

Local and Other Items.

HAY is scarce just now, and the price asked to-day is 55 cents per hundred.

SEARCH the wide world over, and nothing to equal St. Jacobs Oil can be found.

SEVERAL communications on Civic affairs, unavoidably crowded out, will appear on Monday.

THE past has been a very quiet week at the Sundry Magistrate's Court. The docket was every day nil.

WE understand that the amount realized at the Cornwell tea and apron fair was about \$300, after deducting expenses.

THE meeting at Powall Hall was postponed until Monday, the 28th instant. It will then take place at the hour before mentioned.

L. B. ARCHIBALD, Esq., will arrive home to-night by train from County Line. Mrs. Archibald remains for the present at Truro.

REV. E. OSBORNE crossed at the Capes to-day, and will arrive in the city to-night. He will preach both morning and evening at St. Peter's Church to-morrow.

CHARLOTTETOWN Representatives attending Grand Division on Wednesday next, will leave by the 8.15 train. The session will, weather permitting, open at Margate at 11.30, a. m. Public meeting at 7.30, p. m.

THE Rev. Mr. Lavers took charge of the Baptist Church at North River a fortnight ago. He was tendered a cordial reception by the people of that flourishing settlement, and was presented with a valuable buffalo robe.

A FIRST-CLASS fancy dress carnival will be held in the Skating Rink, Summerside, on Monday evening next. A very large number of Summerside's fairest will appear on the ice, and we learn that a number of skaters from Charlottetown intend to take part in the affair.

SIX boats containing over eighty bags of mail matter and having twenty passengers, left Cape Tormentine this morning and arrived at Cape Traverse shortly after four o'clock this evening. Two boats with mails and passengers also crossed to Cape Tormentine to-day.

WE are pleased to learn that Judge Alley has consented to deliver a lecture (the second of the course) before the Young Men's Christian Association, on Monday, 29th instant. The interesting subject—"Prince Edward Island one hundred years ago"—will, no doubt, with the known ability of the lecturer, draw a very large house.

IT is a curious fact that if in midwinter the mails are detained by storm at the Capes, during the week, they seldom escape arriving in this city late on Saturday night or on Sunday. We are informed that for the last three or four years, with few exceptions, mails detained at the Capes arrived here, and had to be assorted on Sunday.

MR. KENNEDY'S paper—read before the Educational Institute, last evening, is brimful of ideas and pleasantries. Mr. Kennedy denies that there is any sentiment about a Monarchy which makes it abler than a Republic to control a great Colonial Empire; and contends that the English nation—the great colony-holding nation of the world—is and always has been practically Republican. Any one who begins reading it, will read it through.

SEVERAL members of the Y. M. C. A. Debating Club and Literary Society met in the Parlor of the Y. M. C. A., on Wednesday, the 17th instant. After a short discussion, it was unanimously agreed to continue the meetings of the Club and Society, on Wednesday, the 24th instant, at which time the officers for the year will be elected. Subject for discussion—"Should the State contribute to the higher education of the people?"—to be opened by H. C. McDonald.

SUPREME COURT.—The Supreme Court was to have met this morning to sentence the prisoners convicted during the present Hilary Term, and to hear arguments for new trials, etc., but owing to the indisposition of Judge Poirer the Court stands adjourned until Tuesday next.

THE Chief-Justice this morning further adjourned the Muttart-McIntyre election trial until the 27th inst. when it is expected judgment will be delivered.

SHERIFF'S MEETING.—We trust that our representative men, regardless of party politics or political or sectional feelings of any kind, will attend the meeting, Monday evening in the Market Hall, called by the Sheriff, as advertised in our columns. We also do hope and trust that leading merchants and exporters of Island produce will give their practical knowledge relative to the important questions under consideration.

IT is evidently unfair that only a few of the many citizens who own dogs, pay dog tax. Everyone who can afford to keep a dog, can afford to pay the sum levied; and, if he fails to pay it he should be forced to—or forfeit the dog. The by-law under which the tax is levied is very lame. Dog tax should be collected as the horse and carriage tax, and other taxes are collected—and not by the Clerk of the Sundry Magistrate's Court who is not a prosecuting officer. We hope to see this fault remedied.

OUR "devil," rapidly wending his way through our magnificent snow-unmended ways, heard the following colloquy:

First able-bodied citizen—"Nice ticket for Ward 3?"

Second A. B. C.—"What's that?"

First A. B. C.—"Fowle, Crabbe, and Campbell, three of the most diverse specimens of Animal Kingdom in the whole City circus menagerie."

Second A. B. C.—"Fell prone in five feet of snow—revived by being conveyed to 'Chappelle,' where he took a Horns. Was doused with cold water until he got killed, after which he said he didn't want any more such 'Tanton.'—Com.

AFTER all we of Charlottetown are not so badly off this winter. We have the Young Men's Christian Association, the Catholic Young Men's Institute, the Educational Institute, a Shakespearean Club, and several reading and musical societies in active operation.

And between lectures and lecture readings, concerts and debates, the winter is passing pleasantly away. Among those who will instruct and entertain us ere the springtime comes, are Mr. Thomas A. LePage, one of the most talented of our young men who remain on the Island; Dr. Jenkins, who is emphatically a man of fine ideas; Rev. G. W. Hodgson, who has consented to read a paper before the Educational Institute, Mr. Francis Bain, the farmer naturalist and geologist, of his I-land Home, and Professor Anderson, who adorns every subject he discusses.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The French Legitimist Conspiracy.

LONDON, Jan. 20.

Despatches from Rome assert that the Legitimist Conspiracy in the west of France was organized by Charette. Many of the Army officers are implicated, and large quantities of arms and ammunition were found at the Depot.

The *La Voltaire* says the rising at Lavandee was contemplated for the 21st instant.

Paris papers admit that there was a conspiracy, but says the reports of it were exaggerated.

Prince Saplokin, the Anarchist leader, recently arrested at Lyons, has been sentenced to five years imprisonment and fined 2,000 francs.

Breadful Explosion.

LONDON, Jan. 20.

A gunpowder factory exploded yesterday at Mairden, Holland. The town was totally wrecked. It is feared that forty persons are killed.

Duty on Tobacco.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.

It is said that the Government has intimated that the excise duty on tobacco will be reduced next session.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Jan. 20—10 a. m.

Moderate winds, fair weather, possibly followed by light snow in some localities.

The clerk of the Brockton House, Brockton, Mass., Mr. Alfred S. Backus, writes that he was almost immediately cured by St. Jacobs Oil of a severe case of rheumatism.

A SNOW SLIDE occurred at Mosquito Mountain, about fifteen miles from Leadville, on the 12th instant. A body of snow nearly a quarter of a mile long, one hundred yards wide and fifteen feet deep, swept down the mountain side at a great velocity, carrying everything in its course. Two miners, unable to escape, were caught in the avalanche and hurled a distance of 100 yards down the mountain. Although still alive when found, they were frozen in a shocking manner, and their recovery is doubtful.

No earthly reason exists for suffering with rheumatism. St. Jacobs Oil has reversed the order of things.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 10th inst., by Rev. A. H. Laver, Duncan McNeill, Esq., of Her Majesty's Customs, Charlottetown, to Miss Jennina McEwen of West River.

THE ORCHESTRAL CLUB GRAND CONCERT!

WILL TAKE PLACE ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND,

Y. M. C. A. HALL.

Programme will appear in this paper shortly. Jan. 20, 1883.

MR. T. A. LEPAGE

LECTURE,

under the auspices of the Charlottetown Educational Institute, in the

Y. M. C. A. HALL,

Tuesday, 23rd instant.

SUBJECT:

"The Place and Work of the Poet."

To be concluded by the singing SEVERAL SOLOS.

Doors open at 7.30 o'clock, p. m.; Lecture to commence at 8.

Tickets, 10 cents; to be had at door.

J. M. DUNCAN, Sec'y of Committee. Ch'town, Jan. 20, 1883.

BUY FUR CAPS,

Warm Tweed & Cloth Caps, MEN'S REEFERS, &c.,

—AT— F. LePAGE & CO'S.

A Large Stock Selling at Cost to Clear.

Glasgow House,

53 QUEEN STREET. Ch'town, Jan. 11, 1883.—2awwy

1883! OUR ACCOUNTS to December 28th, have just been rendered; and we would take this means of asking for an immediate settlement, and trust that our friends will respond to this call.

PERKINS & STERNS. Charlottetown, Jan. 2, 1883.

LONDON HOUSE. JANUARY, 1883.

OPENING EX "NORTHERN LIGHT."

- Black and Colored Cashmeres, Black Plush Velveteens, Colored Velveteens, Table Napkins, Black Muslins, Black Gros Grain Ribbons, Black Moire Ribbons, Black Kid Gloves, Black Casbains, Coat Canvas, Striped Hessians, Sheetting, Winceys, etc., etc.

GEO. DAVIES & CO. Charlottetown, Jan. 6, 1883.

FURNITURE, FURNITURE, AT COST.

Opposite Post Office, Charlottetown.

BEDSTEADS, Chairs, Tables, Washstands, Sofas, Lounges, Parlor, and Drawing Room Bedroom Suits, Looking Glasses and Mirrors, Window Furniture, Picture Frames and Picture Mouldings.

JOHN NEWSON. Charlottetown, Jan. 2, 1883.—1y

WINTER WEAR.

D. A. BRUCE, MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAS JUST OPENED 100 FUR CAPS, 200 CLOTH CAPS.

FROM THE FINEST TO THE CHEAPEST QUALITIES, AND IN THE LATEST STYLES.

—ALSO— FUR COATS, IN COON AND ASTRACHAN,

These Goods must be sold, and are offered at the lowest prices. Call and see for yourselves. Charlottetown Nov. 21st, 1882—2m sat to th wkly

IN THE Y. M. C. A. HALL,

ON FRIDAY, 28th INST.,

EARLE'S GRAND CONCERT.

Tickets, 25 cents; to be had at C. D. Rankin's and Fraser & Reddie's Drug Stores. Jan. 12, 1883.

THE BEACH, MURRAY HARBOR SOUTH, FOR SALE.

TENDERS from parties wishing to purchase the above well known and valuable property, will be received by my Solicitors, Messrs. Warburton & Conroy, at their Office, in Charlottetown, up to and including the 20th day of February next, 1883.

TERMS—25 per cent. of the purchase money in cash, to be deposited in a Bank to be named by my Solicitors immediately on acceptance of tender, and to be transferred over to them as soon as the transfer of the property is executed; the balance to be paid in three equal yearly payments, with interest at six per cent. per annum, to be secured on the property, and by approved Insurance Policies upon the buildings situated thereon.

The property consists of— 1. Large, well-built Lobster Factory, fully equipped and splendidly located.

2. Large, two-story Shop, with Oil House, Offices, etc.

3. Fish-house, large and conveniently situated.

4. Large, well-built, two-story, flat-roofed Warehouse, new, situated close to the outer end of Wharf.

5. Splendid new Dwelling House, large and well finished, with first-rate cellars, etc.

6. Tin Shop and Fittings.

7. Two Cottages, Blacksmith's Shop, Stable, and other outhouses.

8. A good Wharf, situate at end of Beach, immediately in rear of buildings. This Wharf is at the entrance of the Harbor, and is the latest place for shipping in that section of the Island.

The above properties have been built at a cost of upwards of \$30,000, and are now in good repair.

The "Beach" is especially adapted for the Lobster Canning and Meat Preserving Business, the out-put of Lobsters for the past five years averaging over 4,500 cases per annum, while the stand has excellent shipping facilities, and is one of the very best in the Island for Cod and Hake fishing, and for the general trade of the country, which tends towards the Wharf and the Beach Fishery.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Warburton & Conroy, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

MALCOLM McFADYEN, Murray Harbor, 2nd January, 1883. [Jan 5 1w wly till Feb 20]

FOR SALE.

Lea's Sash and Door Factory, SAWING & PLANING MILL,

Is now offered for sale.

THE above property will be sold to suit purchasers, as it now stands, or buildings and land will be sold separate from machinery.

Also, that COMFORTABLE DWELLING HOUSE, situated on Cumberland Street, near Grafton.

For further particulars apply to the owner on the premises, PAUL LEA.

Ch'town, Jan. 5, 1883.

NOTICE.

BEING about to make a change in my business, it is necessary that all amounts due me be paid on or before the twentieth January, 1883. All amounts not paid will be sued for then, without further notice.

PAUL LEA. Sash and Door Factory, Ch'town, Jan. 5, '83.

A SETTLEMENT

OF all Accounts now due is requested by February 1st. After that date summary proceedings will be taken to collect overdue accounts.

Call with your cash and get bargains in Furniture. JOHN NEWSON. Ch'town, Jan. 10, '83.—11 feb 1

Coke. Coke.

COKE is considered to be one of the best and cheapest kinds of fuel for BASE BURNER STOVES and particularly suited for the DENMARK SOFT C OAL STOVE, now so much in use. A first-class quality of Coke can now be had at the Gas Works, for ten cents per bushel. Ch'town, Jan. 8, 1883.—1m cod

CIVIC ELECTION BY THE MAYOR.

IN pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of this Island, made and passed in the forty-third year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intitled "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.'"

I do hereby give Public Notice that an Election of a Mayor and One Person to Serve as a Common Councilman in the City Council for each Ward of said City,

Being in all a MAYOR and FIVE COMMON COUNCILMEN, will be held on

WEDNESDAY,

the 24th Day of January, A. D. 1883,

At the several places, that is to say:

In Ward No. 1, at or near the Store of Messrs. J. & T. Morris, corner of Queen and Water Streets.

In Ward No. 2, at or near the house of Mr. Thomas Connolly, opposite Mr. R. Heartz's Warehouse, Sydney Street, between Great George and Prince Streets.

In Ward No. 3, at or near the Market House.

In Ward No. 4, at or near the Fire Engine House, fronting on Kent Street, east, between Weymouth and Cumberland Streets.

In Ward No. 5, at or near the House of Widow Tierney, corner of Easton and Great George Streets.

And at the said Election the Poll will be opened at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continue open until five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

DESCRIPTION OF WARDS.

Number One shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Dorchester Street, and the parcel of land formerly known as the Military Barrack Ground.

Number Two shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Richmond Street and north of Dorchester Street.

Number Three shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Grafton Street and north of Richmond Street.

Number Four shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Fitzroy and north of Grafton Streets.

Number Five shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies north of Fitzroy Street, including the Common of the said Town.

NOMINATION DAY.

Act 43, Victoria, Cap. 15.—"Seven Days before the time of any and every election for Mayor or Councillors, the Person or Candidates for the office of Mayor or Councillor shall give their names in as such Candidates to the City Clerk, and the City Clerk shall duly enter the names, residences and addresses of such persons, together with the office and wards for which they are candidates, and such entry, when made, shall be deemed nomination for such candidates."

There shall be paid by each person so nominated for Mayor, at the same time, a fee of ten dollars, and by each person so nominated as Councillor, a fee of five dollars which sums shall go toward paying the cost of the election.

No person shall be qualified either for the office of Mayor or Councillor unless such nomination be made in manner and at the time aforesaid.

The time appointed for the nomination of candidates, shall be from the tenth of twelve at noon, until the hour of four o'clock in the afternoon of the day fixed for that purpose.

Qualification of Electors, see Act 43, Victoria, Cap. 15, sec. 20 and 64.

DAVID R. M. HOOPER, Mayor of City of Charlottetown.

WM. B. MORRISON, City Clerk. Mayor's Office, Charlottetown, January 2nd, 1883.—11 24 dly

To the Electors of Ward No. 1, Charlottetown:

GENTLEMEN,—At the request of many of the electors of the above Ward, I have consented to be a candidate, and, if elected, I will endeavor to look after the interests of an over-taxed city.

JOHN BALL. Ch'town, Jan. 16, '83.

To the Electors of Ward 2.

GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a large number of the Electors to offer myself as a candidate for the representation of Ward 2, at the City Council, I beg to inform you that I have acceded to their request. If you do me the honor to elect me, I shall use my best efforts to keep down taxation and the expenditure.

I am, Gentlemen, Your obedient servant, J. B. MACDONALD. Jan. 9, 1883.

To the Electors of Ward 3:

GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a large number of the Electors of this Ward, I have consented to offer as a candidate for City Councillor, at the coming Civic Election.

Soliciting your support, I am, yours respectfully, THOMAS CAMPBELL. Ch'town, Jan. 13, 1883.—11 24

To the Electors of Ward 4:

GENTLEMEN.—Thankful for the expression of confidence in me, which you exhibited at a public meeting of the Ward, by nominating me as a candidate for City Councillor, I most cordially accept the nomination, and solicit your active co-operation in securing my election.

I am, most respectfully yours, WILLIAM LADNER. Ch'town, Jan. 3, 1883.—3l

To the Electors of Ward 5.

GENTLEMEN,—As my term of office as Councillor expires, I will again contest the Ward in the interests of good government and economy.

Soliciting your support, I am, Yours respectfully, T. A. McLEAN. Jan. 4, 1883.—pat

JOB PRINTING of every description executed with neatness and dispatch at the EXAMINER'S JOB PRINTING ROOMS, cor. Water and Great George Streets