

Local and Other Items.

Fish baskets at Watson's. The watering cart was out to-day. RICE and bananas received to-day at W. F. Carter's. FOOTBALL at the Park to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock. FRESH halibut and codfish just received at the Fish Market. THE steamer from Picton is expected at the usual time this evening. A VERY carefully selected assortment of fishing flies at Watson's. STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE WORTSMAN, of Moncton, is reported improving. AN effort is being made to introduce the electric light into Fredericton, N. B. THREE drunks were disposed of at the stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon. THERE is no better trawser to be seen on the continent than at D. A. Bruce's. See them. MR. C. P. FLETCHER has placed a neat new sign over his place of business on Queen Street. A TELEGRAM from Somerville, Megantic county, announces the death of Senator Cormier, aged 74. THE choicest set of Havana Cigars ever offered in this city. Our speciality 3 for 25 cents.—Reddin's Drug Store. THE Toronto Public School Board propose to expend \$114,500 this year for the extension of school accommodation. A GENERAL MEETING of the Jubilee Committees will be held in the City Council Chamber, on Monday evening next. You are requested to specially notice the quality of our carpets, and the novelties in designs. Carpets cut to match, as usual. Bear Bros. may 11 day WONDERTFUL bargains in Women's Lace Boots and Men's Elastic-side and Lace Boots, about half price, at C. B. Warren's Stamper's Corner. THE Carleton Sentinel informs the public that "the town was leased to the Salvation Army for a year, at the rate of \$200 per annum," etc. WE are informed that some of the guests at the Rankin entertained the members of the Claire Scott Company in a handsome manner last evening. A MUSICAL and literary entertainment will take place in Georgetown Hall on Friday evening, the 13th inst. An excellent programme is prepared. THIS is the anniversary of the sad boating accident near the Black House as a result of which Arthur O'Neill, Francis Coyle and Michael Dooley lost their lives. THE Toronto Mail's cable says: "At the Colonial Conference, last week, it was unanimously agreed that, subject to Her Majesty's pleasure, the Queen's titles should be so extended as to include the colonies. MR. JOHN McLAURE, of Rustico, was one of those Islanders who rendered good service during the American war of 1861-65. For these services he has been granted a pension, with back pay, amounting to \$1207.60. We congratulate Mr. McLaure on his luck. MR. DAVID CROSSMAN, of Niagara settlement, Coverdale, Albert County, called at the Moncton Times office on Saturday, with grass five inches long, which he pulled from an open field on his farm. This is pretty good, when the late season is considered. TREASURER issues a very elaborate statement of its finances. From this it appears, among other things, that the total amount on the books of the town assessor is over \$1,200,000, an increase of 50 per cent in twelve years, and an increase of \$100,000 during the present year. A NEAT COMPLIMENT.—A French ambassador to the English court paid a neat compliment to a peeress who had been talking to him for an hour. The lady said, "You must think I am very fond of the sound of my own voice." The Frenchman replied, "I knew you liked music." THE editor of the Island Guardian informs us that he has not even read the first letter of "True Temperance" in THE EXAMINER much less replied to it. The champion par excellence, of the Scott Act should be more watchful. When the enemy is at the gate, the defenders of the citadel should be on the qui vive. REV. RALPH BROCKEN, pastor of the Grafon Street Methodist Church, has received an invitation from the Methodist congregation of Sackville, N. B. The general conference has transferred Mr. Brecken to the New Brunswick and P. E. Island conference, and it is generally understood that the reverend gentleman will take the pastorate of the church to which he has been invited.—Halifax Chronicle. MISS CLAIRE SCOTT appears in the role of Mary Stuart, Queen of Scots, at the Lyceum to-night. In this character she excels. The Boston Herald says: "Miss Scott gave a powerful and grand impersonation throughout. Where the fiery interview between Mary and Elizabeth takes place, she rose to the situation with an earnestness and fire, which earned for her hearty applause, and a double call before the curtain." MR. B. D. HIGGS, who has for some time past been a lively member of the Patriot staff, left for Summerside this afternoon to take the editorial management of The Pioneer. Mr. Higgs is an active and enthusiastic young journalist; and we wish him success in his new sphere of labor. He will no doubt speedily improve The Pioneer. It would, indeed, be hard not to do that. \$500 NOT called for. It seems strange that it is necessary to persuade men that you can cure your diseases by offering a premium to the man who falls to receive benefit. And yet Dr. Sage undoubtedly cures thousands of cases of obstinate catarrh with his catarrh remedy, who would never have applied to him, if it had not been for his offer of the above sum for an incurable case. Who is the next Miller for cure or cash? E & W

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Fly hooks in variety at Watson's. FINNAN haddies at Geo. J. Wright's, may 11 21 BERMUDA and Egyptian onions just received at George Carter & Co's. LETTUCE, raised in the greenhouses, sells in the St. John market for \$1 a dozen. ANOTHER Scott Act summons, returnable on Tuesday next, has been served. ONE case English market baskets just opened at Bear & Goff's. may 11, 21 A FRESH stock of Lydia Pinkham's Compound opened to-day at Reddin's Drug Store. WILTON, Brussels, Tapestry, Scotch Union and Dutch Carpets just received at Bear Bros. may 11 day and wy THE annual meeting of the Citizen's Skating Rink Co. to-night. A full attendance is requested. BEADED tabliers, beaded panels, beaded lace, etc., new, handsome and good value at Perkins & Sterns. ONLY a few Paris Mantles remaining. Ladies wishing to secure them will please call at once.—Bear Bros. may 11 day wy THE Picton Standard reports that the Northern Light is on the Marine slip having her bottom painted with copper paint. You can buy cloth and trimmings cheaper at D. A. Bruce's than in any other place on P. E. I. An immense stock to select from. FINE range of the new material flannelette for children's wear, ladies' seaside dresses, lawn tennis suits, etc., at Perkins & Sterns. PERSONAL.—J. G. Seringour, M. L. C., Cardigan; H. L. Macdonald, M. P. P., Cardigan; George Forbes, M. P. P., Vernon River, are at the Osborne. O'BRIEN'S crusade against Lord Lansdowne has aroused the Ottawa Methodists. Rev. Mr. Carson, on Sunday night, denounced the proposed agitation in strong language, and at the close of the service the congregation sang "God Save the Queen." MR. N. J. GEORGE, the new United States Consul at Charlottetown, has been in the city for several days. Mr. George, who is a native of Tennessee, is on his way to assume the duties of his office, and proceeds hence to-morrow.—Halifax Chronicle. Mr. George is expected to arrive here this evening. QUITE a curiosity in the hen line has lately appeared at Alberry Plains. A few days ago the school teacher of the place, while walking around the premises of his boarding-master, Mr. Thos. P. Richards, was surprised to see a hen fly down from a large tree. On looking up the tree he saw something mysterious about seventeen feet from the ground, and on ascending found a nest in which were six large hen eggs. Why the hen chose such a place for her nest is a puzzle to everybody. ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. mar 17 eod & wky

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.)

Freshets in New Brunswick.

THE WATERS RISING!

A CITY IN DARKNESS.

St. John, N. B., May 10. The freshets in the river, instead of showing signs of abatement, seem to be gathering strength every day. Last night it rose over five inches, and as there is a great deal of snow yet in the woods it is doubtful if the flood will subside for some days. At some points on the Maine Central Railway, the water is rising. At others it is lowering; so that for two days at least it will be impossible to get any definite information as to when the trains will be enabled to make connections. FREDERICTON, May 10. The hopes entertained that the freshet had reached its greatest height were dispelled this morning when the water was found to have risen a good deal last night and to be still rising. The river bank from the Parliament buildings to the lower end of the city is covered. The water reached the furnaces of the gas house last night and extinguished the fires. There is sufficient gas made for to-night, but to-morrow night darkness threatens the city. O'Brien's Reception. NEW YORK, May 10. O'Brien, the Irish editor, was taken from the steamer Umbria which was lying outside the harbor, late last night, by the reception committee and brought to the city in a tug. O'Brien was greeted enthusiastically by the New Yorkers. He will make five addresses in Canada, at Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa, Kingston and Toronto. Express Late. SACKVILLE, N. B., May 11. Owing to a wash-out on the I. C. R., near Hampton, the St. John Express is nearly two hours behind time to-day. Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, May 11—10 a.m. Moderate to fresh southwest and northwest winds; fine and warm. HOTEL ARRIVALS. RANKIN HOUSE. May 10—T. A. Cossman, Halifax; W. B. Murdoch, Montreal; A. Craig, Fredericton; C. W. Gunnemann, Quebec; Geo. E. Amyot, Quebec; Ed. P. Romerell, Montreal; Rob. Dewar, Burnaby's River, May 11—Jas. McGillivray, Montreal; M. Giblin, do; M. Macdonald, Georgetown; J. S. McLaren, St. John; C. W. Fisher, London; J. E. Grant, city; D. M. Fairweather, Sussex; Amasa Kennedy, do. KEVEE HOUSE. May 10—H. T. Laurance, Truro; Thos. E. Howard, Toronto; P. J. Lear and wife, Halifax; G. O. Beaman, Boston; T. W. Higgins, St. John, N. B. SHIP NEWS. PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN. ENTERED. May 11—sch Pliades, Henderson, Wallace, building stone. CLEARED. May 11—Lenora, Mason, Picton, 2000 bush oats; S. G. Irwin, Giffin, Picton, bal; May Queen, White, Point du Chene, 1900 bush oats; C. Pearl, Burke, Pinette, bal. May 11—James Semple, Roberts, Shediac, 4000 bush oats. OTHER PORTS. S'Side, May 9—Ent sch Omega, Hannay, Halifax, mdse. Cld, 9th—sch Restive, Edwards, Picton, oats; Kate, Cain, Point du Chene, oats; Annie Florence, Bernard, Picton, oats. 10th—Omega, Hannay, Richibucto, mdse; Lodi, Green, Picton, oats; Richard Thompson, Walsh, Shediac, oats and potatoes. Cld from Alberton on 7th inst., sch Lettie, Perry, Port Elgin, oats. Arrived at Port Hawkesbury, C. B., May 7—brigs Edith, Zara, Kildman; bark George Peake, McMahon, Liverpool for P. E. I.; sch Girtie, for Crapaud. Also arrived—barks Moselle, Reynolds, Plymouth; Claribel, Welsh, Bristol; both at Port Malcolm. Summerside Exports. SUMMERSIDE, May 10, 1887. Shipped per ss St. Lawrence, Cameron, master, for Point du Chene: 22 horses.....\$ 2 200 By same steamer on the 10th:— 97 cases eggs.....\$ 291 00 224 bush potatoes..... 168 00 59 bris oysters..... 89 00 4784 bush oats..... 1627 00 148 bush timothy seed..... 414 00 50 bush wheat..... 43 00 1060 lbs lard..... 100 00 \$2732 00

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TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's Office until noon of SATURDAY, the 21st May next, for Excavating and Laying a Box Sewer from East End of Hillsborough Street to East End of Water Street. Plan and Specification to be seen at the Clerk's Office. The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, A. H. McPHERSON, City Clerk. May 7, 1887—21 sat wcl

5,000 AGENTS WANTED!

JOE HOWARD'S LIFE OF BEECHER, infinitely the most valuable because coming so closely from the family circle and by a master-hand, engaged in a "labor of love." Richly illustrated steel portrait, &c. Will sell immensely. Millions want this Standard Life of the Greatest Preacher and Orator of the age. Quick is the word. Territory in great demand. Send for circulars and see for yourself. W. E. FARRIE, St. John, N. B. Manager for J. S. HOBBS & BROS., Publishers. April 26—26w & wky

LYCEUM, ONE WEEK.

Special Engagement of the English Actress

CLAIRE SCOTT,

supported by the Popular Actor

S. K. COBURN

AND SELECT COMPANY

Will give a series of their excellent Entertainments for the week commencing

MONDAY, 9TH MAY,

REPERTOIRE:

opening with

Lucretia Borgia,

and be followed with

Leah the Forsaken (Tuesday).

Mary, Queen of Scots (Wednesday).

Galatea (Thursday).

Camille (Friday).

Macbeth (Saturday).

(Subject to change)

MATINEE—Saturday afternoon, 14th May, at 2 o'clock.

Reserved Chairs, 50c; Unreserved do, 25c.

Plan of Reserved Seats and Tickets at the Diamond Bookstore.

Doors open at 7:15; commence at 8.

Attentive ushers in attendance.

May 6, 1887.

DEVONPORT AND FURNITURE

AT AUCTION,

I AM instructed by the Administratrix of the estate of the late GEO. W. DEBLOIS, ESQ., to Sell at Auction, on the premises, Devonport, Charlottetown Royalty, on

Thursday, 19th May Instant, commencing at 11 o'clock, a.m.,

the Household Furniture, &c., consisting in part of

1 Piano, Drawing-room, Dining-room and Bed room Sets, in mahogany and walnut, China-Glass, and Earthenware, Stoves, Kitchen Utensils, &c., &c.; 1 Pony, Carriages, Sleighs, Harness, Cart, &c.

Catalogue of full particulars and terms will be issued shortly.

At 12 o'clock, noon, the valuable premises will be sold, consisting of the well-known Residence, Barns, Stables and Outbuildings, including 261 Acres of Land, altogether making a most desirable suburban residence.

Terms—Liberal made known at sale.

Intending purchasers can inspect premises and furniture on Tuesday and Wednesday, 17th and 18th inst.

A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Auctioneer, Charlottetown, May 4, 1887.—eod till sale, pat eod 1 s

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

FOR SALE—A Boat, 15 feet keel, 1500-rigged, thoroughly built and equipped, nearly new; or will exchange for Row Boat or Brood-lodging shot Gun, No. 10, of equal value; offers invited. Apply at this office. may 11 tf

TO LET—House containing 8 well-finished rooms, situated on Upper Great George Street.—R. B. Huestis. may 11 tf

LOST—Between Dr. Dodd's Medical Hall and Mr. Owen Connolly's, on Friday afternoon, the 6th inst., a parcel containing two and one-half yards factory cloth and trimmings. The finder will confer a favour by leaving it at the store of Messrs. Dodd and Rogers. may 10 wkly

TO LET—The Dwelling house on Richmond Street West, at present occupied by Thomas McKinlay, Esq. Apply to James D. Mason. may 10

WANTED—A Housemaid, well recommended. Apply to Mrs. Watson, Queen Street. may 9 tf

WANTED—A Servant Girl; good references required. Apply to Mrs. C. B. Macneil, Great George Street. may 9 tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Five Girls to work at red. —Bear Bros. may 7 3t

WANTED—At the Osborne House, a smart Boy, about 14 years of age; also, an assistant Cook. may 7 3. eod pd

WANTED—A good Cook, wages \$3.00 per month. No washing. Apply to Mrs. Edward Bayfield, Charlottetown. may 6 wkly tf wkl pat 1 f

WANTED—Situation by an experienced Dry Goods and Carpet Salesman, having a system of conducting a carpet department never introduced in the city (cutting and matching included) once advertised cannot possibly fail to increase sales at least 25 per cent in a first-class house; past dealings with the public will guarantee a good trade. Address: "Monquette, Box 195." may 6 3t

FOR SALE—A Phaeton Buggy, leather top, very comfortable, new last year. Apply to W. Leitch. may 6 3t

BOARDERS—In a pleasant part of the city, a few boarders can be comfortably accommodated in a private family. Terms moderate. Apply at this office. may 6

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A House and Outbuildings and 6 Acres of Land, in good condition, known as "Maryfield," situated on Malpeque Road, adjoining the premises of Malcolm McLeod, Esq. For further particulars apply to J. S. Eckstadt, at St. Vincent's Nursery. may 6 tf

TO LET—Shop and Warehouses lately occupied by Bear & Sons at Head St. Peter's Bay. Apply on the premises. may 6 tf

DWELLING TO LET—The dwelling-house at present occupied by the undersigned, situated on Pleasant Street; possession given 1st May next moderate. Apply to A. S. Urquhart. may 6 tf

WANTED—A Housemaid. Apply to Miss Peters, Sidmouth. may 6 tf

FOR SALE—A few loads choice washed gravel, suitable for walks, &c. Apply to T. C. Connor. may 6 3t

TO RENT—A Dwelling-house of 7 rooms, situated on Kent Street, opposite residence Mrs. Henry Palmer; May 1st. May 6. Apply to George Scamberg, 274 Prince Street. may 6 3t

STOCK NOW COMPLETE

Perkins & Sterns

have just received a full stock new DRY GOODS for this season's trade.

British, Canadian and American Manufacture, purchased in the best markets, for cash.

Will Sell Very Cheap. Come and see before buying elsewhere.

Perkins & Sterns

May 4—dy & wky

40 CASES

—OF—

HATS

JUST RECEIVED.

To be Sold 40 PER CENT CHEAPER than elsewhere, being bought direct from the Manufacturers.

Last year's stock at 50 cents in the dollar.

E. STUART,

NEWSON'S BLOCK, CHARLOTTETOWN.

May 4, 1887.

READY CASH.

James Paton & Co.

BEG to announce that their buyer, when in England, bought part of Bollen & Tidswell's Bankrupt Stock and, in order to turn it into CASH, will offer the same at very low prices.

Public attention is directed to the fact that unlike many Dry Goods merchants, who apparently live by what they term Cheap Sales, Expiration of Lease Sales, &c., &c. We only advertise what we mean, and shall not attempt to deceive the public with grossly exaggerated quotations of prices, but confidently assert that all who favor us with their patronage will receive courtesy from clerks and employers alike, and none will be pressed to buy.

We also beg to state that our regular stock of SUMMER GOODS is open, with all the Latest Novelties.

We wish to draw special attention to our Millinery Department. It is still under the management of Miss Hobbs. Our stock of Flowers, Feathers, Wings, Gauzes, &c., is very large and, in order to induce CASH BUYERS, we have marked everything very low, and feel satisfied that no firm in this city can supply better value for

READY CASH.

P. S.—Store open from 7.30 a. m., till 6 o'clock p. m.

Ch'town, May 3, 1887—dy & wky

SPRING

—AND—

SUMMER GOODS

OPENED TO-DAY AT THE

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BACK TO THE OLD STAND.

J. B. MACDONALD

HAS removed back to his Old Stand, on QUEEN STREET, and is now opening his Spring Stock, personally selected in England. Buying his goods for Cash, and selling only for Cash, he will very soon be in a position to offer his customers goods at the very Closest Prices.

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Ch'town, April 21, '87—dy wky