

Local and Other Items.

GOSPEL ARMY.—Temperance meeting this evening.

It costs \$800,000,000 a year to maintain the standing armies of Europe.

LADIES and Gents' Straw Hats must go at your own price, at J. B. Macdonald's.

THE enterprising proprietor of the Rankin has placed an electric light on the front of his premises.

WM. SCOTT, colored, died in Baltimore, Md., on the 27th. The certificate of his death placed his age at 153 years.

THE Methodist Sabbath School Basket Picnic, at West River to-day, was well attended, and successful in every respect.

THE brick building of Messrs. Welsh & Owen, on Queen Street, was offered at auction to-day, but no sale was effected.

DON'T forget the excursion in the Southport this evening. The steamer leaves Ferry Wharf at 7.30, and returns at 9.30.

MR. JAMES W. CARBON, P. G. W. P. of the Grand Division of Massachusetts, is visiting Charlottetown. He stays at the Rocklin House.

THE idea that fish is good brain food has been exploded by the scientists. The fact is that brains are usually born in a man, and not fed into him.

MR. J. McCABE, of the Post Office Department, left this morning to spend a few holidays in the Upper Provinces. We wish him a pleasant trip.

THE Charlottetown Bicycle Club will meet at 8 o'clock sharp this evening in Y. M. C. A. Full attendance requested. No dogs please. E. H. Beer, Secretary.

NEW FRUIT.—Ex. Merrimack from Boston—California Apples, Ripe Tomatoes, Bananas, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Watermelons, Coconuts.—Geo. Carter & Co., Market Square.

MESSRS. MELKIE AND GERIOT, the Evangelists, have selected the play-ground of Upper Prince Street School as their battle-field. The first onslaught will be made next Monday evening at half past seven.

ARCHBISHOP COXKE, in forwarding another remittance to the National League Parliamentary Fund, expressed the greatest confidence in the success at no distant date of Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule proposal.

A RICHMOND despatch of the 21st, says that Patrick Deady, who claimed to work under credentials from Bishop McIntyre, of Charlottetown, left that morning for other pastures. His career there was a failure.

THE terrible floundering of Miss Cleveland's novel when it gets to the love passages, remarks the Boston Advertiser, teaches anew the lesson that love is a very perilous thing to monkey with for those who don't know anything about it.

THE Toronto Mail says that the number of immigrants who arrived in Toronto during the past six months was considerably in excess of the number returned for the same period last year. The total was 6,831, while in the corresponding period of 1885 it was 4,701.

WE learn that the barque M. J. Foley, which arrived at Apalachicola, July 20th, from St. Thomas, when 70 miles from the former port, on the 30th ult., was struck by a hurricane and lost foremast, mainmast and two gafftopsails, and had bowsprit started.

THE steamer Merrimack, which is for a time to take the place of the ill-fated Gate City, on the Boston and Savannah route, leaves at six o'clock this evening for Boston. Since their coming amongst us, Capt. Crowell and his officers have made many friends, who will accord them a warm welcome on their return.

SEVEN New York gentlemen arrived here per Princess of Wales from Pictou Wednesday evening, on their annual tour through the Lower Provinces. Combined weight 1600 lbs. Their names are: H. E. Hamberlain, B. H. Corning, C. N. Fowle, A. A. Cox, Perry Kittridge, C. C. Danforth, and F. S. Streeter.

GABRIEL DUMONT is said to have received the news of his parish with tears. According to a New York paper Dumont is worth \$80,000. Yet Canadians who cannot earn so much in a lifetime are called upon to mourn his hard lot and to vote that he was a sadly oppressed patriot, fully justified in resorting to arms.

RECENT heavy rains have washed a large amount of refuse into a spring from which the employees of the Glasgow Iron Company at Pottstown, Pa., get their drinking water. In consequence, an epidemic of fever has broken out, and over 40 men are suffering with typhoid in its worst form, many of them being in a critical condition.

DR. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription is not extolled as a 'cure-all,' but admirably fulfills a singleness of purpose, being a most potent specific in those chronic weaknesses peculiar to women. Particulars in Dr. Pierce's large treatise on Diseases Peculiar to Women, 160 pages, sent for 10 cents in stamps. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, 633 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.

WELLINGTON BIRMINGHAM, a lad of 17 years, was caught in the act of robbing the store of Mr. J. L. Saunders, of Florenceville, N. B., on Monday afternoon. He admitted having robbed Mr. Kearney's store on the 20th, telling where he had hidden the notes and papers. Mr. Kearney on going to the place recovered them—about two thousand dollars' worth—but the hundred dollars in cash could not be found.

IN December, 1874, a young woman named Nancy Laurence was murdered in Jersey, Eng., under circumstances which pointed to her brother as the murderer. He was tried, convicted and executed, protesting his innocence to the last. A few days ago a man living a short distance from the scene of the crime, believing himself dying, confessed that he murdered the girl, and that her brother was entirely guiltless.

THE general verdict of the smokers of the Myrtle Navy is that it is the finest tobacco they have ever used. There can be no mistake upon this point for it is proved by this tangible evidence. The large demand for this tobacco shows it to be true, and the character of the demand gives further proof. It has never been of the spasmodic kind, up one month and down the next. It has been a sustained and constantly increasing demand. The unsurpassed quality of the tobacco accounts for this.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

BRITISH POLITICS!

Progress in Cabinet Making.

Goschen has refused to assume the Chancellorship of the Exchequer and the leadership in the Commons. When he re-enters Parliament he will do so as a Tory.

Lord Salisbury is reported to have made the following appointments: Home Secretary—Lord Hamilton. (Lady Lansdowne's brother.)

Chief Secretary for Ireland—Sir Michael Hicks Beach.

Secretary for War—Viscount Cranbrook. President of the Privy Council—Lord Iddlesleigh.

Viceroy of Ireland—Duke of Abercorn. (Lady Lansdowne's father.)

Chancellor of the Exchequer—Lord Randolph Churchill, who will also be Conservative Leader in the House of Commons.

W. H. Smith, Sir R. A. Cross and Col. F. A. Stanley, (Lord Derby's brother) members of the House of Commons and of the last Tory Government, will be made peers.

Un-authenticated reports assign the War Office to W. H. Smith; First Lord of the Admiralty, Lord George Hamilton; Lord High Chancellor, Lord Salisbury; Secretary for India, Col. Stanley; President of the Council, Lord Cranbrook; President of the Board of Trade, Edward Stanhope; Postmaster-General, Lord John Manners; Attorney-General, Sir Richard Webster; and Irish Lord Chancellor, Lord Ashbourne.

The members of the Gladstone Government have been suddenly summoned to meet at Lord Granville's residence. It is believed that some foreign difficulty has suddenly arisen.

To Wind Up its Affairs.

Pictou, N. S., July 29.

At a meeting of the shareholders it was determined to wind up the affairs of the Pictou Bank. The Bank lost \$225,000 within a few years by gross mismanagement and \$50,000 of its capital was recently wiped out by Act of Parliament. The shareholders expect to get fifty per cent of the existing capital returned. The Bank of Nova Scotia captures the Pictou Bank's business.

Indignation in Church Circles.

Ottawa, July 29.

Cardinal Taschereau is now here, and conferred the pallium upon Archbishop Duhamel yesterday amid the grandest ceremonies. Great indignation is felt in church circles over the refusal of a meeting of the Irish Catholics to present an address to the Papal Alegate, Mgr. O'Brien, because he is an anti-Home Ruler.

A Fitting Coincidence.

Victoria, B. C., July 29.

Sir John A. Macdonald is meeting with a grand reception at all points in his tour, and particularly so in Victoria. The first cargo of tea direct from China to Canada arrived yesterday, and is a fitting coincidence with Sir John's presence here.

Desperate Tactics.

Montreal, July 29.

The Rielites are resorting to desperate tactics in the Chambly election. They have imported Riel's lawyer to exhibit Riel's ghost, and to stump the country in the interests of Gritism.

Completing a Glorious Work.

Madrid, July 29.

The Spanish Cortes unanimously resolved "To complete our glorious work of abolishing slavery by immediately freeing the remaining 26,000 slaves in Cuba."

A Heavy Failure.

Halifax, July 29.

Ambord & Co., sugar planters of Trinidad, have failed. Their liabilities foot up to a million and a quarter dollars.

A Theatre Holocaust.

London, July 29.

A theatre in India was destroyed by fire. One hundred persons were killed and very many wounded.

The Manitoba Election.

Winnipeg, July 29.

A general election for the province of Manitoba will take place in November next.

A French Excitement.

Paris, July 29.

Bogus reports of the Emperor William of Germany's death caused great excitement here.

A Defaulting Monotonian.

Moncton, July 29.

Constable Smith has absconded. His liabilities are over one thousand dollars.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

Toronto, July 29—10 a. m.

Light to moderate winds, fine and warm.

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 shrub 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. feb 4 eod wk

AUCTION SALE

I AM instructed by a gentleman, who is about leaving the island, to sell by Auction, at my Sale-room, FRIDAY, 30th inst., at 2 o'clock,—All his Household Furniture, consisting of 1 Parlor Set, 6 Walnut Dining-room Chairs, 1 Walnut Extension Table, 1 Bed Lounge, Scotch Carpets, Bed-room and Kitchen Furniture, Pictures, Crockery, Glassware, &c.

—ALSO—1 American Range (No. 7) and several Parlor Stoves. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. July 28—41 dte

P. E. ISLAND EXHIBITION PRIZE LIST, 1886.

THE Provincial Exhibition Prize List is now in my hands for publication.

A limited number of Advertisements will be accepted. Larger circulation than ever before. Apply to GEO. W. GARDNER, Queen Square.

July 24, 1886—1wk eod

AT AUCTION,

BY A. H. B. MACGOWAN.

ON Market Square, on FRIDAY next, 30th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, unless previously claimed and expenses paid, one serviceable black MARE, left in my care several weeks since and to be sold to pay expenses for feeding, &c.

JOHN COFFIN. Ch'town July 27—31

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CATTLE, SHEEP, LOBSTERS, GRAIN and other Produce carried at current rates of freight. LOBSTERS carried at through rates from all Stations on P. E. Island Railway.

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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 Must Go.

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, 6cts, up. Men's Fancy Tweed Suits, \$11, worth \$14. Men's Navy Blue Suits, \$4, worth \$5.50. 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, \$6, worth \$8. Men's Black Worsteds Suits, \$6, worth \$7.50. Men's Navy Blue Suits, \$4, worth \$5.50. Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, \$6, worth \$8.50. Men's Black Worsteds Suits, \$9, worth \$12. Men's Navy Blue Suits, \$11, worth \$14. Men's All-wool Tweed Suits, \$11.75, worth \$24.10. 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 \$1.10. Ladies' 4-Button Dent's Gloves, 55cts, worth \$1. American Dress Gingham, 10cts, worth 11cts. American Prints, 5cts, worth 6cts. Canadian Heavy Prints, 7cts, worth 10cts. Very Stylish Bustles, only 18cts, worth 40cts. Very Stylish Corsets, only 10cts, worth 16cts. American Hoop-skirts, \$2, 25cts, up. Very Heavy Tickings, only 10cts. Very Heavy 36-inch Gray Cotton, only 5cts. American Felt Hats, 50cts. American Straw Hats, 25cts, up. Large sized Trunks, 50cts, up. Ladies' Hosiery, 10cts, up. Ladies' Collars, 6cts, up. Ladies' Gossamers, \$1, up. Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 5cts, up. A Large Stock of Tweeds, 45cts, 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, 9cts, up. Men's India Gauze Shirts and Drawers, 40cts.

REID BROS.

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

WHEATLEY & SONS,

AUCTIONEERS

—AND—

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.

July 5, 1886—3mths eod & wky

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.

REFRIGERATORS.

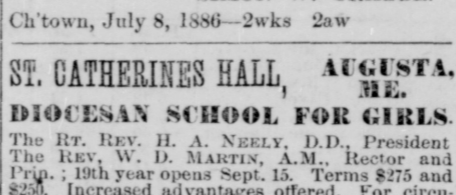
NORTH POLE REFRIGERATORS, Oil Stoves, for sale low.

SIMON W. CRABBE. Ch'town, July 8, 1886—2wks 2aw

ST. CATHERINES HALL, AUGUSTA, N.E.

DIOCESAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS. The Rev. H. A. NEELY, D.D. President. The Rev. W. D. MARTIN, A.M., Rector and Prop. 19th year opens Sept. 15. Terms \$275 and \$250. Increased advantages offered. For circulars address the Principal. July 16—10 wks

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300 Tons Register A1 Class at Lloyds,

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due here about the 25th inst. will go on the berth for either Liverpool or London, providing sufficient inducement offers. Apply to the owners, PEAKE BROS. & CO. July 8, 1886—pod tf

Real Estate Sale.

THREE valuable LOTS on Douglas Street, 1 50x100 feet each, or thereabouts. Apply at Merchants Bank of Prince Edward Island. June 28, 1886.

TRY THE TEA,

25 CENTS,

AT THE LONDON HOUSE

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—Situation as Hoop keeper or Junior Salesman in any town in P. E. I. by a young man of good education, who is well recommended. Enquire at this office. July 29 11 pd

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. X. Z., Ch'town. July 29 2w pd

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 tf

WANTED—The use of a Horse for driving in return for his keep; quiet animal. Address: "A. B. C. Milton Parsonage." July 27 3f

TO LET—The upper flat of the brick building on Queen Street, lately occupied by the St. Lawrence Lodge, L. O. G. F. The flat is arranged with suitable ante-rooms and is most suitable for Lodge purposes, Public Hall, &c. For terms, &c. apply to Mary Ann Oiler, Queen Street, X. X. Z., July 6—1mo 2aw & wy pd

TO LET—The Dwelling House on Upper Hillsborough Street, now occupied by W. S. McKie, with Stable and Coach-house. The dwelling contains eleven rooms and has a tank in its cellar; possession given 15th August next. Apply to Mrs. Blatch, Great George Street. July 27 2aw

TO LET—That brick House and Shop on Dorchester Street, formerly occupied by Owen Connolly; immediate possession given. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. June 21 eod

TO LET—That brick House on Dundas Esplanade, now in the possession of G. H. Haszard, Esq.; possession given 1st October next. For terms and particulars apply to Owen Connolly. June 21 eod tf

500 MACKEREL BARRELS for Sale by Geo. J. Wright. July 22 3f eod

TO LET—The premises at present occupied by the Subscriber, containing twelve rooms, good yard and stabling; possession given immediately. For further particulars apply to James Curtis, Sidney Street. July 21

TO LET—Furnished Rooms with use of Kitchen, or furnished House. Apply to Mrs. Ronald Walker Weymouth St. July 9 tf

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Cook; one acquainted with restaurant business preferred; good wages to the right person. Apply at EXAMINER office. July 17 eod tf

TO LET—The Dwelling House on Pleasant Street, lately occupied by the Rev. C. O'Meara; possession given immediately. Apply to Wm. Dodd. July 16 tf

LONDON HOUSE. JULY.

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

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

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

Exceptional Value in Every Department.

See Our Goods, See Our Prices, See Our Bargains!

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Ch'town, July 6, 1886.

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PERKINS & STERNS'

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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.

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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.

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SOLE LEATHER, wholesale and retail, cheap for cash. DORSEY, GOFF & CO. Ch'town, June 17, 1886.