

**Local and Other Items.**

NEW POTATOES are on sale at Ottawa.

Work on the Halifax Sugar Refinery is progressing rapidly.

Rev. Mr. HINSON will preach in the Baptist Church this evening.

DISTRIBUTION of prizes at St. Peter's Boys School to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock.

REPORTS from all parts of Ontario say crops were never in a more encouraging condition.

STRAWBERRIES, the first of the season, were on sale at the market to-day. They sold at 26 cents per quart.

CHIEF JUSTICE Sir A. A. DORION and Meredith have received the degree of D. C. L. ad eundem from Laval University.

THE New York Journal of Commerce says:—"The last of the six-foot gauges has disappeared from the great roads in this country."

FRANKLIN HOUSE cab with span of horses and driver can be engaged for Dominion Day.

THE Lindley Opera & Comedy Co., which has recently been reconstructed in New York, will be in this city on the 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th of July next.

SIR SELBY SMITH's scheme for the establishment of a permanent military force in Canada is said to be favorably entertained by the War Office.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. BOWELL, wife of the Minister of Customs, and Mrs. SMITH, wife of the Deputy Minister of Marine also arrived by the "Druid" from Quebec yesterday.

SINCE the opening of the season 450 immigrants have arrived in Ottawa, mostly of the agricultural class. All the agriculturists have been provided with employment.

LADIES and GENTLEMEN who may be going on an excursion Dominion Day by early train, can obtain refreshment, etc., suitable for such occasions at the "RAILWAY HOTEL," near the Station.—21

THE Concert in the Convent de Notre Dame to-morrow (Wednesday) evening will be one of the grandest musical treats ever witnessed in the city. Full particulars to-morrow.

JAMES LAMBURN, of London, England, was shot through the heart by William Mulholland, second mate of the ship "Lillie Solari," while that vessel was entering St. John harbor on Saturday.

THE gutter at the north side of Queen Square near DesBriays to Walker's corner is in a most filthy condition. It is mostly filled up with various rubbish, consisting of broken crockery, decayed plank, discarded boots, hats, etc., together with a large assortment of straw, and such like. Other portions of the city appear to be in a similar state. It is wrong that a public thoroughfare, as that alluded to, should be so sadly neglected.

A CRICKET match will be played on Victoria Park, Dominion Day, between the Oddfellows and all-players of the Phoenix Cricket Club. The band will be in attendance. The following are the teams:—

All Players—L. Yeo, Jenkins, Disney, Macleod, L. H. Davies, B. Davies, Mitchell, Cathrae, Quirk, Friesland, Pope, D. Kennedy, Oddfellows—Hobkirk, J. A. Longworth, V. Longworth, J. H. Yeo, Moore, Weeks, Higgs, Kennedy, Yates, Swabey, Crabbe, Neill Macleod.

CANADIAN INFANTRY, 82ND BATT., No. 3 COMPANY.—The annual drills and training of this Company, we are authorized by the commanding officer to state, will commence at the Charlottetown Drill Shed on Friday evening next, the 2nd July, at 7 o'clock p. m., when a full muster is required. The Company will parade in full uniform with helmets and accoutrements complete.

I. O. O. F.—At the regular session of St. Lawrence Lodge, No. 8, held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:—

N. G.—Henry W. Davison.  
V. G.—Robert McFarlan.  
R. S.—Frank Kennedy.  
P. S.—Alex. D. McLeod (re-elected).  
Treasurer—Robert C. Higgs.

The appointed officers will be chosen on next regular night (5th July) at which time the installation will be proceeded with by D. D. G. Master, Benjamin Bremner, Esq.

STILL AHEAD.—We notice in the prize list of the Glasgow University, Scotland, that an Islander has succeeded in winning a prize of £10 (48.76). The successful man is Mr. Roderick McRae, son of the late Donald McRae, Esq., of Pinette. The prize, which is called the Watt Prize, is awarded "for the best account of experimental investigation in chemistry or natural philosophy, conducted by the writer." We congratulate our fellow Islander on winning a prize which must have required arduous study and patient investigation.—Pat.

THE fine imposed on Daniel Millar by the Stipendiary Magistrate yesterday, should be a warning to all who persist in using illegal measures. Mr. Millar was purchasing potatoes at Queen's Wharf on Thursday. He purchased two loads from Mr. Wm. Mutch, of Lot 48. The loads, previous to being sold, were weighed and contained 477 bushels. When measured according to Mr. Millar's measure, it was found that they contained 45 bushels only, and Mr. Mutch's servant was paid by Millar for 45 bushels, when he should, in justice, have been paid for 477. Mr. Mutch discovered the wrong, and in order to put an end to further fraud in potato measures, made complaint to the Inspector—Mr. Reddin—who, at ten o'clock on Friday, instructed Millar that his measure was illegal, and forbade him to use it longer. Millar paid no attention to the Inspector's instruction. He continued to use the measure until 4 o'clock on Friday, when it was seized by the Inspector. Mr. Millar was summoned for a breach of the law relating to weight and measures, and was yesterday fined \$20.

Lord Beaconsfield is said to be desirous of resigning the leadership of the Opposition.

**NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.**

LONDON, June 26.

In the House of Commons last night, Lord Spencer Churchill (Conservative) gave notice that when Labouchere's motion rescinding the resolution in regard to Bradlaugh came up he would move an amendment that it would be inexpedient and derogatory to the dignity and character of the House to rescind the resolution.

The friends of Bradlaugh intend to hold a hundred mass indignation meetings in various parts of England. The London meeting will be held in Trafalgar Square.

The "Daily News" says: We understand that Bradlaugh does not intend to present himself in the commons to claim his seat until Tuesday.

The "Morning Post" says: We understand the following compromise has been entered into between Gladstone and Labouchere, the latter acting for Bradlaugh: Bradlaugh was to abandon his intention of presenting himself to take a seat on a pledge given by Gladstone, that he (Gladstone) would support as a vote of confidence in the Government, Labouchere's motion to rescind the resolution of the House. Gladstone thus has pledged himself and his Government to Bradlaugh's cause.

NEW YORK, June 27.

Cornelius Mayer, of 365 Fourth street, Brooklyn, a well known glass manufacturer, was stabbed and killed about 12.30 this morning, opposite a saloon. Mayer had been to an entertainment at his nephew's, and when the party broke up, started for home. He was jeered at by some young rowdies anxious to create a disturbance. Mayer ordered them to clear out, when they assaulted him and his foreman. A short scuffle ensued, when Mayer fell to the sidewalk, having received two mortal wounds in the breast, and died almost instantly. His assailants in the meantime fled. The police were notified, and before daylight arrested John Brady, 21 years old, Thomas Foster 21, Frank Morley 22, and William Hanley. Morley was identified as the one who stabbed Mayer. The prisoners were committed to await the action of the coroner.

CONDENSED DESPACHES.

A Cape Town despatch says the Government has abandoned the proposals for a conference of the South African Colonies and States, after four days' debate.

The British Consuls, Armenian relief committees and American missionaries have been most active and have done all in their power to alleviate the miseries of the famishing population of Asia Minor.

Premier DeFreycinet, on receiving a deputation in favor of a Franco-American commercial treaty, said overtures had been made by the French Minister at Washington, but Secretary Evarts has replied that circumstances obliged the United States to defer negotiations.

The British Conference is entirely unanimous in regard to the Greek frontier line, which is that elaborated by Gen. Sir Linton Simmons before he left London. It is considered possible that, if necessary, the Western Powers will make a naval demonstration to enforce the decisions of the Conference. Prince Orloff has arrived in Berlin, and will probably confer with Bismarck.

A Bismarck (Dakota) despatch says settlers in Missouri Valley are excited over the threatened abandonment of Fort Yates and fear of slaughter by the Sioux. Gen. Terry disapproves the order for the removal of the troops, and a vigorous effort to suspend it is already started at Washington.

George Fearn, of London, England, the long distance swimmer, who swam second best to Captain Webb in his great six days swim in the English Channel, swam yesterday from the foot of 33rd street, East River, through Hell Gate, to Flushing, making the distance, estimated at 15 miles, in 3 hours, 27 minutes, 36 seconds.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

June 28—Sinclair Wells, Alberton; B. C. Perry, P. E. I.; Geo. Forbes, Vernon River; S. C. Clark, wife and child, Mt. Stewart; James Weedside, Princetown; John McEachern, Mill View, Capt. Frank Gallant, Tignish; T. B. Grady, do; E. Watts, Moncton, N. B.; T. B. Hall, Summerside; J. A. Gordon, Quincey, Mass; Geo. Whitman, Montague; John McKimmon, do.

ROCKLIN HOUSE.

June 28—H. McLeod, Orwell; A. R. Boutlier, Halifax; J. H. Trean, Oxford, N. S.; T. T. Davis, Sackville, N. B.; Mr. Black, St. John, N. B.; Rev. S. Gunn, St. Peter's; Wm. Laird, New Glasgow; Miss Laird, do; Rev. Mr. McDonald, Dundas; Rev. W. Grant, West River; Mrs. Grant, do; A. C. Van Meter, Truro, N. S.; M. D. Fraser, Pictou, N. S.; J. P. Clark, Riverside, Maine; James Main, Petitcodiac, N. B.; Lawrence Murphy, Montague Bridge; J. McNevin, do; Neil McQuarrie, Crapaud.

BIRTH.

At Charlottetown, on the 27th inst., the wife of James E. Morrissey, of a son.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Halifax, June 26.—Arrived, Brig. Hector, of P. E. Island, St. John's, Nfld. to load ice for New York; Sch. Haleyon, Walker, Georgetown; Sch. Camellion, Orwell; Express, Palmer, Georgetown; Daniel, Roberts, Charlottetown; John Thomas, Lablanc, Vernon River, P. E. I.

Halifax, June 26.—Cleared, Sch. Active, Palmer, St. Peter's Bay.

DIED.

In Charlottetown, on Tuesday morning, June 25, after a long and protracted illness, Ellen Coles, of Bridgewater, England, wife of Capt. Neil Murchison, aged 24 years. [Funeral will leave her late residence, Bayfield street, on Wednesday morning, at 9.30. Friends and acquaintances will please attend.]

At Royalty Junction, on the 28th inst., of a group, Margaret L., youngest daughter of Aaron and Mary Diamond, aged 3 years.

**SEASIDE HOTEL!**  
RUSTICO BEACH, PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.  
(UNDER VICE-REGAL PATRONAGE.)

THIS Beautiful Watering Place will be open for the reception of Guests from the 24th June till the 15th September.

The above Hotel is situated in one of the most charming spots on the Island, having beautiful scenery, a bracing atmosphere, a beautiful beach, splendid surf-bathing, sea and river fishing, etc., etc. Good Tables. Moderate charges. Special arrangements made for Picnic and Dinner Parties, etc. Also the spacious Pavilion will be let for Picnic Parties, etc., at moderate charges.

Coach will leave Charlottetown every Wednesday and Saturday evening, calling for Guests; returning every Thursday and Monday morning, at 9 o'clock, a. m.

Also, arrangements have been made with Mr. Bagnall to meet trains from all points at Hunter River, for passage to Seaside—7 miles.

ADDRESS,  
**JOHN NEWSON & CO., Proprietors,**  
Charlottetown, P. E. Island.  
June 21, 1880.

**Encourage Home Manufactories.**

For all kinds of Crackers, Biscuits, Navy Bread, &c.,

—GO TO—

**"THE CITY STEAM BAKERY,"**  
PRINCE STREET.

10, 15, 20 and 30-lb. Boxes of  
**MIXED CRACKERS,**  
suitable for Housekeepers; put up and delivered in any part of the City. No charge made for boxes or cartage.

**REMEMBER!**  
All Crackers, &c., manufactured by me must be fresh, as they are made daily, which is a great advantage over the imported article, which is often otherwise.

**I HAVE NOW IN STOCK**  
the following kinds of Ship's Bread:  
200 Barrels No. 1 Pilot,  
180 Barrels Navy Bread,  
50 Barrels Captain's Pilot,  
which shall be sold cheaper than ever

**GOOD FAMILY FLOUR**  
Constantly on hand, and Cheap for Cash.

A Liberal Discount to Wholesale Buyers. Special prices offered to Committees of Church Parties, Picnics, &c. Catalogue and Price List mailed free to any address.

**JOHN QUIRK,**  
June 14, 1880. PROPRIETOR

**FRANKLIN HOUSE.**

THIS Large New House, beautifully situated on the highest land, adjacent to the City, is now open for the reception of guests. This House has the advantages of freedom from dust and heat of a country residence, and is only 20 minutes walk from the Post Office. A neat Cab will run in connection with this House, connecting with Cars and Steamers. Guests will be driven to and from the House free of charge. Cab will run at regular intervals each day. TERMS MODERATE.

**HENRY COOMBS,**  
Charlottetown, May 22, 1880—pat tf PROPRIETOR

**NEW OILCLOTHS!**

BEAUTIFUL NEW PATTERNS.

3 FEET WIDE,  
4 1/2 " " "  
6 " " "  
9 " " "  
12 " " "

**W. A. WEEKS & CO'S.**

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Charlottetown, May 18, 1880—tu th sat Queen Street

ESTABLISHED 1825.

**CANADA CORDAGE FACTORY.**  
JOHN A. CONVERSE, MONTREAL.

MANUFACTURER OF CORDAGE of Every Description, including all sizes Manilla Rope, Tarred Manilla Hawers, Lobster Marlin, Tarred Hemp Rope, Houseline, Hambroline, &c., equal in quality to the best American. Prices on application.  
Jan. 7, 1880.

**Fish Salt For Sale.**  
7000 BUSHELS Very White LISBON SALT, suitable for Codfish and Mackerel. Apply to  
LONGWORTH & CO.  
Ch'town, June 10, 1880. 3w 2iew

**Turnip Seed. Turnip Seed.**  
JUST RECEIVED, a quantity of the Celebrated Skirving, Laing, Champion and Shanroek. All warranted fresh and good.  
ROBERTSON & CAMERON.  
May 31, 1880.—30i

**EXCURSIONISTS**  
**LOOK HERE!**

ALL WHO WISH TO SPEND  
**Dominion Day**  
In a delightful part of the country, should attend the  
**TEA PARTY AT CARDIGAN ROAD**  
On that day. Return Tickets at reduced fare. Don't fail to attend.  
P. S. MULLIGAN, Secy.  
June 26, 1880—s tu

**DOMINION DAY!**  
**EXCURSION.**

Charlottetown to Pictou and Return,  
FARE, ONE DOLLAR.

The Steamer "St. Lawrence"  
WILL leave Company's Wharf at half-past seven THURSDAY MORNING, the 1st JULY, for Pictou, returning to Charlottetown about eight o'clock in the evening.  
By order,  
F. W. HALES, Secretary.  
Ch'town, June 25, '80.

**Wholesale Supplies.**

ON HAND AND TO ARRIVE, at LOWEST CASH PRICES.—

200 lbs. White Buns FLOUR,  
100 lbs. Otter Creek " "  
150 lbs. Choice Kiln Dried CORNMEAL,  
30 doz. BROOMS,  
18 doz. BUCKETS,  
7 casks WASHING SODA,  
15 boxes LEMONS,  
700 lbs. Bright MAPLE SUGAR,  
3 tons OATMEAL (Choice),  
Bbls. SPLIT PEAS,  
Bbls. PEPPER,  
Coils ROPE,  
Kegs BAKING SODA,  
5 casks Choice SYRUPS,  
Boxes Choice CONFECTIONERY,  
Frais DATES,  
50 gross CORKS,  
WASH BOARDS & CLOTHES PINS,  
Cases MATCHES,  
Casks KEROSENE,  
Boxes Bartlett's BLUE,  
Cases POTASH.

**BEER & COFF.**  
Ch'town, June 23, 1880.

**DOMINION DAY.**  
**EXCURSION**  
TO ORWELL AND BACK.

The B. C. Sunday School Picnic and Excursion.

THE Steamer "Heather Belle" will leave Steam Navigation Company's Wharf at 9.30 a. m., sharp, returning at about 8 p. m. Tickets for the Excursion 40 cents each, for sale at J. W. Pickard's and J. Knight & Son. Refreshments for sale on the grounds. The public are invited.  
Charlottetown, June 17, 1880.

**Nut Coal. Nut Coal.**

FREE from Slate and Fire Clay. Also Round and Slack, at Albion Mines, Pictou, Nova Scotia. For orders apply to  
G. W. DEBLOIS,  
Sole Agent for P. E. Island.

**Old Sydney Mines, Cape Breton.**  
Lingan Mines, Cape Breton.

ORDERS for Round Coal can be obtained on application to  
Terms as usual. G. W. DEBLOIS,  
Sole Agent for P. E. Island.  
Office, No. 35 Water Street, Charlottetown.  
June 17, 1880—pat her sj kca tf

**ROMAN PUNCH,**  
**Ice Cream,**  
**Fruit Ices,**  
**Water Ices.**

AS I intend paying special attention to my Ice Cream department this season, I invite the public to call where they can be furnished with the best assortment of Ice Creams and Ices to be had in the City. All made from the best material. To parties ordering Creams or Ices we guarantee satisfaction or no charge.

A. MCKENZIE,  
Confectioner, Queen Street,  
Charlottetown, June 19, 1880.

**CHOICE SYRUPS.**

GET your SYRUPS at "THE CONFECTIONERY," opposite the Market House. I use only the best Sugar and the purest and freshest flavorings in manufacturing Syrups. No glucose to make it thick. Parties ordering, will please do so early, so that they may get the Syrups made fresh, and consequently nicer than when old and stale.

WM. KENNEDY.  
June 21, 1880—pat no

**At the Fish Market.**  
FRESH HALIBUT, Codfish and Mackerel; also, Smoked Alewives and Finnan Haddies.  
Charlottetown, June 3, 1880.