

Local and Other Items.

NEW POTATOES now sell in Montreal at from 50 to 60 cents per bushel.

JIMMY MURPHY was to-day sentenced to one month's imprisonment for vagrancy.

LAST WEEK'S coal shipments were the greatest ever made from Picton. So says the *Standard*.

HAYMAKING has already commenced in different parts of the Island. The hay crop will be very large and good.

JUST RECEIVED.—A large supply of foreign and other note paper, also envelopes, at the Agricultural Store.—R. MAY.—jy 15 3i

THE census supervisor reports the population of San Francisco at 253,000, including 20,500 Chinese, a much smaller population than had been estimated.

MR. JOHN MACACHERN has been appointed Agent for the "Royal" and the "London and Lancashire" Insurance Companies. Mr. Cameron is still Agent for the "Lancashire."

THE REV. MR. CHRISTIE will lecture on "The Lost Ten Tribes of Israel" this evening at the Christian Meeting House, Upper Great George Street, at 7 1/2 o'clock. See advt.

THE sale of excellent and elegant Fancy Goods will be continued at W. D. Stewart's sale-room to-morrow, at 11 o'clock. The stock remaining on hand must be sold without reserve.

Mrs. Brooks and Miss Brooks, the wife and daughter of E. T. Brooks, Esq., M. P. of Mountfield, Sherbrook, P. Q., arrived last night, and are the guests of His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Haviland at Government House.

THOMAS HAMBLE, of Middleton, attended a wedding at Summerside on Tuesday, and on returning home complained of a slight illness. Five minutes after he entered his dwelling he fell dead of heart disease. Mr. Hamble was a man about fifty years of age and was deservedly respected by all who knew him.

THE Methodist S. S. Picnic, at West River, yesterday, was most enjoyable. The picnickers returned home early last evening, well pleased with the day's recreation. That a picnic, so largely attended by children, should end so pleasantly and without accident, reflects great credit on the committee who had the affair in hand.

FOR ALBERTON.—A tea party in aid of the Roman Catholic Church will take place at Alberton on Wednesday next. An excursion has been arranged from this city and all intermediate stations, on that day, and tickets will be issued, good for return, at one dollar. This is a splendid opportunity for those who wish to visit Alberton and attend one of the best tea parties of the season.

A LARGE HORSE MACKEREL.—The schr. "Ellen," of Herring Cove, fishing for mackerel off Meagher's Beach, on Wednesday, was much annoyed by a large horse mackerel. The crew succeeded in catching the monster by the following method: They threw over a number of dead mackerel, and when the horse mackerel came near the vessel to devour them, succeeded in gaffing it near the head and then throwing a noose around its tail and hauling it on board. The fish is over 9 feet long and turns the scale at 500 lbs.—*Pat.*

THE Halifax Herald remarks that "The fiscal returns of the United States show the N. P. is working in one direction. The decrease of goods exported to Canada has fallen off during the last fiscal year so much as to threaten (so United States paper say) to soon reduce the balance of trade in their favor to a mere fraction. The falling off is in free goods of \$6,221,018, in the fiscal year. The New York Graphic says, "Under the National Policy nearly all the articles now exported to Canada from this country, will soon be produced there."

WE understand that the following compose the staff of the Dorchester Penitentiary:—Warden—Elur Botsford, Esq., of Dorchester; Deputy Warden—J. B. Forster, of Richibucto; Chaplains—Rev. Mr. Simonds, of Dorchester (Protestant), Rev. M. L. Abbe, of Memramook (Roman Catholic); Surgeon—Dr. Mitchell, of Amherst; Matron—Mrs. Chipman, of Amherst; Chief Keeper—George Keefe, of St. John; Store Keeper—Mr. Fraser of Picton; Stewart—Charles Ross, late Chief Keeper of Halifax Penitentiary; Trade Instructors—Mr. McFaden, of Halifax, in carpentry; Mr. Downey, of Halifax, in blacksmithing; Engineer—Robert Cooke, of Picton; Assistant Engineer—Wm. Perrie, of St. John Penitentiary; Accountant—St. John Sun. Messrs. George Hughes, John Corcoran and Patrick Shea left Charlottetown this morning to take positions on the staff of the Penitentiary.

THE steamer *Worcester*, which arrived from Boston on Tuesday, brought the following passengers:—Col Parker, Mr Dana Parks, Mrs Richardson, Miss Richardson, Miss Gladstone, Miss E. Gladstone, Mr Malcolm Pattison, Marshal Flynn, Mr J C Young, Ira P Moore, W C Parson, M D, Miss R McInnes, Mr H R Foster, N C McEachern, H E Fraser, Miss Susie F Quinn, Christina McDonald, Jessie McInnis, C McEachern, Miss McKenna, Isabel Johnson, Mary Johnson, Mary Y Garrett, Maggie Price, Catherine McKenzie, Mary McKenzie, Bridget Lantry, Annie Symons, Kate McGowan, Louise McPhee, Sadie Morton, Lena Budd, Mrs R A McDonald, Mrs J J York, Miss McKenzie, Mrs Ruckley, Kate McDonald, Annie Dooley, Mr J Campbell, Mr N Murphy, Thomas H Young, W H Johnston, John Norton, Edwin P Henderson, Patrick Burney, Peter Hughes, Mrs C A Miller, Miss Maggie Gillis, Mrs D Henderson, Mrs Wm Murray, Miss Campbell, Mrs Kelly, R Hughes, Miss Bearney.

A Good Account.

"To sum it up, six long years of bed-ridden sickness and suffering, costing \$200 per year, total \$1,200—all which was stopped by three bottles of Hop Bitters taken by my wife, who has done her own housework for a year since, without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it for their benefit."

"JOHN WEEKS, Butler, N. Y."

For good Biscuit and tip top Cheese, go to the Family Grocery.—R. K. Brace.—jy 5

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK, July 13.

Six Japanese commissioners are here on a tour of inspection of the prison system. They visit Washington, Philadelphia and Boston before returning to Japan.

General Hancock's nomination was formally presented to him to-day.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 13.

To-day, S. S. Rickley, President of the Capital City Bank, was shot through the forehead by Andrew Eichenberg, who then shot himself, dying instantly. Rickley may live. The trouble grew out of Rickley's refusal to lend Eichenberg money.

NEW YORK, July 13.

The Governor refuses to grant the appeal for a commutation of the death sentence of Chastine Cox to imprisonment for life. Preparations for the execution are proceeding.

WASHINGTON, July 13.

A telegram has been received at the war department from General Sheridan, stating that he had no official information of any attempt to invade Indian territory. The war department officials believe the reports exaggerated.

NEW YORK, July 13.

At midnight Dr. Tanner had fasted 15 1/2 days. In the afternoon he was driven to Central Park, and was very quiet during the drive, and drank six ounces of water. During the day he frequently munched broken ice.

LONDON, July 13.

The Canadian team played a match to-day with the cricketers of Stowbridge and that district. The Canadians scored 82 in the first inning and 105 in the second; the Stowbridge 93 in the first and 68 in the second.

LONDON, July 13.

The *Pall Mall Gazette's* leading article says that South Africa is threatened with another native war in consequence of the unjustifiable disarmament of the Basutos—a measure attributable to Sir Bartle Frere's influence. A way should be found to appeal the question from the Cape Parliament to the Queen, but all steps will be useless which do not include Sir Bartle Frere's recall. As he has evidently failed in his special task—the South African confederation—there can be no good reason why he should be left to extend the limits of the South Africa Aeldona.

NEW YORK, July 13.

A telegram has been received from Panama, stating that the Chilean fleet has notified the Peruvian authorities that the city of Lima will be bombarded if peace is not soon made. The inhabitants are leaving the city.

NEW YORK, July 13.

Twenty two children died from the effect of heat yesterday.

CHICAGO, July 13.

Frederick Thompson, a wealthy miller of Wakefield, England, was drowned at Fox Lake, Wis., on Friday. He came here to attend the Miller's Convention and intended to start a branch business in this city. His body will be brought here and will be embalmed and sent home.

BUFFALO, July 13.

A Frenchman calling himself Duke Edward Lefevre has left, after swindling people here to the tune of about \$10,000 and marrying his landlady's daughter.

LONDON, July 13.

The usual 12th July Orange demonstrations took place in various parts of Ireland yesterday. There were no disturbances.

PARIS, July 13.

Henri Rochefort was met at the railway station by Clemenceau, Blanqui, Lockey and the greater part of the municipal council. His friends were so eager to greet him that he was severely squeezed before gaining his carriage.

Cernesson was elected president of the Paris municipality, vice Dr. Thulie, who, though a Radical, shrank in alarm from the scheme drawn up by this committee whereby the municipality would become entirely independent of the Government, with the management of the police and all other prerogatives now vested in the prefect.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 13.

News has reached the Porte from Sofia that Prince Alexander has submitted confidentially to certain Powers a project for the incorporation of a portion of Eastern Roumelia with Bulgaria, the rest to be restored to the Sultan. Information shows that the project is favored by one of the two Powers to whom it was submitted. It is thought that if an arrangement can be effected, the unionist movement would be abandoned, and that the Pan-Bulgarian agitation would cease.

LONDON, July 13.

The *Times* says Lady Burdett Coutts, who has been in entreaty for an estate in Ireland, relinquishes her intention in consequence of unsatisfactory relations between landlord and tenant likely to arise from Foster's bill. After Gladstone's statement in the Commons last night, the Irish members almost unanimously expressed the opinion that the amendment to the compensation bill, he then gave notice of, removes to a great extent the objection to the attorney general's clause, which objection should be withdrawn.

It is stated that the Jesuits expelled from France intend to settle in Wales, and have leased a house at Aberdovy for 21 years.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 13.

In consequence of the defective harvest prospects, the question is discussed of forbidding the export of wheat.

LIME STONE AT ARICHA, CAPE BRETON.—Mr. A. G. Fuller has opened up the Lime stone Quarry at the head of the Harbor of Arichat, where he will be prepared to load vessels in a short time. The stone is of a superior quality, and will be sold at a reasonable rate.—[ju 8, 2w 2aw

LONDON HOUSE.

JUST RECEIVED EX S. S. "HIBERNIAN,"

Black Cashmeres,
Black French Merinos,
Black Persian Cords,
White and Grey Cottons,
Velveteen Wincies,
New Stockinette Worsted Coatings.

EX S. S. "NESTORIAN,"

80 Packages Choice Teas,
3 Cases Linen and Cotton Thread.

G. DAVIES & CO.

Charlottetown, July 13, 1880.

SUGAR—

57 hds. Bright Porto Rico,
50 bbls.
25 bbls. White Granulated,
10 boxes Lump.

MOLASSES—

10 puns. Barbadoes,
35 puns. Choice Trinidad.

RAISINS—

150 boxes Valencias.

CURRENTS—

25 bbls. New Currants.

CHEESE—

20 boxes landed on Friday.

TEA—

150 chests, warranted to be the best in the market

RICE—

65 bags, 16cwt. each.

TOBACCO—

44 kegs Twist and Flat,
40 cads Smoking.

SOLE LEATHER—

300 sides No. 1,
180 sides No. 2,
(Best we have ever had.)

FLOUR—

500 bbls. choice Brands.

CORNMEAL—

300 bbls. Kiln Dried.

BROOMS—

200 doz. (assorted.)

PAIS—

130 doz. 2-hoop Pails.

CARVELL BROTHERS.

July 12, 1880—2w eod, pat 2w

For Sale or to Let.

THAT Freehold Property, with a front of eighty feet on Pownall Street and eighty-four feet on Sydney Street, the House containing 16 large rooms and two Kitchens. Can be turned into one Dwelling by unlocking a door. Apply on the premises to

MRS. BOSWALL.
April 26, 1880—tf

LUMBER. LUMBER.

A VERY LARGE STOCK OF

Seasoned Pine & Spruce Lumber on Hand, for Sale

Delivered at Point Du Chene, to Schooners,

Consisting of Pine Boards, Plank & Sheathing; also Spruce Boards, Scantling, Clapboards, Laths, Shingles, etc.

All for sale Cheap, in quantities to suit purchasers.

CUSHING & CLARKE.
Salsbury, N. B., June 18, 1880—3m eod

At the Fish Market.

FRESH HALIBUT, Codfish and Mackerel; also, Smoked Alewives and Finnan Haddies.
Charlottetown, June 3, 1880.

To Fisheries and Factories.

ONE TON AMERICAN MANILLA MARLIN (Tanned and White), Cotton Lines, Twines, Leads, Hooks, Bait Mills, Fishing Anchors, Cotton Ducks (light and heavy), 100 coils Manila Rope, Hemp Rope, Wire Rope, Paints, Oils, Tar, Oakum, Ships Chandlery, Sail Making, Light, Ducks for Boats' Sails.
D. SMALL.
Jan. 21, 1880—tf

WALTHAM & GENEVA WATCHES, in Gold and Silver Cases, suitable for Ladies or Gents—a large assortment, very cheap.

ELECTRO-PLATED TEA SETS, CAKE BASKETS, Card Receivers, Preserve Dishes, Butter Coolers, Biscuit Jars, Pickle Jars, Vases, Casters, Napkin Rings.

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF AMERICAN THIRTY-HOUR AND EIGHT-DAY CLOCKS AND TIMEPIECES.

LARGE LOT OF SPECTACLES, EYEGLASSES, FANCY VASES, LUSTERS, PEARL, SHELL, AND LEATHER CARD CASES.

NEWEST PATTERNS in Colored Gold and Plated Sets, Brooches, Ear Rings, Necklets, Lockets, Shirt Studs, Gem, Signet, Keeper and Plain Gold Rings.

ELECTRO-PLATED KNIVES AND FORKS, TABLE, DESSERT, TEA, PRESERVE AND SUGAR SPOONS.

REPAIRS TO WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY A SPECIALTY.

W. W. WELLNER.

Ch'town, July 8, 1880—4i eod 4i wkly

Wholesale Supplies.

ON HAND AND TO ARRIVE, at LOW EST CASH PRICES.—

200 bbls. White Buns FLOUR,
100 bbls. Otter Creek
150 bbls. Choice Kiln Dried CORNMEAL,
30 doz. BROOMS,
18 doz. BUCKETS,
7 casks WASHING SODA,
15 boxes LEMONS,
700 lbs. Bright MAPLE SUGAR,
3 tons OATMEAL (Choice),
Bbls. SPLIT PEAS,
Bbls. PEPPER,
Coils ROPE,
Kegs BAKING SODA,
5 casks Choice SYRUPS.
Boxes Choice CONFECTIONERY,
Frails DATES,
50 gross CORKS,
WASH BOARDS & CLOTHES PINS,
CANS MATCHES,
Casks KEROSENE,
Boxes Bartlett's BLUE,
Cases POTASH.

BEER & COFF.

Ch'town, June 23, 1880.

SALT. SALT.

HOURLY EXPECTED AT CANSO, 7,000 bushels Cadiz Salt, fine-grained, suitable for curing and packing fish. Will deliver this cargo at any safe Harbor on the Island. Parties wanting above cargo will do well to engage at once.
GEO. COOMBS,
Ch'town, July 3, '80. Water Street.

ON HAND!

COFFINS and CASKETS, in Rosewood, Mahogany, Walnut and imitation woods, of all sizes, and from \$2.50 upwards, Japan and Plated Mounting, Hearses half former prices. Orders from the country, by telegraph, fulfilled in one hour, cheaper than any other establishment in the city.
MARK BUTCHER.
King Square, June 29, '80—pat pres ar ne h lm

HOUSE TO LET.

ONE-HALF of that three-story BRICK HOUSE, situated on Upper Queen Street, containing nine rooms; at present occupied by the Rev. Alfred Osborne; with coach house and stable, and pump in the yard.
ALEXANDER HORNE.
July 3, 1880—2aw.

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BRITISH WAREHOUSE, QUEEN SQUARE.

Spring and Summer Goods, COMPLETE IN EVERY DEPARTMENT, VALUE UNSURPASSED.

THE Subscribers have, by the S. S. "Prince Edward," "Ethel Blanche," and other later arrivals, completed the

LARGEST AND BEST STOCK OF British and Foreign Dry Goods AND GROCERIES

Ever imported by them, which they will dispose of at the lowest Cash prices.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.
W. & A. BROWN & CO.
June 1, 1880. [j 14

IMPORTANT SALE

VALUABLE PROPERTY.

THE Directors of the CHARLOTTETOWN WOOLEN FACTORY COMPANY offer for Sale their Valuable Property situated on Spring Park. The property consists of One Acre of Land, with the Buildings thereon, Engine & Boiler, Shafting, Belting and complete Heating apparatus throughout the whole building. The size of the Main Building is 80 x 50 feet, three stories high, besides basement. Engine House of Brick 50 x 30 feet together with a large Building attached and used by the Company as a Dyehouse. The Engine is 30 horse power and was built by Messrs. Montgomery & Sons, of Halifax, in 1871, and cost there about \$2,600. The Engine and Boiler are in a complete state of repair and almost as good as new. There is about 60 feet of 3 inch Shafting together with the Hangers. The Main Driving Belt cost about \$300 and is quite as good as new. The Steam Pipes for heating extends throughout the entire building and cost upwards of \$1,000. There is a never failing Spring of water within a few feet of the factory, where a sufficient quantity can be obtained for any purpose required.

For further particulars apply to either of the undersigned.

HENRY LONGWORTH, President.
D. R. M. HOOPER, Director.
ALBERT SIMPSON, Secretary.

June 30, 1880.—oaw wkly

THE NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

Of Edinburgh and London, ESTABLISHED IN 1809

Subscribed Capital, \$3,733,332.00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT—Insurances may be effected at the Lowest current rates. Insurances upon Public and Private Buildings effected on especially favorable terms. Losses settled with promptitude and liberality.

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General Agent for P. E. Island, Office, No. 35 Water Street, Charlottetown. April 14, '80—pat her ne sj kca tf eod