

Local and Other Items.

REMEMBER the great clearing out sale at the West of England House on Monday next.

By telegram to L. C. Owen, brig "Fanny," Murchison, master, from St. Nazaire, arrived at Port Hawkesbury on the 19th inst.

At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon, James Malone was committed 8 days for being drunk and incapable, and Fred'k Lepage was fined five cents and costs for exhibiting farming implements on his platform.

LAST NIGHT one of the officers on beat on Queen Street noticed a bright light in the office of Davies & Sutherland. Thinking the office to be on fire he beat the door open, and found the light to proceed from a heavy fire in the office store.

IN view of the question now pending in this community, and in accordance with request of the Temperance Committee, the Rev. J. Lathern has announced the subject of Temperance for his sermon to-morrow evening, in the Methodist Church.

THE steamer *Albert* arrived at Georgetown last evening with twenty passengers and a full cargo of goods. The schooner *Alpine* also arrived there yesterday, with coal, from Picton. This is the first arrival of sailing vessels reported at Island ports this season.

MR. HENRY COOMBS has addressed another letter to "the Editors of the Island Press" this time on the prices to be obtained in the British markets for articles which we have not yet attempted to send thither. It is full of information of a practical kind. The letter will appear in the EXAMINER on Monday.

THE Nova Scotia fishing fleet will be much larger this summer than ever before. Nearly every outfit throughout the Province is fitting out vessels for the purpose, and many of them are beautiful models, with all the most modern appliances for the prosecution of the business. A considerable number will go to the Grand Banks, which have hitherto been scarcely touched by our people.

IN September last a young lady, daughter of a rich farmer residing on Yonge Street, while attending school in Toronto, became acquainted with a young man in the employ of Mr. Lucas, builder, and secretly married him. Two weeks ago he deserted her, and is at present, it is supposed, in Manitoba. He took away his wife's trunk and twelve hundred dollars, the proceeds of a farm belonging to her which he sold to a Jew in Toronto. To effect the sale he must have forged his wife's name. An effort will be made to recover the property in a chancery suit.

THE vicinity of Cunard street, St. John, was startled shortly after noon on Wednesday by piercing, agonizing cries for help, and some gentlemen passing saw a female enveloped in flames rush from a house into the street. Overcoats were wrapped round her and the flames extinguished, after which she was taken into the house and placed in bed. Her body all more or less burned. The girl is a native of Queen's County, N. B., named Ada Clattenburg, about 19. She was standing with her back to the grate in the parlor, when it is supposed a spark ignited her cotton wrapper. A little girl in the room noticed the dress on fire and told her to jump into the bath, but she did not take any heed and rushed to the street. She suffered the most intense agony and died at six o'clock on Wednesday evening.

A SNAKE THIEF entered the St. Lawrence Hotel last evening, with the intention of feloniously securing a coat, but his plans were readily overthrown, and he escaped after loosening the sleeve of his own. It was about eight when he entered the hall and seized a coat which was hanging therein. As he was about to depart with his booty the proprietors appeared, caught him by the arm, and screamed loudly for help. The thief dropped the coat and struck her, but she still called aloud for the servants and held on. Shortly after she let his arm go, and took a firm grasp of his coat-sleeve. The sleeve ripped from the body, and the thief departed, leaving the coat which he attempted to steal and the sleeve of his own. We learn that the thief was arrested by the police to-day. He is a sailor named John Lloyd. He says "he went into the hotel for a drink of water, and that a woman came out of a room and tore his coat." The coat was found by the police where Lloyd threw it, over the ferry wharf.

Donald Campbell and Augustus Campbell, of Johnston's River, were yesterday charged before Theophilus DesBrisay, Esq., J. P., with assault and trespass by George McLeod and Alfred McLeod of the same place. George McLeod and Alfred McLeod were also charged with assault and trespass before John A. McDonald, J. P., of Johnston's River, by the above named Donald Campbell and Augustus Campbell. The Magistrate, finding that proceedings had been commenced against the Campbells in this city, adjourned the case to be heard with the first in Charlottetown. Mr. DesBrisay, finding that the affray originated about a few loads of mud on the ice, marked a nominal fine against the whole of the parties and divided the costs between them. He also ordered Donald Campbell, George McLeod, Augustus Campbell and Alfred McLeod each to enter into his own recognizances to the Queen in \$100, with two good and sufficient sureties each in \$50, that they all keep the peace and be of good behavior for twelve calendar months towards all Her Majesty's subjects.

FOUR young men, named respectively Messrs. G. McDonald, Peter Phee, Angus McIntyre and Thos. Feehan, left Mount Stewart on Wednesday last, for Denver, Colorado. The former was clerk for the past six years in Messrs. Longworth & Co.'s branch store, Mount Stewart, and received a very creditable certificate from that firm for the faithful and satisfactory manner in which the transacted the business during that time; he also received very complimentary certificates from clergymen of different denominations, who had a chance of judging his character by personal acquaintance; also from the testimony of his many friends and customers. Messrs. Phee and Feehan also worked in the same employ, and Mr. McIntyre in the employ of Messrs. Coffin & Glover. As they are all sober, active and industrious young men, we trust their energies in journeying to a distant country will prove successful, inasmuch as that they will get lucrative employment, and the blessing of good health to enjoy it.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Ottawa and Foreign News.

OTTAWA, April 18.

Chief Justice Sir William Young will administer the Government of Nova Scotia during the absence of Governor Archibald in England.

It is stated that Mr. Lamb, of the late firm of Converse, Colson & Lamb, of Montreal, has received the appointment of Chief Appraiser for the Dominion, with headquarters at Montreal. The salary is said to be \$4,000 per year.

Messrs. Purcell and Ryan, contractors for section A of the Canada Pacific, advertise for 2,000 men. They offer \$1.25 per day a week, and have made arrangements whereby five or more men going to work on the road can get through to Thunder Bay at a very low rate.

A little girl belonging to Mrs. Destaurier, who resides at 57 Church Street, drank by mistake a cup of lye on Wednesday. The result was that death ensued in a short time. The little one suffered great agony.

The sub-committee of the printing committee met this morning for the purpose of considering the tenders. The paper was adjudged by sample and awarded to Mr. Barber, No. 2, at \$13,352. The printing contract was awarded to C. H. McIntosh; and the contract for binding to Alex. Mortimer. The committee will doubtless endorse the tenders.

LONDON, April 18.

Reuter's Rome special says an agreement has been effected between Germany and the Vatican on some points concerning the Bishops who are most compromised with the German Government. The idea of a Concordat has been abandoned; but declarations will be exchanged, and the establishing of a new order of things relating to the legal position of Bishops.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 18.

The *Agence Russe* denies that Russia demanded the extradition of Nihilist refugees from England.

BELGRADE, April 18.

It is reported that a considerable force of Albanians entered Servian territory yesterday.

PESTH, April 18.

Some hundreds of square miles of fields are again submerged, and the towns of Belgrade Larnis and Gyulavany are threatened. The water at Szegedin has risen eight inches, and the people are again quitting their houses.

It is understood that the Governor General and the Princess will stay for three weeks in Quebec after leaving Montreal. Lord Lorne's father, the Duke of Argyll, is expected to arrive at the ancient capital in the second week in June for a four months' visit to his son and royal daughter-in-law. A week later they will greet Rear-Admiral the Duke of Edinburgh at Halifax, who will succeed Admiral Inglefield in command of the North American squadron. At Halifax the party will be joined by Lord Wharnclyffe, Lord Colin Campbell (the Marquis' brother), Mr. Eustace Balfour, who will marry Lady Elizabeth, the Marquis' second sister, in a few days, Earl Percy, heir presumptive to the dukedom of Northumberland, and husband of Lady Edith, the Marquis' eldest sister, and probably Lord Roseberry and wife. There will, it is said, be gay doings at Halifax during the summer.

Special Notices.

ORANGES by the box at Beer & Goff's.

FRESH Garden, Field and Flower Seeds, just received, and for sale at the "Glasgow House." FRED'K LEPAGE. April 19, '79.—6i

FRESH SEEDS, just received, at Haszard's Agricultural Store, Queen Square (West.)

FRESH ORANGES and MAPLE SUGAR at BEER & GOFF'S.

EARLIEST IN CULTIVATION.—The Early Climax Cabbage. Extra crisp curled Lettuce. Seed of the above varieties, at Haszard's Agricultural Store. April 15—tf

VERY Choice Smoked Hams, at BEER & GOFF'S.

BONELESS FISH at BEER & GOFF'S.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

RANKIN HOUSE.

April 19.—Capt. Dawson, New Glasgow, N. S.; Chas. Coristene, Montreal; Chas. Haswell, do.

REVERE HOUSE.

April 19.—Wm. L. Watson, Montreal; H. P. Kerr, St. John; Fred E. Small, Montreal; Alfred N. Climax, Yarmouth; Rev. J. Rogers, Montreal; N. T. Norman, do.

Married.

On Wednesday, 16th inst., at St. Andrew's Church, Shediac, by the Rev. A. S. Newnham, Dr. Robert Leonard Botsford, son of the Honorable Judge Botsford, and Miss Emily Christina Queen, daughter of Lewis Carvell, Esq.

Died.

At Harbor's Mouth, Lot 43, yesterday, April 18th, William Jones Haszard, eldest and last surviving son of the late William Haszard, Esq., of Bellevue, in the 71st year of his age.

SHIPPING NEWS.

Canso, N. S., April 16.—Schr. Lettie May, from Grand River, P. E. I.

Charleston, S. C., April 12.—In port barque Lucy Pope, Thompson, for Liverpool (ready.) St. John's Nfld., April 7.—Cleared Laodemia, McIsaac, for Charlottetown.

Off Plymouth, March 29.—Brig. Lauretta for Charlottetown.

Cape Henry, April 13.—The brig Fleetwing, of Prince Edward Island, bound from Cuba to Portland, is now three miles off Cape Henry, masts entirely gone. Pilotboat Maryland went to her assistance; brig declined offer. The fleetwing has been reported passed once or twice dismantled, but refusing assistance.

Spoker, April 6, lat. 43.80, lon. 35.18, barque J. W. P. E. L., from Sligo for Sandy Hook.

NEW GOODS

AT THE

London House.

EX "ALBERT," VIA GEORGETOWN.

SPRING STYLES.

MEN'S HATS!
Felt and Straw.

GENTS' WHITE SHIRTS

Frillings.

VELVETEENS.

BUTTONS.

Braids.

Gents' Scarfs.

Spring Styles

—OF—

BAZAR PATTERNS!

Geo. Davies & Co.

April 10, 1879.

NEW SPRING TWEEDS!

PER "NORTHERN LIGHT."

JUST RECEIVED,

THREE CASES NEW SPRING TWEEDS,
CHOICE PATTERNS! LOW PRICES!

Now is the Time to get Suited

J. B. MACDONALD.

Queen Street, Charlottetown, March 1, 1879—her

Molasses.

The subscriber offers for sale low,

20 Puns. MOLASSES, } Bright Retailing.
20 Bbls. do

B. WILSON HIGGS.

Ch'town, April 15, 1879.—6in

HOUSE WANTED.

A COMFORTABLE DWELLING (with not less than eight commodious Rooms, besides Kitchen) conveniently situated in a pleasant part of the City or suburbs. Address, giving particulars and naming rent,

"HOUSEHOLDER,"

EXAMINER OFFICE.

April 17, 1879—ex 3i pat 2i

THE NEW TARIFF.

IF THERE IS ANYTHING IN THE

Watch, Clock or Jewelry Line

that you require, you will not find the price raised, but in many instances lowered, at

E. W. TAYLOR'S,

WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER.

Ch'town, April 8, 1879.—tf

BOSTON STEAMERS

The Carroll & Worcester

will continue running as usual. "Carroll" will leave Boston on

SATURDAY, THE 26th INST.,

ice permitting.

Orders to be in timeshould go forward at once.

CARVELL BROS.

Ch'town, April 14, 1879.—3in sod

Piano for Sale.

VALUABLE SQUARE AMERICAN PIANO, nearly new. Apply to

W. McKECHNIE.

April 14—6i

HOUSEHOLD GOODS
For Spring.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.

Have in Stock a splendid lot of

Carpets (in all qualities), Paper

Hangings (cheap, medium, and

best qualities), Floor Oil

Cloths (stout English

make, all widths),

Table Linens, Sheetings, Towel-

ings, Bed Tickings, Lace and

Muslin Curtains, Bleached

and Grey Calicoes.

Housekeepers purchasing, should see these Goods, as they will be sold at **Old Prices.**

April 10, 1879.—th fr mon wed 2w

NEW TWEEDS!

JUST RECEIVED

Per Steamer "Albert," at

GEO. E. FULL'S

CUSTOM

Tailoring Department!

PRICES LOW!

WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED

April 15, 1879.—law pat ne 4w

1879. SEEDS. 1879.

RECEIVED via Georgetown, small Seeds for early sowing. And an unusually large stock of Garden and Agricultural Seeds daily expected from William Evans, Seedsman to the Council of Agriculture for the Province of Quebec.

Mr. Evans received the first prize for Swedish Turnips, grown on his own farm, at the last Provincial Exhibition held in Montreal, when competition was open to the Dominion.

WM. R. WATSON.

City Drug Store, Victoria Building, Queen st., Ch'town, April 15, '79. } 6i

Valuable Freehold Property FOR SALE.

A Rare Chance to Obtain a Cheap and Elegant House in Charlottetown.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers at private sale the three-story DWELLING HOUSE and SHOP on Prince street, opposite St. Paul's Church, in the very centre of the city. Also, a small Cottage on Hensley street, known as "Davy's Lane."

And, also, a large Building Lot, 45 by 100 feet, pleasantly situated on Euston street, near entrance to St. Peter's Road.

If not previously disposed of by private contract, the above described property will be offered at Public Auction on Thursday, the first day of May next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon.

For terms, etc., apply to

R. WRIGHT.

Prince st., Ch'town, April 9.—pat 3w

COMPRESSED TEA!

FOR SALE AT THE

FLOUR & TEA STORE!

40 CTS. PER POUND

in 1-4 lb. Blocks.

IT IS EXCELLENT.

GIVE IT A TRIAL.

BEER & GOFF.

Ch'town, April 4, 1879.

MOORE & McDONALD,

CABINET-MAKERS,

UPHOLSTERERS, & C.

CHAMBER-SETS, in Black Walnut, Ash, &c.; Parlor, Hall and Dining-Room Furniture, in the latest styles.—We are prepared to meet the wants of our customers with punctuality and despatch.

REPAIRING neatly executed.

PICTURE FRAMES and Mouldings constantly on hand or made to order. All kinds of Household Furniture furnished. Don't forget the place: Opposite Mrs. Robertson's Hotel, **Souris East, P. E. Island.**

April 12—2m eod

FOR SALE,

THE unexpired term of fourteen years of LEASE OF LAND, corner of Queen and Richmond Streets, formerly occupied by Fraser's Drug and Gass' Boot & Shoe Store. For further particulars, apply at "Glasgow House," to Mr. F. LePage.

P. G. FRASER.

Charlottetown, March 31, 1879.

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

Advertisements under this heading, in spaces not exceeding half an inch, will be inserted for Ten Cents per day.

WANTED—Two neatly furnished Rooms, with use of kitchen, for gentleman and wife. Address, stating full particulars, P. O. box 135, Charlottetown. April 19—2i

TO LET—For 6 or 12 months, a furnished COTTAGE in a convenient part of the city. Apply at this office. April 15—6i

TO LET—The Shop and Premises fronting on the South Side of Queen Square, opposite the Market House, at present in possession of Mr. Larter, as a Shoe Store. Possession given on the 6th of August next. Apply to MRS. STAMPER. March, 18, 1879.—4i eow