

Local and Other Items.

SUPREME COURT.—The Supreme Court will meet at Summerside on the 1st October next.

CIVIC ELECTION.—The Summerside civic election takes place on the 7th October next, nomination on the 28th inst.

FREIGHT ADVANCING.—It is reported that coal freights at Sydney have gone up 35 cents within the last ten days.

REPEAL OF THE SCOTT.—The voting on the repeal of the Scott Act in Fredericton will take place on November 28th.

PROMENADE CONCERT.—If the weather is favorable the Citizens' Band will perform on Queen Square this evening.

S. OF T.—Victoria Division of the Sons of Temperance meets this evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren are always welcome.

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.—The Natural History Society meets to-morrow, at 4 p. m., in McLeod's Hall. All are invited.

THE M. A. STARR.—This steamer arrived from Pughwash and the usual intermediate ports on Saturday night. She will sail again to-night.

THE RIFLE.—The annual prize meeting of the Queen's County Rifle Association will be held on Wednesday next, commencing at 8 o'clock.

BALDNESS is says a scientist. Its catching flies in summer time. Use Hall's Hair Renewer and cover the bald place with healthy hair and flies won't trouble.

PRINCE COUNTY EXHIBITION.—The Prince County Exhibition will be held at Summerside on Wednesday next. That thriving town is brightening up for the event.

SCHOOLS RE-OPENED.—The Summerside schools, closed owing to the prevalence of scarletina in that town, were re-opened today. There was a fair attendance.

LA BONNE ST. ANNE.—There were fully 4000 pilgrims at La Bonne St. Anne on Sunday week. There were two pilgrims from Quebec and there were also pilgrims from Lewis and St. David.

FOOTBALL.—The semi-annual meeting of the Abegweit Football Club will be held in the Upper Parlor of the Y. M. C. A., this evening, at 7.30 o'clock, sharp. All interested should attend.—C. Leigh, jr., Secy.

MASONIC.—A special meeting of Victoria Lodge, No. 2, A. F. and A. M., will be held in Masonic Hall to-morrow (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock sharp. The 2nd degree will be conferred. Visiting brethren cordially welcomed.

POLICE COURT.—This morning Francis McCarey was fined \$4 or 20 days for drunkenness. Three lads summoned for destroying fruit were discharged as was also another lad arraigned for using indecent language. An assault case was settled.

If you could see your own scalp through an ordinary magnifying glass, you would be amazed at the amount of dust, dandruff, and dead skin thereon accumulated. The best and most popular preparation for cleansing the scalp is Ayer's Hair Vigor.

WITH a feeble appetite and imperfect digestion, it is impossible for the body to secure the requisite amount of nourishment. Ayer's Sarsaparilla not only stimulates the desire for food, but aids the assimilative organs in the formation of good blood and sound tissue.

REPAIRS.—Some repairs to Souris Breakwater, requiring immediate attention, are being done by day's work, and will be completed this month. The balance of the amount granted last session will be expended in placing heavy stone on the seaside of the work. This will be done by contract.

AQUATIC.—The challenge of Messrs. McKenna and Collins, of Charlottetown, for a double-scul race, has been accepted by Messrs. Carroll and Macdonald, of Pictou. The race will take place on Charlottetown harbor, on the 2nd October, and will be for \$150 a side. There will likely be other races on the same day.

CAUSE OF THE DELAY.—The disastrous fire at Kensington on Saturday last delayed the mail train from Charlottetown so that the steamer was unable to leave for Point du Chene until eleven o'clock. This, of course, caused a corresponding delay in leaving Point du Chene, and the mail was, therefore, late in reaching Charlottetown at night.

COUNTY EXHIBITIONS.—Exhibition Commissioners wishing to visit the County Exhibitions this week will receive passes by special train leaving Charlottetown for Summerside next Wednesday, Sept. 25th at 8.45 a. m., local time, and for Georgetown Thursday, Sept. 26th, at 9 a. m. Apply to A. McNeill, Secretary Provincial Exhibition.

A GREAT ATTRACTION COMING.—As will be seen by advertisement the Schoff Concert Company is to appear at the Lyceum on Friday evening next, presenting a strong programme. The organization includes Miss Josie Schoff, soloist of the Orpheus club, who has a voice of rare sweetness. "Diamond and Diamond" will be a feature of the programme. This piece is full of taking music, and gives splendid opportunities for acting. Lovers of music should turn out in full force on this occasion.

COMPARING FAVORABLY.—The Patriotic Souris correspondent writes to that paper to say that THE EXAMINER'S SOURIS NOTES, of the 17th inst., would compare favorably with low Western journalism. That's all right. Our wish is to always compare favorably with such journalism. Ignorance of the Queen's English has made our contemporary's would-be critic unintentionally complimentary. And, for all that, there are some who say that he once had a seat at the Board of Education; but if he ever had, it must have been a long time ago.

EXHIBITION NOTES.—Judging by the number of exhibits already entered in the different departments, it may be fairly assumed that on the second and third of October there will be witnessed at Charlottetown the largest gathering for some years. The special attention of exhibitors in the live stock classes who are residents of Charlottetown and vicinity, is earnestly directed to the necessity of having their exhibits entered before Friday next, the 27th inst., that being market day, and the last day for receiving live stock entries, the Secretary's office as usual will be crowded from morning until night with country exhibitors. The time for receiving entries in all classes of live stock will close according to rule on Friday next, the 27th of September at 6 o'clock p. m.—A. McNeill, Secretary.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

THE QUEBEC DISASTER.

RELIEVING THE SUFFERERS.

Some Startling Discoveries.

QUEBEC, Sept. 22.

The work yesterday of removing the debris of Thursday night's awful landslide was fearfully slow, though half a battery of artillery, a troop of cavalry and a hundred men employed by the Corporation were hard at work. It was a gigantic task to move the debris, when pulled apart, for it was hemmed in as a solid mass between piles of coal standing on the wharves behind the houses and the mass of rock fallen from the cliff.

It was not until morning dawned yesterday that the full extent and nature of the calamity became apparent, the slide having broken all the electric light lamps in the vicinity. Locomotion throughout the afflicted district during the night was impossible without the aid of torches and then it was exceedingly difficult. One street that winds around the base of the citadel was piled with millions of cubic feet of all sizes, some nearly as large as a house.

When daylight dawned the enormous cavity from which the destroying avalanche had fallen, startled everybody. It had left a plain, smooth surface behind it, showing that a visible seam or cleft of rock might have been detected long ago had the locality only been subjected to inspection.

In other neighboring masses of overhanging rocks large seams also exist; and the men who worked all Thursday night under the shadow of threatening evils, shuddered yesterday at the first sight of the danger which had hung over them.

There is no question that the responsibility for the neglect of the proper precautions in regard to the public safety from this property belongs properly to the federal authorities who claim control of, and in whom is vested for the time being, all ordinance property of which the site of the citadel and Dufferin Terrace are important parts. Sir Hector Langevin has recognized this by wiring the chairman of the Municipal Road Committee that the city should engage men to clear away the debris and send in an account to the Government.

The dead number 26, who have been identified, and several others not recognized. The injured number 16. About 36 persons are missing.

A Big Deal in Sight.

DETROIT, Sept. 22.

A deal of magnitude is in sight. Some time ago Hiram Waller, who owns a big distillery in Walkerville, just across the river from Detroit, and has 3,000,000 gallons of whiskey in his warehouses, conceived the scheme of getting all the distilleries and whiskey in Canada under one management, and took J. P. Weizer, a large distiller, and Gooderau & Worth, of Toronto, in with him. They decided, more than three months ago, to send representatives to England to confer with English capitalists and form a trust. It was understood that each firm was to send representatives to England and men are now in England, accompanied by one of the ablest lawyers in Canada, and it is probable that the deal will be made. It is one of the largest money transactions of recent times, and involves millions of dollars. Every gallon of whiskey in Canada will be bought, and the distilleries will go with it.

Civil Service Pensions.

OTTAWA, Sept. 21.

A circular despatch has been received by the Government from the Colonial office in Downing street, with reference to civil imperial service pensions. Officers transferred from the imperial service to the civil service of Canada are given to understand that on their retirement from the Canadian service, if they are under 60 years of age, the Hon. Commissioners of the British Treasury will not give them any pension unless their retirement is caused by ill-health or abolition of office.

Sham Fight at Hanover.

BERLIN, Sept. 21.

A sham fight took place at Hanover yesterday between troops using the ordinary powder and others using the new smokeless kind. The great superiority of the smokeless powder was fully shown, the many failing to judge the distance or direction of the fire, and the absence of smoke insuring rapidity and better aim to those using the smokeless.

The East African Blockade.

ZANZIBAR, Sept. 21.

An English cutter has captured a dhow off Pemba with 131 slaves on board. It is rumored that the East African blockade will be terminated within a week.

Local Notices.

Grey white, red, and fancy flannels, best value, at Stanley Brothers, Brown's Block, sep23 600d.

New Buckwheat at Beer & Goff's. sep23 3i

Cranberries and Sweet Potatoes just received at Beer & Goff's. sep23 3i

E. H. Norton & Co. will continue their apple sale to-morrow at 10.30 o'clock, closing out 70 barrels gravensteins. They have no advice of any other shipments to arrive for ten days.

Dr. L. Brehaut, who has been practicing for two years and a half at Murray Harbor South, has moved to Mount Albion, Lot 48, where he will reside in future and practice his profession. See advt.

Ladies' and children's underwears, a large assortment, all prices, at Stanley Brothers, Brown's Block. sep23 600d.

Ladies German-made underwears in all sizes. See them at Paton & Co's.

Personal.

The Rev. W. W. Brewer has not quite recovered from a severe attack of sickness. He is now at Souris, where he intends remaining a short time for the benefit of his health.

The North Sydney Herald says: Mrs. J. P. Brennan, who has been spending several months with her mother, Mrs. McKenna, left for her home in Alberton, P. E. I., by str. Neptune on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Capt. Foley and family, who have been residing in North Sydney for the last two years, left by str. Neptune on Sunday evening for P. E. Island. So says the North Sydney Herald.

We regret to hear that Rev. D. F. Macdonald, of Souris, has been laid aside through sickness for the last few days. We hope soon to hear, however, of his being on foot again. His Lordship Bishop McIntyre visited him on Saturday.

Rev. Father Gillis, of East Point, returned to his parishioners on Saturday. He was heartily welcomed home again. On last Sunday he gave a highly interesting sketch of his visit to Rome. The rev. gentleman looks well after his long journey.

Mr. Oswald Hornsby, of the Merchants Bank of Halifax, Charlottetown, left this morning to spend a few weeks holidays in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. We wish him a pleasant time.

Mr. W. P. Colwell and family, who moved from Charlottetown to Washington Territory last fall, intending to make their home there, returned on Thursday evening to Charlottetown, where they propose again settling down. They brought with them the embalmed body of their ten-year-old daughter, who died in June last of spinal meningitis, for interment. —Agriculturist.

Horse Notes.

Two Island horses—Confidence, Jr., and Whistler—captured the three-minute race at Moncton last week, and Minnie Grey third in the 2.40 class.

On Tuesday last, says the Summerside Agriculturist, Mr. Win. T. Ellis, of Biddeford, shipped to a Mr. McNamee, of Cambridge, Mass., a very fine Black Harry colt, sixteen months old, out of a very nice mare, based on Saladin. This colt is a really handsome individual, and Mr. Ellis informs us that he realized a very good figure for him.

The Moncton Times says: A recent visitor to the Island Province says great interest is felt in the opening of the Charlottetown Driving Park. Two days grand racing will take place on the 2nd and 3rd of October. There are many fine young horses and foals in and near Charlottetown. Preceptor's stock is very highly spoken of. One of the finest is Mr. John Cameron's filly foal from his mare Yankee Girl, the dam of Blackbird, the little mare that did such good work on the Maritime turf last autumn.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Sept. 23.—10 a. m. Westerly winds, fine cool weather.

DIED.

At Lafayette, Indiana, U. S., Sept 8th, of heat disease, William Henry, second son of Alexander and Mary Anne McNeill, of Lot 49, in the 42nd year of his age.

HAWKER'S TOLU AND CHERRY.

A Favorite and Most Valuable Remedy for all Throat and Lung Diseases.

It has cured hundreds of cases considered hopeless. It soothes, heals and strengthens the diseased or irritated Throat and Lungs in a very short time. Just a few doses will cure a fresh cold if taken in time. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale at the Drug Stores.

W. HAWKER & SON, Proprietors, St. John, N. B.

For St. John's, Newfoundland.

THE S. S. "COBAN," for St. John's Newfoundland, will be due at Charlottetown on TUESDAY MORNING, 24th inst., and will carry Cattle and Sheep on deck. For Freight or Passage apply to

EAKE BROS. & CO., Agents. sep21-21ns

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

POTATOES.—The undersigned will accept offers until Saturday next, the 28th inst., for the purchase of Three Acres of Potatoes, now nearly ready to be dug, in a field on the St. Peter's Road, about one and a half miles from town, opposite the "Gardiner Property," owned by JOHN INGS. pd 3i—sep23

WANTED TO PURCHASE.—A small, second hand Writing Desk, about 18x18 inches. Apply at this office. 11—sep21

LOST.—In or near the Market House, on Tuesday, the 17th inst., a purse containing a small sum of money. The finder will please leave the same at this office or with the Market Clerk. 11—sep18

WANTED.—For October 4th, a plain Cook. No washing. Apply at this office. sep18

MONEY TO LOAN.—Repayable by instalments to suit applicants.—FRASER W. L. MOORE, Solicitor, London House Block. sep18-1w

HOUSE TO RENT.—A large, well-furnished House, with all modern improvements. Possession given about 1st October next. Apply to Mrs. JOHN GAHAN, Sidney Street. sep19-1w 60d

WANTED.—A Clerk, one with some experience preferred. Apply to MILLER BROTHERS, Queen Street. 11—sep17

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A Girl for general housework, one who understands cooking. Good wages will be given. Apply at this office. 11—sep16

TO LET.—Shop and Dwelling House on Upper Queen Street. Apply to J. McGill. ang31, 11

MISS GREEN would like to form a class of three or four ladies for French conversation. Apply at the residence of the Rev. Fred. E. J. Lloyd, Pownall Street. sep19

TO LET.—The corner tenement of the Dwelling House on corner of Prince and Dorchester Streets. It contains eight rooms, is supplied with water and heated with hot water. Possession 2nd October next.—GEORGE ALLEY. sep17

GRAND EXHIBITION!

Reefers, Overcoats, Suits, Pants, Childrens' Suits, Ladies' Dress Goods, Sacque Cloths, Ulsters, &c., in fact the Largest Stock ever shown on P. E. Island, at

PROWSE BROS., THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MEN.

We would like to make close figures, but we can't do it. There is no more room for reduction. To cut down the selling price a little more would be to cut into the cost price, and that would be digging the ground from under our own feet. Already we are too close for comfort to the cost mark, and must sell lots of goods at those prices to make it pay, but the more we sell the cheaper we can sell; so if you want the price cutters to rule, patronize the price cutters. They work in your interest; they save you money. If you don't want the best goods for the lowest money then stay away from

PROWSE BROS., THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MEN.

Charlottetown, Sept. 23, 1889—cod wky

NEW FALL GOODS FROM ENGLAND,

NOW OPENING AT

J. B. MACDONALD'S.

Charlottetown, September 2, 1889—sod wky

Ladies' Dress Robes, Dress Cloths-Shawls, Mantles, Black and Colored Plushes, Hosiery, Merinos and Cash, meres, Flannels, Knitted Wool Goods, etc., selling at Lowest Prices.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Charlottetown, September 2, 1889—sod wky

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Passengers booked to and from all the principal Cities in Great Britain, Ireland and the Continent.

For rates of passage or other information apply to FENTON T. NEWBERRY, Agent for P. E. Island. sep4

Potato Baskets.

2000 INDIAN MAKE. For sale by CARVELL BROS. sep17-2aw

A COOK BOOK FREE

By mail to any lady sending us her post office address. Wells, Richardson & Co., Montreal.

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY. County Exhibitions.

A SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAIN will leave Charlottetown for Summerside at 7.45 a. m. on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 25th, inst., returning at 4 p. m. same day. A Special Train will also leave Charlottetown for Georgetown at 8 a. m. on THURSDAY, Sept. 25th, inst., returning at 3.45 same evening.

These trains will stop only at regular stations. Return tickets will be issued by same at single first-class fares.

J. UNSWORTH, Superintendent. Railway Office, Charlottetown, Sept. 18, 1889. pat eod

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The Eastern Assurance Co. of Canada.

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FRED. W. HYNDMAN, Agent for P. E. I. Charlottetown, Aug. 6, 1889—ti

APPLES.

WE are regularly in receipt, direct from the packers, of NO. 1 GRAVENSTEINS, and will hold this kind in constant supply, and will sell at very close prices to the trade. Orders solicited.

CARVELL BROS. sep18—pat 2w 2aw

FRESH GRAPES.

BLACK HAMBURG AND WHITE GRAPES at 35 cents per pound. Orders will be received daily at the Store of Messrs. Beer & Goff. pd 2w t1—sep17

CARD.

MISS MINNIE GALLANT, Milliner, is now working at her home on Upper Queen Street, where she will be most happy to attend to all her old customers and friends. sep19-1w

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A GOOD BUSINESS STAND in an excellent place of business, on the line of Railway in the country. Store and Warehouses all complete, and very convenient. Will sell the Stock with the store. Terms very liberal. Every convenience for shipping Produce, etc. Address X. Y. Z., Examiner Office, Charlottetown. Aug 10, 1889. —cod wky

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I am instructed by MRS. W. F. DAWSON, to sell by Auction, on the Premises,

On Monday, 30th Instant,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

12 Acres of Land lying between the Upper and Lower St. Peter's Road, about 1 1/2 miles from the city.

Also, at same time and place—11 Acres situated on the Lower St. Peter's Road. This property will be sold in 3 or 4 Acre Lots, to suit purchasers. Terms at sale.

Immediately after the sale of the above property, the following Stock and Implements will be sold:—

1 Oak's Heart Filly, 3 1/2 years old, 1 Barrister Gelding, 2 1/2 " 1 Grade Holstein Bull, 2 1/2 " 7 Calves, all under 9 months. Also—1 Cart, Plough, Wood Sleigh, Box Sleigh and Harrow.

GEO. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. sep16—11 ale

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TRAINS run daily at 9.45 a. m., and at 4.15 p. m., and return at 10.35 a. m., 4 p. m., and 7.15 p. m.

Funeral trains may be had whenever required. Family Plots, 15x20 feet, and located on high and dry land, sold at reduced price of \$20.00. Plots half of above size, in good locations, can be had for \$12.50.

For further information apply to Mr. Wm. Coyle, Keeper, at the Cemetery Cottage, or to the undersigned, at the County Court Office. HENRY SMITH, Secretary Cemetery Co.