E Steele, Hartford, Conn; Mrs T E Steele, do; B Frank Steele, Springfield, Mass; Mrs Steele, do; E W Penney, Petrolia; J Murray, Brockville; T M Thomas, Halifax.

ROCKLIN HOUSE. July 30—J R Bourke, Mount Stewart; Samuel Coffin, Savage Harbor; Theophilus Crosby, City; John Moore Craupaud; William J Parks, Mount Stewart; S H Brown, Stanley Bridge; D Henderson, North Wiltshire; Edward Henry, Graville; Christopher Lepage and wife, Rustico; Donald McKenzie, City; Joseph Brown and wife, Rustico; Senator Haythorn, Marshfield.

SHIRTINGS.

SPECIAL NOTICE

As it has been brought to our notice that other makes of Shirtings are being sold to the Retail and Country Trade, under various Fancy Brands, as being of our Manufacture. We beg to inform all purchasers of this article that we will not guarantee as ours any Shirtings which have not our label.

Parks' Fine Shirtings

upon them. Those with this label will be found to be FULL WEIGHT. FULL WIDTH of 28 inches. FAST COLORS.

and woven the same on BOTH SIDES, so as to be reversible. They are for sale by all the leading Wholesale Houses, from whom the Retail Trade can always get them, if they insist upon being supplied with our Shirtings, instead of inferior goods.

WM. PARKS & SON, (LIMITED), ST. JOHN, N. B. July 27, 1886.

BOSTON, STEAMSHIP LINE

FARES REDUCED.

First Cabin, with stateroom berth, \$9.50 1st Cabin 7.50 2nd Cabin 6.50

Leaves Charlottetown every MONDAY and THURSDAY, 6 p. m.

CARVELL BROTHERS, Agents. Ch'town, July 14, '86. —Imo wed sat her pat & sum prs

NOTICE.

I HEREBY notify all persons not to give any goods or credit to my wife—DRUCILLA HOWARD (formerly DRUCILLA PEARSON), as she has left my bed and board against my wishes and of her own free will and accord, and that I shall not be responsible for any debts she may contract.

Dated this 28th day of JULY, A. D. 1886. JOHN HOWARD. July 30, 1886—wy 31

ST. CATHERINES HALL, AUGUSTA, ME.

DIOCESAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

The RT. REV. H. A. NEELY, D.D., President. The REV. W. D. MARTIN, A.M., Rector and Prin. 18th year opens Sept. 15. Terms \$25 and \$20. Increased advantages offered. For circulars address the Principal. July 16—10 wks

SPECIAL JULY OFFERING.

Biggest Bargain of the Season. Let the Chinaman Come

OUR SHIRTS ARE CHEAPER AND PRETTIER THAN THEY CAN PRODUCE THEM.

Our Hoop-skirts, Corsets and Bustles Mus' Co.

Bankrupt Prices! Bankrupt Prices!

THE month of July at REID BROS. is the best month in the year for bargains. Then, all job lots and seasonal goods are cleared out at 75 cents on the dollar. We have only room to quote a few pointed bargains, but ask purchasers to call and examine our prices before making their purchases.

Men's White Shirts, 60cts, up. Children's Suits for \$1.50, worth \$2.75. Youths' Suits for \$2, worth \$3.75.

Fearful Slaughter in our Tailoring Department. Children's All-wool Suits, \$3.50, worth \$5. Men's All-wool Oxford Suits, \$8, worth \$8. Men's Black Worsted Suits, \$6, worth \$7.50. Men's Navy Blue Suits, \$4, worth \$6.50. Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, \$3, worth \$3.50. Men's Black Worsted Suits, \$5, worth \$12. Men's Fancy Tweed Suits, \$11, worth \$14. Men's All-wool Tweed Pants, \$1.75, worth \$2.40. Men's All-wool Tweed Coats, \$3.50, worth \$5. Men's All-wool Tweed Vests, \$1.25, worth \$2. Ladies' 4-Clasp Gloves (in kid), 75cts, worth \$1.40. Ladies' 4-Button Dent's Gloves, 50cts, worth \$1. American Dress Gingham, 10cts, worth 14cts. American Prints, 5cts, worth 8cts. Canadian Heavy Prints, 4cts, worth 10cts. Very Stylish Bustles, only 10cts, worth 40cts. Very Stylish Corsets, only 10cts, worth 60cts. American Hoop-skirts, 25cts, up. Very Heavy Ticking, only 10cts. Very Heavy 36-inch Gray Cotton, only 5cts. American Felt Hats, 50cts, up. American Straw Hats, 2cts, up. Large-sized Trunks, 50cts, up. Ladies' Hosiery, 10cts, up. Ladies' Collars, 5cts, up. Ladies' "cossettes", \$1, up. Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5cts, up. A Large Stock of Tweeds, 40cts, up. Tryon Tweeds and other Goods exchanged for Wool. Carriage Linen Dusters, 75cts, up. Carriage Wraps and Rubber Aprons, \$3.25 cts, up. Shirting Gingham, 5cts, up. Men's India Gauze Shirts and Drawers, 40cts.

REID BROS., CAMERON BLOCK. Ch'town, July 15, 1886—3mos

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

STRAYED—From a person in Hooper's Lane, a Pig about seven months old. Any information about it will be thankfully received at Mr. Robertson's shop, corner of Hooper's Lane. July 29 31

FOR SALE—A few thousand dollars Stock in the best paying Stock Company on the Island; much better than Bank stock; satisfactory reason given for selling. Address: "X. Y. Z. Ch'town." July 29 31

TO LET—Rooms over the Subscriber's office, with kitchen on the first flat; good cellar and yard accommodation; possession immediately.—R. Reddin. July 27 31

LONDON HOUSE.

JULY.

WE will offer, at Reduced Prices, this month, the following Goods:—

Straw Hats.

Feathers and Flowers, Dolmans, Light Summer Prints.

LOW PRICES TO CLEAR.

HARRIS & STEWART,

SUCCESSORS TO GEO. DAVIES & CO. Ch'town, July 6, 1886.

BEER BROS.

MIDSUMMER.

Now is the Time to Secure Your Midsummer Goods.

Summer Dolmans, Summer Dress Goods, Summer Underclothing, Summer Millinery Goods.

Exceptional Value in Every Department.

See Our Clock, See Our Prices, See Our Bargains!

BEER BROS.

Ch'town, July 6, 1886.

NEW DRY GOODS,

PERKINS & STERNS'

As usual, our stock has been personally selected in the best British and American markets, and comprises, in addition to a Full Range of Staple Dry Goods, all the novelties to be found.

London, Paris and New York Millinery, Fancy Goods, Hats, Bonnets and Shapes.

New Parasols and Umbrellas!

Large Stock of New Hosiery, Gloves, &c.

New Trimmings, New Frillings, New Laces

New DRESS GOODS with TRIMMINGS to Suit

New French Muslins, New American Muslins, New Laces to Match.

New Cloths, New Pink Cottons, New Jerseys, New Jackets.

New Carpets and Oilcloths!

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, April 29, '86.

BOOTS! BOOTS!

LATEST STYLES—FINEST FINISH.

WE are opening a great variety of BOOTS, SHOES and SLIPPERS to be sold Cheap for cash.

Our Boots and Shoes are bought in large quantities for cash, in the lowest markets, which enables us to give the best value in the trade—no trouble to show goods.

Our own manufacture of Boots and Shoes are celebrated throughout the Island, and are in great demand. Ask your storekeepers for our make of Solid Leather Boots.

SOLE LEATHER, wholesale and retail, cheap for cash.

DORSEY, GOFF & CO.

Ch'town, June 17, 1886.