

Close of the Session.

At three o'clock this afternoon, His Honor the Lieut. Governor came down to the Council Chamber and assented to the following Bills:

LIST OF ACTS.

An Act to facilitate the conveyance of Real Estate by married women.

An Act to amend an Act intitled An Act for the Incorporation of Charlottetown Cemetery Company.

An Act respecting Public Officers.

An Act to vest the lands belonging to Trustees of Saint Dunstan's College in the Roman Catholic Episcopal Corporation of the Diocese of Charlottetown.

An Act to amend "The County Courts Amendment Act, 1878."

An Act to amend "The Common Law Procedure Act, 1873."

An Act to enable Executors and Administrators of Mortgages to sell and convey mortgaged premises.

An Act to authorize "The Examiner Printing and Publishing Company" to increase their capital stock.

An Act to regulate fees payable under official seals.

An Act to amend "The Public Roads Act, 1879."

An Act to amend "An Act to incorporate the Minister and Trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Casumpec."

An Act to amend the Act of the Eighteenth Victoria, chapter Thirty-four, intitled "An Act to incorporate the Town of Charlottetown, and all Acts amending the same."

"The Jury Amendment Act, 1880."

An Act in further amendment of the law and for the better advancement of Justice.

An Act to confirm certain writs issued out of the Supreme Court of Judicature and proceedings had thereunder.

An Act to amend "an Act regulating the Sale by License of spirituous Liquors."

An Act to further amend "The County Court's amendment Act, 1878."

An Act to amend "An Act to incorporate the Minister and Trustees of the Presbyterian Church, Brookfield, Township number Twenty-Three."

The Prince Edward Island Poultry Association.

An Act to incorporate the Minister and Trustees of the Presbyterian Church, West Gape.

An Act to amend an Act to incorporate the Town of Summerside.

An Act to authorize the Government to sell the Government Pew in St. Paul's Church, Charlottetown.

An Act to authorize the levy of assessment for the year 1880.

The Appropriation Act.

His Honor withheld his assent to the following Bill:—

An Act to incorporate the Provincial Grand Orange Lodge of Prince Edward Island, and the subordinate Lodges in connection therewith.

His Honor then closed the Session with the following

SPEECH:

Mr. President and honorable Gentleman of the Legislative Council.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly.

I thank you for the attention which you have given to the various subjects which have been brought under your consideration, and for the labor you have bestowed upon the general business of the Province.

It will afford me much satisfaction to forward to Her Majesty, the Queen, through the proper channel, the joint address which you have passed upon the subject of the disposal of the Award made by the Halifax Commission, and other matters which concern this Province, under the Treaty of Washington, 1871.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

I thank you for the supplies which you have voted for the service of the Province. They shall be expended with that economy which the public service requires.

Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

I am glad to observe among the various enactments to which I have given my assent, one for the amendment of the Jury Act, the provisions of which, I have no doubt, will not only tend to lessen the cost, but also to expedite the administration of Justice in civil cases before our Supreme Court.

In taking leave of you, for the present, I have to express my earnest hope that your labors will, under the blessing of Almighty God, tend to advance the prosperity of the Province.

Cardigan Ferry.

With the King's County Advertiser, we greatly regret the miscarriage of the Bill authorizing a Steam Ferry on the Cardigan River. But we cannot permit the Advertiser, unchallenged, to charge the Hon. Donald Ferguson with insincerity and direction of duty in connection with it. In point of fact, no member of the House (not excluding the strenuous introducer of it) exerted himself more actively and earnestly to procure the passage of the measure, than Mr. Ferguson. The Bill was strongly opposed by independent members of both parties in the Lower House. Those who were ignorant of the position of the Ferry, of the large settlements which would be benefited by it, and of the disadvantages under which these settlements labor for the want of it, were induced to vote for the measure only on representations repeatedly made—particularly the Hon. Messrs.

Gordon and Ferguson. In consequence of these representations the Bill passed; and was sent to the Upper Chamber. If it was thrown out by that body, the fact was not due in any way to the Hon. Donald Ferguson. Instead of being censured by the Advertiser, Mr. Ferguson should receive great credit for the persistency he displayed in his endeavors to secure the passage of the Bill. The Advertiser has been over hasty in its condemnation of Mr. Ferguson. When its editor knows the facts, it will, we are sure, withdraw its unmerited censure of that gentleman.

Gladstone the Premier.

MR. GLADSTONE was summoned to Windsor on the 24th, and there received the appointment of Premier and Chancellor of the Exchequer. A despatch of the 24th says:—

"When he received the appointment, he kissed the hand of the Queen, and after a short conference, departed for London, where a large crowd met him at the Railway Station, and enthusiastically cheered him. Earl Granville will probably be appointed Foreign Secretary. The exultation of the Radical wing of the Liberal party now knows scarcely any bounds. They believe that they have not only won a great popular victory, but have succeeded in compelling the Queen to surrender to their demands."

This despatch conflicts with the article published on our first page.

I. O. O. F. Natal Day.

THE Oddfellows of this City celebrated their Natal Day by a grand procession and services at the Prince Street Methodist Church. Shortly after two o'clock the members of Wilsey Lodge assembled at their Lodge Room, Prince Street, and marched to the Lodge on Queen Street. They were here joined by the members of Port la Joie Encampment and St. Lawrence Lodge, forming a procession eighty strong—and marched in the following order to the Prince Street Methodist Church:—

Band 82nd Battalion.

Port la Joie Encampment.

St. Lawrence Lodge.

Wilsey Lodge.

On arrival at the Church an excellent service was commenced, and an eloquent sermon on Oddfellowship, was preached by the Rev. Mr. Campbell. At the close of the service the procession was reformed and marched through the principal streets to their lodges. The celebration will be concluded by a grand entertainment in Market Hall, commencing at 8 o'clock.

The United States ship Constellation, laden with a cargo contributed by the citizens of New York for the relief of the starving people of the West of Ireland, arrived at Queenstown on the 21st inst, after the remarkably short passage, for a sailing ship of twenty days from New York. The Constellation sailed from Sandy Hook at 11.30 p. m., on the 30th ult. It is a noticeable circumstance that the present passage of the Constellation almost completely coincides in a measure with a voyage of the same vessel on a passage from New York to Havre in 1878 with good for the French exposition. On that occasion she sailed from the former port on the same day of the month and passed the Lizard in 26 days, arriving at Havre on April 22nd. The approach of the Constellation was announced, and a large assemblage of people gathered at the quay at Queenstown. The ship was received with many expressions of gratitude and pleasure. The cargo will be taken in charge at once by the relief committee and distributed under its auspices as the necessities of the various districts may suggest.

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 household work for a year since, without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it for their benefit."

"JOHN WEBBS, Butler, N. Y."

Special Notices.

STILL selling, that good Tea at George Carter's, 65 St. George street a22 21 t s

The delicious Coconut Cakes at the Confectionery are made from fresh coconuts just imported. april 24 21 m t

New Maple Sugar and Maple Wax at "The Confectionery."

ORANGES by the box at BEER & GOFF'S [a 23, 5i

FRESH Maple Sugar, Oranges and Lemons at BEER & GOFF'S [a 23, 3i

HOP BITTERS.—A fresh supply received by Northern Light to-day, at APOTHECARIES HALL, DesBrisay's Corner.—ap 23, 1w

WANTED.—An experienced Dry Goods Salesman. Unexceptional references required.—J. & W. BEER, Queen Street.—ap 21

SAUSAGES, fresh each day, cleanly and carefully made, 12 cents per pound at Peoples' Market, Grafton street.

The finest English Flower and Vegetable Seed just received at the Agricultural Store.—R. MAY. [ap 21, 3i eod

The well-known sportsman, Harry Hamilton, 132 West 31st street, N. Y., did not believe a ringbone could be cured until he used Giles Liniment Iodide Ammonia, and now cures Spavins, Splints, and thorough-pins by its use. Sold by W. R. Watson. Send for pamphlet. Giles Pills cure Dyspepsia. Dr. Giles, 120 West Broadway, N. Y. Trial size 25 cents.

Ex "Northern Light."

Apples, Onions, Molasses and Kerosene Oil.

AT AUCTION, at my Sale Room, Queen Square, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 27th inst., at 2 o'clock,— 24 bbls. No. 1 Nonpareil APPLES, 10 crates New Bermuda ONIONS, 3 puns. MOLASSES, 2 casks American KEROSENE OIL (best quality). Just received ex "Northern Light," via Georgetown. WM. DODD, Auct'r.

April 26, 1880.

SMOKED HERRING.

100 BOXES JUST RECEIVED at H. COOMBS. April 26, 1880—2i

Children's Carriages.

AN assortment to arrive on first Steamer. Intending purchasers will find it advantageous to defer purchasing, as those Carriages will be sold low. H. COOMBS. April 26, 1880—2i

Land Surveyors Charges TOO HIGH!

IN order to suit parties who have made the above complaint to me, and all others who may require my services, I shall, from this date, charge but 24 DOLLARS PER DAY, and make no charge for time lost going and returning. Office—Next door west of Hospital. P. D. COX, Land Surveyor. Charlottetown, April 26, '80—1w eod

For Sale or to Let.

WHAT large Property, with a front of eighty feet on Pownal 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

CITIZENS SKATING RINK.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Citizens Skating Rink Company will be held in the Rink, on WEDNESDAY, 12th MAY, at 8 o'clock, p. m., for the election of Directors and other business. W. C. HOBKIRK, Sec'y. Ch'town, April 26, 1880—3i

POWNALE NURSERY!

Trees, Seeds and Plants.

PERSONS who cultivate the soil soon find out that it pays them to get the best Seeds, Trees and Plants. Now, many who sell and some who buy know nothing about the conditions upon which they grow. Some seed are nearly useless after the first year; others, again, whose vitality is strong, are good, if properly kept, for many years. As we have been in the Nursery Seed and Market Garden business

FOR ELEVEN YEARS,

we think we know something about the nature of Seeds, and would not knowingly sell to another what we would not use in our own Garden. Our increasingly large yearly sales seem to point to the fact that our Seeds, &c., are giving satisfaction. Our mailing accommodations are so good that we can send 24 oz. or less of seeds in one parcel to any Post Office for one cent per four oz., thus bringing our Seeds to your own Post Office. Trees, Shrubs and Plants as usual. Our card is on all packages of seeds sold by us; this may prevent imposition. Our stock is for sale in the MARKET HOUSE, Charlottetown, and at POWNALE. Send for Price List. JAMES J. GAY. Pownal, April 26, 1880—5i oaw

Light Brahmas!

NOW'S YOUR CHANCE

TO BUY EGGS FOR HATCHING FROM First-Class Stock. I am breeding from two pens; one consisting of Cock imported from Geo. P. Burnham, the well-known United States breeder, at a cost of \$15, weighing 13 1/2 lbs., mated with four hens, large and well marked. Second pen: Cock weighing 9 1/2 lbs. when 10 months old, raised by myself, mated with four superior hens from imported stock. I offer Eggs from the above Stock at \$1.50 per sitting of 13, which is \$1.00 less than price charged by other breeders whose stock is no better, if as good as mine. Eggs packed to carry any distance. Terms strictly cash with order. W. F. DONKIN. [ap 24

MARKET HALL.

Lindley Opera and Comedy Co. For a short season, COMMENCING— TUESDAY, APRIL 27. TUESDAY EVENING, DORA AND QUIET FAMILY. Admission 25 and 50 cents. Charlottetown, April 24, 1880.

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QUEEN STREET, Opposite Bell Tower.

NEW

French, English, Canadian

AND

AMERICAN

GOODS,

Per "Northern Light."

GREAT PART of our Spring Stock has just come to hand per "Northern Light." We congratulate our customers on being able to place before them, perhaps, the CHEAPEST stock of GENERAL DRY GOODS ever presented in this Province. We have exercised all the care and taste we could command in the selection of this Stock, which we were fortunate enough to secure just as the various markets reached the lowest point. We open to-day nearly 200 PIECES DRESS MATERIALS, chiefly Cashmeres, Merinos, Lustres and Cords; Black and Colored Lustres a specialty; Black Cashmeres and Crapes VERY CHEAP.

Our Stock of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS is replete with the latest novelties in Style and Color; Silks, Satins, Feathers and Flowers, and every requisite to be found in a good Millinery Establishment. We have great satisfaction in having a stock of Flowers such as is seldom seen, and which for Quality, Style and Price cannot fail to please. We have also added to our already good Stock of Carpets, LACE CURTAINS, NEW EMBROIDERIES AND LACES, &c., and shall have great pleasure in showing our Goods to any one who may be disposed to favor us with their custom.

TREMAINE & METCALF, 83 QUEEN STREET. Ch'town, April 23, 1880.

Under the Patronage of His Honor Lieutenant Governor Haviland.

Natal Day Celebration, 1880.

THE ENTERTAINMENT

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF The Oddfellows of P. E. Island, WILL BE HELD IN THE MARKET HALL, On Monday, the 26th April.

A choice Programme has been prepared. The Charlottetown Quintette Club, and several of the best Musicians of the City will contribute to the evening's amusement. Reserved Seats, 50 cents; unreserved do., 25 cents; to be had at the Drug Stores, and at the Stores of Brunner Bros. and Theo. L. Chappelle. Doors open at 7 1/2 o'clock. To commence at 8. JOHN H. YEO, Secretary Com. April 21, 1880.

BRITISH WAREHOUSE, QUEEN SQUARE.

FIRST INSTALMENT OF SPRING GOODS, Received per Northern Light To-day,

Worsted Cloths, Tweeds, Cashmeres, Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, and Room Paper.

The Subscribers having enlarged and re-fitted their establishment, will, in a few days, be prepared to show their customers a very large and well selected stock of Goods, bought for Cash, which they will dispose of at their usual low prices. W. & A. BROWN & CO. April 23, 1880.

Cigars. Cigars. Cigars.

WE have on hand a large Stock of Cigars, suitable for Hotel and General Store Trade, which we will sell for Cash—to make room for Spring stock. APOTHECARIES HALL COY., DesBrisay's Corner, Queen Square. April 22, '80—1w

Marmalade and Jams.

FOR SALE IN BULK, AT BEER & GOFF'S. April 17, 1880.

Codfish. Codfish.

FOR SALE, CHEAP.— 60 Quintals Codfish. W. D. STEWART, Auctioneer. April 17, '80—4i eod

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

WANTED—A MAN with Team to buy Eggs. Must have good recommendations.—R. K. BRACE. [ap 24

WANTED—A Situation as CUTTER, in a Tailoring Establishment, by one who has had several years experience in the business. Address Post Office Glass Box 45, Charlottetown, P. E. I.—[ap 22—St John Tel and Mon Times 6i

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN, suitably qualified, to learn DENTISTRY. Apply to Dr. STRICKLAND. [ap 21, tf

TO LET—A one-story French roof COTTAGE, well finished, containing 6 rooms and pantry, with a large garden; situated at the east end of Euston Street. Enquire of WILLIAM PENNELL. [ap 21, 6i

MERCHANTS AND TRADESMEN wishing accounts adjusted can avail themselves of the services of an experienced Accountant, by addressing "ACCOUNTANT," this office. [ap 21

HOUSE TO LET—A large and commodious Dwelling of 13 apartment, suitable for Hotel accommodation, centrally located on Hillsborough Street, within a few minutes walk of Railway Depot, Market House, and Post Office. Possession given 1st May proximo. Apply to ROBT. BRIDGES. [ap 21

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—The House at present occupied by the subscriber, on West Street, opposite the residence of James Peake, Esq., apply to SAMUEL N. EARLE.—ap. 12.

TO LET—Good Pasturage for seven Cows, within a convenient distance of the city. Apply at this office. [a 9

TO LET FOR THE SEASON—Large Garden in high state of cultivation, well stocked with choice fruit trees; centrally situated. Apply at this office. [a 9

TO LET That comfortable and convenient COTTAGE (9 rooms), with stable and coach house, situate on Dorchester Street, adjoining the premises of the undersigned. Possession given 1st May. Apply to H. J. OWENBALL. a 13, eod]