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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

MANTLES & SOCIALLY.—Beer Bros. A. O. H.—Regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss E. E. ENXET, Optician will be at Clond Hill's studio until the 19th of this month. Hours 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

L. O. A.—Regular meeting of Byrne Lodge, No. 614, tonight at 8 o'clock.

DIPHTHERIA.—A case of diphtheria has been reported to the Secretary of the Board of Health. It is in the family of James Hennessy, who lives on Grafton Street.

C. P. R. TIME TABLE.—It is not likely that any further change in the C. P. R. time table will take place, at least not until the 1st of July.

FROM HALIFAX.—The steamer Fastnet arrived here from Halifax this morning about six o'clock.

BUSINESS MEN.—It is saves time and money when you use printed bill-heads, note-heads, letter-heads, etc., in your office work.

MCGINTY.—The young Clydesdale "McGinty" (1447) put in an appearance on the Market Square today.

THE PORK TRADE.—The St. John Sun says: "The provincial packers are finding a good demand for their product, as the price of American mess is too high for its importation."

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.—The bark Ralph B. Peake arrived at Canso from Liverpool on Monday, and is expected here tomorrow.

REMOVED.—Mr. J. B. Macdonald has removed from the premises on Queen Street occupied by him for some time past to the store opposite the new entrance to the Market House.

MARRIAGE BELLS.—The marriage of Miss Minnie Crabbe, daughter of George Crabbe, Esq., of the Customs Department, and Mr. William Wright, the well-known and popular traveller for James Coristine & Co., Montreal, was solemnized at the residence of the bride's parents, Sumner-side, at eight o'clock this morning.

FROM BOSTON.—The steamship Florida arrived here from Boston last evening about 8 o'clock, with a cargo consisting of about 2,500 barrels of lumber, including flour, fruits and the effects of several Islanders returning from Uncle Sam's domains.

BEER CORSETS! BEER CORSETS! The stock of Corsets we now have for sale is the largest, most complete and most reliable ever offered by us.

CHILDREN'S WAISTS! MAIDS' WAISTS! MISTRESS' CORSETS! In these lines we show the most reliable makes and most perfect shapes.

Weather Bulletin. Toronto, May 18, 10 a. m. Increasing cloudiness, followed by some rain.

NEWS NOTES.

The new Winnipeg directory places the population of that city at 35,500. A society was organized in Montreal a few nights ago with the object of colonizing the northern portion of Quebec Province.

The Government of Cape Colony is, after all, to send two representatives to the Intercolonial Trade Conference at Ottawa next month.

The weather reports from Ontario and the Northwest declare it to have been the finest and most favorable spring within the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

Diplomatic relations between Brazil and Portugal have been suspended because of the conduct of the officers of the Portuguese warships in connection with Da Gama's surrender.

Dr. George M. Dawson, C. M. G. F. R. S., F. G. S., has just had the distinction conferred upon him by the Zoological Society of London, of being elected corresponding member of that eminent body of scientists.

Home Secretary Asquith has positively refused to order the release of Mrs. Maybrick, who is serving a life sentence in Woking prison for murdering her husband, or even to reopen her case for the purpose of introducing new evidence.

The excess of expenditures over revenue of the United States for the ten months of the fiscal year is \$70,000,000. The gold reserve for the redemption of Government notes, though replenished lately by the proceeds of a \$50,000,000 loan, is \$11,000,000 short of the \$100,000,000 required by law.

The fact that English engineers propose to place a dam across the Nile above the first cataract, is a matter of the first importance to Egypt. It means that upon completion an area equal to one-fourth of Europe will be rendered more permanently fertile than the richest lands of the Mississippi valley.

American were recently found illegally fishing off Pelee Island, in Canadian waters. One of them drew a pistol on the Canadian official, and was ordered off.

The London News and London Daily Telegraph recently discussed the subject of imports of Canadian cattle and meat, and showed conclusively that meat purveyors derived extortionate profits from selling colonial beef as prime English at three times the price paid for it in the cases.

The calculation of the world's wheat supply for the past three years is as follows, the figures representing millions of bushels: 1891. 1892. 1893. North America. 684 574 447

It will thus be seen that the world's wheat crop is nearly 2,400,000,000 bushels, and the crop of 1893 was about the average of the two previous years.

President Carnot of France, will not be a candidate for re-election, preferring to set an example by avoiding undignified intrigues for the renewal of his power.

The Chicago Times gives the following mortality statistics relating to the United States: Year. Murders. Executions. Lynchings. 1883. 1,217 93 118

A Paying Investment. We know of a gentleman in town paid \$50 for a horse which, at the time of purchase, was in poor condition. He fed the animal a bag of Peck's Compound Cod Liver Food, costing \$1.

Johnson & Johnson, Sole Agents for P. E. I. Cor. Kent & Prince Sts. Cor. Queen & Richmond Sts.

We Ask Your Trade on the good merits of our Goods, and Prices too,—the two are inseparable. If judged by the old saw that "rats desert a sinking ship," our ship of trade is still sound and staunch.

MARK WRIGHT & CO., LTD. ap18

SOURIS NOTES.

The Harbor Rest is in full blast. Large numbers of sailors are taking advantage of this excellent institution of the W. C. T. U. The stock of illustrated papers is running rather short, and those who have such to spare ought to send them to the Harbor Rest, Souris.

Mr. Carlson's factory had to handle a catch of 4,000 lobsters last Wednesday—the largest yet.

The breakwater is nearly finished. It is expected that the last pile will be driven in about three weeks. The Government Engineer was in town on Monday and expressed great pleasure with the satisfactory manner in which the work has been done.

The Market.—The market today was fairly well attended and the supply was good. Prices unaltered. Outside lard sold at from 75 to 80 cents per cwt.; oats at from 38 to 40 cents per bushel; potatoes at from 30 to 35 cents per bushel; fresh herring at from 6 to 8 cents per dozen, and lobsters at from 2 to 6 cents each.

Real Reidin Bros' fishing advt. Bananas, lemons, oranges, confectionery, 10 cents per lb, and kerosene oil 16 cents per gallon, at C. C. Henry's, the cheap cash store, 26 Upper Great George Street.

War! on scrofula! Every form of impure blood is boldly declared by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great conqueror of all diseases.

Fishing gear, rods, reels, flies, everything that is used for a day's outing—Reidin Bros.

Priestley's Cravenettes—A new lot received to-day at Stanley Bros. See that you get Priestley's, they are the best; their name is stamped on every third yard of the goods—Stanley Bros.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this heading charged for at the rate of ten cents per line.

Rainproofs and umbrellas at Paton & Co's. Painting—Miss Margaret H. Chisholm will form a sketching class in oil and water colors during the first week in July, and also special classes for children in drawing from nature. She will be prepared to give lessons, as before, in all branches of oil and water color painting, throughout its various departments.

Rainproofs and umbrellas at Paton & Co's. We wish everyone in country and city to call and see our new stock of crockery, which we are selling so cheap at W. P. Colwell's.

All in need of crockery and glass-ware would do well to call and see our new goods which we are selling so cheap, at W. P. Colwell's.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Russian immigrants are being introduced into the cotton plantations of the South, as substitutes for negro labor.

A simple remedy for a rough skin is to first wash the face thoroughly at night, then rub it with about a teaspoonful of cream and let it dry in. The skin will look shiny and feel stiff at first, but in the morning you will be surprised to find how soft it will be.

USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, the great blood and Nerve Remedy.

Advertisement for Skoda's Discovery, a blood and nerve remedy.

Advertisement for Harris & Stewart, London House.

HARRIS & STEWART, LONDON HOUSE. Just Opened. Light Challies, Black Ground Challies, Crepons, Checked Linen Goods, Fancy Diagonals, Black Fancy Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Silks to match.

HARRIS & STEWART, LONDON HOUSE. Charlottetown, May 18, 1894—Jy

CANADA ATLANTIC Plant Steamship Line.

TO BOSTON. Fast Direct Line. Not Calling at Halifax. The magnificent, fast Steel Steamer "FLORIDA" will sail from Navigation Co's Wharf, Charlottetown, on FRIDAY, MAY 18th, at p. m., and every Friday at 7 p. m., (arriving at Boston every Monday morning).

For further particulars apply at the office of Charlottetown Navigation Co. H. L. CHIPMAN, Agent, Plant Wharf, Halifax. RICHARDSON & BARNARD, General Agents, Boston. ap21

IMPORTANT PROWSE BROS. & CO. This is a very appropriate time to have a little Carpet talk. Buyer and Seller are alike interested, and all we are to do at this time is to emphasize the fact that we keep a Carpet Store, with all that that implies. People have lost confidence in prices advertised. We are not surprised but you will be surprised if you call and see our prices on

GOOD FAMILY FLOUR, "TUBE ROSE" BRAND, \$3.25 PER BARREL. AT SANDERSON & CO'S. FOR CASH ONLY. Charlottetown, May 14, 1894—m w

ALL OUR SPRING SUITINGS AND OVERCOATINGS NOW IN. Now is the Time to Order Your Spring Suit. JOHN MACLEOD & CO. Charlottetown, April 23, 1894—m w

Wants, Lost, Found, & Notice to Commercial Travellers. PERSONS waiting Pasture for the season near the city apply to ARTHUR'S PETERS, 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