

Local and Other Items.

The City Council meets this evening at 7.30. PRINCE BISMARCK has received a Papal Nuncio. They say Gass is selling Boots and Shoes very cheap. LORD DUFFERIN leaves Canada on 28th September. SEWING MACHINES from one dollar upwards at Robert Young's. THE Marquis of Lorne is not likely to come out until after the elections are held; he will probably arrive in November. THERE was another very large market to-day. The supply of fruit and vegetables was most abundant. Prices were unchanged. A FULL attendance of the members of No. 1 Battery of Garrison Artillery is requested at the Drill Shed, to-morrow, at 2 o'clock, p. m. ANY person knowing the whereabouts of a stray red and white spotted cow, will be rewarded by leaving information at the Revere House. THE barkentine Erema, with cargo of 9,950 pieces deals and ends, containing 275,000 feet sup measure, and 122 bundles sailings, shipped by Peake Bros. & Co., cleared for Liverpool on the 1st inst. MEMBERS of Willey Lodge, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at their Lodge Room, this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. Important business will be transacted. J. F. HENDERSON, Secy. FARMERS in the vicinity of Ottawa report that the recent rain has had an excellent effect on the crops, and has greatly improved pasturage. The fall wheat, which is now being harvested in that district, promises to yield well. AT the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court, this forenoon, Hugh Malone was fined five cents and costs for allowing a nuisance to exist on his premises; John Cartmill, for the same offence, was fined the same. AN interesting cricket match will be played on Victoria Park to-morrow afternoon, between the eleven that played the Summerside men and another eleven from the Phoenix Cricket Club. Stumps to be pitched at 2.30. MESSRS DAWSON and LePAGE have, for the past three markets, being selling cabbage of this season's growth. The heads which are for sale to-day surpass any we have heretofore seen, and are a wonderful size considering the season. THE St. John Freeman is still wrangling over the able speech of the ex-Governor, endeavoring to find some flaw in it. The "first Commoner" should now take a rest. The "Tid" is favored with the second speech, which will be delivered in the City Hall, Carleton, on Tuesday evening next. LANDIS & GATCHELL, opp. P.O., south side, will raise or lower the crown of a silk hat, make the brim wider or narrower, take out the bristles, put on new trimmings, and in fact make a new Hat out of an old one. Open until 9 1/2 p.m. WE are glad to learn from the Journal that the Summerside fast horse French Sporter has won several races this season in the Provinces. We were under the impression, from the reports of the races in the New Brunswick papers, that he had not won a race, and that he had been beaten in slow time. As Sporter has been so successful we think a match might be made between him and Dr. Jenkins' young mare for something worth while. IN reviewing the Grit meeting held in St. John on Wednesday evening, the St. John Telegraph—Mr. Burpee's paper—admits "The meeting last evening was not quite so large as that which greeted Mr. Tilley;" and further adds, "A few of the audience heard the discussion patiently to the end." This from a Grit organ is suggestive, and indicates certain defeat of the Grit candidates in St. John. SHEEP KILLING, ETC.—An action was brought by Mr. Peter Horton, of Lot 48, against William Hooper, of the same place, for damages done to a sheep, the property of the plaintiff, by a dog which is owned or housed by the defendant. It was tried before Theo. DesBrisay and Alex. Hayden, Esqs., this forenoon. Mr. Hooper was fined \$3.50 and cost of sheep, said animal to be handed over to the defendant, according to the provisions of statute 9th Vic., cap. 3, section 11. An assault case also originated in the same matter. The plaintiff saith that on his informing Mr. Hooper of the fact that the dog had attacked the sheep, and that he had better chain him up, Mr. Hooper attacked him. He was fined for the offense \$5 and costs. EXTENSIVE preparations are being made for the Caledonian Gathering, to be held on the 7th inst., on the beautiful grounds near the railway crossing, St. Peter's Road. The committee have laid out a large sum of money for the construction of a Grand Stand, which will seat about 1,000 persons, where they can comfortably witness the day's proceedings. Two large dancing booths are being provided for the accommodation of those desirous to "trip the light fantastic toe;" and swings are being put up for those who may wish to enjoy a less wearisome pastime. Galbraith's band will sweeten the proceedings by "discussing sweet music," while the intermissions will be supplied by the martial strains of the Bagpipes. Wm. Kennedy, Esq., is to provide the refreshments—a sufficient guarantee that those wishing to satisfy the "inner man" will be attended to. Over \$150 are to be expended in prizes for competition in the several games. Judging from the preparations being made, the gathering this year promises to far surpass that held on any former occasion.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special Despatch to Examiner: LONDON, August 1.

The dory Nautilus put in near the Lizard in consequence of rough weather. She will proceed when the weather moderates.

In the Commons to-day Robert Lowe resumed the debate on Lord Huntingtower's resolution. The debate led to a lively scene, Lowe accusing the Government of acting a falsehood. Sir Stafford Northcote rose to a point of order that the language of Mr. Lowe was unparliamentary. The Speaker ruled that as the remark was not applied to any member of the Government it was in order.

Mr. Lowe repeated his statement, when the Speaker ruled it to be out of order, as being applied to members of the Government. Mr. Lowe then withdrew the expression.

Mr. Lowe's speech was mainly a repetition of Mr. Gladstone's argument concerning the partition of Turkey, betrayal of Greece, and the uselessness of Cyprus.

The alleged falsehoods which Mr. Lowe referred to, were the instructions sent to Lord Odo Russell, British Ambassador at Berlin, to oppose the cession of Batoum after England had already secretly agreed not to go to war on the subject.

Mr. Lowe violently attacked the abuse of the Crown Treaty making prerogatives, which, it may be here mentioned, has been the key-note of Liberal speeches. He said: "An antiquated prerogative has been drawn from its rusty scabbard and used without the knowledge or consent of the people. The Government had done their utmost to drag Royalty into collision with the people. It was impossible that Englishmen could be content to leave the exercise of the Royal prerogative in its present position."

Mr. Lowe's remarks were greeted with loud cheers from the Liberal benches.

Lord John Manners, Postmaster-General, defended the Government, and Mr. Chamberlain—Radical member for Birmingham—attacked it, dwelling on its extravagance.

The debate was continued on a strictly party line, by Sir John Hey, Mr. Staveley Hill, Mr. Holmes, Edward Knitchball Huggesin, Samuel Irving and Sir John Lubbeck, and was then adjourned.

MR. PLIMSOLL moved against the annuity to the Duke of Connaught, but without success.

SOME of the wells in the Eastern part of the town have gone dry since the opening was made at the gas works.

GERMANY has elected 400 National Liberals, 14 Clericals, 9 Conservatives and several minor shades of politics.

ENGLISH and American Bishops have had a Conference, and agreed to support candidates for the ministry in promising continental openings.

The first number of the Prince Edward Island Farmer is at hand. It is a neat eight-page paper, printed by Messrs. Schurman Brothers, of Summerside.

THE Lingards performed before an appreciative audience last night. Some disappointment was expressed because the Earl of Beaconsfield was not impersonated. The performance, however, was generally very satisfactory.

THE SUPREME COURT met in this City to-day, for the purpose of hearing arguments, etc. The following motions were disposed of: James Beales vs. George Foster; rule nisi granted to set aside the verdict for a new trial, returnable at the next Michaelmas term. Chas. E. McKinnon vs. Hector McKinnon, was disposed of in like manner. Grace McMillan vs. David O'Connell, Annie Matheson vs. Wm. McKimley, application for rule refused. John E. Haszard and others vs. R. N. Cox, was also refused. The Court is now engaged in hearing an application to quash the mandamus issued to compel the Judge of the County Court to put the name of John S. O'Neill on the revised list of voters for the town, Common and Royalty of Charlottetown.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

RANKIN HOUSE. Aug. 1—Arthur A. Hutton, London, England; Thos. Parry, Boston; S. S. Frizzell, do.; A. T. Briggs, Montreal; E. Selgmann, London.

OSBORNE HOUSE. Aug. 1—Donald Hamish, James Thosh, Uigg; A. Mills, Summerside.

REVERE HOUSE. Aug. 1—Thomas H. Bickell, Quebec; I. C. Hall, Rustico.

SEASIDE HOTEL. July 29—E. J. Hodgson, Ch'town; Wm. B. King, do.; J. O. Crisp, Halifax; W. Grindley, Montreal; R. W. Oliver, do.; Rev. J. J. Kennedy, Syracuse, N. Y.; Rev. C. A. Walworth, Albany, N. Y.; P. L. Ryan, do.; J. J. Stewart, Halifax; D. Currie, Ch'town; Geo. McLeod, do.; G. F. Ranie, Boston; S. A. Williams, do.; J. E. Wetmore, St. John; G. B. Burland, Montreal.

Married.

In St. John, N. B., on the 31st ult., at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. Dr. Waters, assisted by the Rev. Samuel C. Gunn, of East St. Peter's, P. E. I., Mr. Adam Gunn, to Miss Matilda Jane Sinclair, both of St. John.

Died.

This day, Eliza, the widow of Charles DesBrisay, aged 68 years. Funeral from Mr. J. B. Cooper's, East Sydney Street, to St. Peter's Church, on Sunday next, at 2.30 p. m.

EMPLOYMENT.—In every village and township of P. E. Island not yet occupied, ONE ACTIVE, Intelligent Lady or Gentleman can obtain a most respectable and very profitable engagement. Address, with full particulars, D. DOWNIE & CO., Box 1964, Montreal.

May 25, 1878—

CARD.

To the Electors of Ward Five, in the City of Charlottetown.

GENTLEMEN.—I am again a Candidate for your suffrages at the forthcoming Election. My public record for the eighteen years that I have served you is before you, and I can conscientiously declare that, during that time, I have exerted my utmost energies to promote the good government of the City. I have always been and still am a determined advocate of retrenchment and economy, and will always insist on an honest administration of Civic affairs, caution in the imposition of taxes, and carefulness in their expenditure. Hoping to receive your support,

I am, gentlemen, Your obedient servant, HENRY B. SMITH.

Ch'town, August 1, 1878—31

CARD.

To the Electors of Ward 2 in the City of Charlottetown.

GENTLEMEN.—Having been requested by the electors of Ward Number 2, to put myself in nomination as a candidate for said Ward, in deference to their wishes I have consented to become such candidate. I am, therefore, gentlemen, a candidate for your suffrages for said Ward at the approaching Civic Election, on the sixth day of August next. If elected, as I reasonably presume I shall, while I shall advocate economy and retrenchment in financial matters, the vital question of municipal taxation shall have my special care and attention, for I believe it to be our imperative duty to stay the appalling increase of the tax roll, consequent upon the reckless expenditure of the revenue by those now controlling our Civic affairs.

I remain yours, &c.,

JAMES BARRETT.

Ch'town, July 30, 1878—pat eod

CARD.

To the Electors of Ward 5.

GENTLEMEN.—Having been waited upon by a large number of prominent electors of Ward 5, and requested to offer as a candidate in the coming Civic Elections, I therefore place myself in your hands for election.

As I am doing business and living in Ward 5, I have a knowledge of the wants of the Ward.

From a close observation of Civic affairs, I have come to the conclusion that retrenchment and reform are necessary, and if elected will do my utmost to carry out the wishes of electors in this respect.

As the time of carrying is short, it will be impossible for me to visit all the electors of the Ward, but I feel certain that all who are in favor of curtailing the City expenditure will give me their hearty support.

I remain your ob't servant,

ALEXANDER HORNE.

Ch'town, July 30, 1878—pat eod

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, until noon of

Monday, the 12th of August,

for the Erection of a CHAPEL for the Baptist Church, on the corner of Prince and Fitzroy Streets.

The Committee are prepared to consider proposals for either a brick or wooden building, and each tender should plainly specify for which it is intended.

Plans and Specifications to be seen at the office of Thomas Alley, Esq., Prince Street.

Accompanying each tender must be the signatures of two solvent parties willing to become sureties for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Tender for Baptist Chapel."

The Committee do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

M. G. McLEOD,

Sec'y of Building Committee.

Ch'town, July 23, 1878—dy & sw p ar till 12

CARVELL BROS.—Wholesale the very best qualities of TEA, in chests, half-chests, and 21 lb. boxes—186 Packages landing from "Prince Edward."

Ch'town, July 12, 1878.

JOB PRINTING Neatly and Promptly Executed at the EXAMINER Print:ng Rooms, WaterStreet, Charlottetown.

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

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

WANTED—A few smart young men as NEWS-AGENTS. Apply at once to S. GRAY, Railway Station. Ch'town, Aug. 2—31

LOST—On the evening of the 30th July, between Grafton and Upper Prince Streets, a Diamond Mourning Ring—"George Frederick Holl" engraved inside. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at the EXAMINER Office. Ch'town, Aug. 1—

BOARDERS—A few permanent and transient Boarders can be accommodated on reasonable terms at the QUINCY HOUSE, next door to John Seller's Grocery Store, Kent Street. Ch'town, Aug. 1—

STRAYED—From Godkin's Pasture, on Monday, the 15th inst., a white and red spotted COW. Any person knowing of her whereabouts will be suitably rewarded by leaving information at the REVERE HOUSE. July 22—

City of Charlottetown.

TENDERS! TENDERS!

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Mayor's Office, until noon of MONDAY, the 12th of August next, for completing the Pownal Wharf, according to a specification to be seen at this Office.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, WM. B. MORRISON, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, 29th July, 1878—d pat t 12th

A Bye-Law for Levying an Assessment on Real Property in the City of Charlottetown.

(Passed by the City Council 19th July, 1878.)

WHEREAS, it is necessary and expedient to pass a By-Law for the purpose of levying an Assessment on the rental of Freehold and Leasehold Property in the City of Charlottetown, for City and School purposes, for the current year ending on the twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine,—

Be it therefore enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows:—

1. There shall be paid by the occupants or owners of Freehold or Leasehold Property within the City of Charlottetown, for City and School purposes, the following sum, that is to say, the sum of Twelve Cents on every Dollar of the rental for the current year ending on the twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, according to the valuations entered against the names of each and every person in the Valuation Book of Real Property made by the Assessors of the City of Charlottetown, and returned by the said Assessors to the said City Council on the twelfth day of July, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-eight.

2. In cases where the occupant named in the Assessment Book of real property, made by the said Assessors of the City of Charlottetown, shall have left the premises so assessed before the time of giving the notice of assessment required by law, such notice shall be served upon the person or persons actually in possession; and, if the premises be vacant, then such notice shall be served upon the owner or owners thereof, or his or their agent; and such owner or owners shall be deemed, for the purposes of this law, the occupant or occupants; and such occupant or occupants, owner or owners in the cases aforesaid, shall be severally liable for the payment of the sum entered against the name of the original occupant or occupants in the Assessment Book of Real Property made up by the said Assessors of the said City, and deposited with the City Clerk, subject to the same right of appeal as the person or persons originally assessed was or were entitled to.

3. In cases where tenement houses containing two or more occupants, and where either the owner or one occupant was originally assessed, the City Collector shall have power and authority to divide and apportion such assessment between the several occupants in proportion to their several or respective rents, in order that the notices for assessment may be served on such occupants in due form.

J. S. CARVELL, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown.

W. B. MORRISON, City Clerk.

Charlottetown, July 19, 1878.

SYDNEY COAL.

REDUCTION IN PRICE!

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC!

THE GENERAL MINING ASSOCIATION (Limited) beg to intimate to the Public that the price of SYDNEY COAL has been

Reduced to \$2 per ton of 2240 lbs., a price which it is hoped will place it within the reach of all consumers.

The opening of the new winning at "THE SYDNEY MINES" and the fact that the SYDNEY COAL now being shipped is all from the DEEP taken in connection with recent improvements in the process of screening, affords purchasers a positive guarantee of the very superior quality and condition of the SYDNEY COAL now offered for sale.

It is a well-known fact that for many years past the prices of other Cape Breton coals have been regulated by the rates fixed for SYDNEY COAL; but while it is true that other coals, to get a sale at all, have been pressed on the market at various prices under the current rate of SYDNEY COAL, it is no less true that, taking into account the superior lasting qualities of SYDNEY COAL when compared with other Cape Breton coals, the advantage, both as to economy and convenience, is in favor of SYDNEY COAL, even at a much higher price.

The General Mining Association (Limited) regret that they should again have to caution the Public against the attempts being made from time to time to induce them to buy inferior coals purporting to be "EQUAL TO SYDNEY," "SUPERIOR TO SYDNEY," etc., etc., while some yet more unscrupulous vendors have not hesitated to advertise their coal as SYDNEY COAL (from some designated locality). All these efforts to sell coal by such means are only so many admissions on the part of those who make them of the STANDARD character of SYDNEY COAL.

It has come to the knowledge of the Association that in frequent instances parties giving orders to truckmen and others for SYDNEY COAL have been furnished with other and inferior coal. The Public are cautioned against permitting themselves to be imposed upon in this way. Every vessel loaded at THE SYDNEY MINES is furnished with a certificate of her cargo being Sydney Coal. Parties purchasing should satisfy themselves by demanding the production of this certificate.

The "Sydney Coal" is registered under the laws of the Dominion, and authorized parties using the Trade Mark "SYDNEY COAL," are liable to prosecution.

CUNARD & MORROW,

Agents G. M. A., Halifax, N. S.

G. W. DEBLOIS,

CHARLOTTETOWN,

Sole Agent for P. E. Island.

July 15, 1878—3m

AUCTION SALES.

BANKRUPT STOCK

FOR SALE

At Auction!

BY AUCTION WILL BE SOLD,

On Monday next, the 5th inst.,

at the Store of Donald Nicholson, an Insolvent, at 11 o'clock, the Stock in Trade of the above Insolvent, consisting of:

CHESTS Tea, Tobacco, Confectionery, Fancy Crackers, Biscuits, Jams, Pickles, Preserves, Baked Beans, Bags Fine and Coarse Salt, Baking Soda, Spices, Fine Mustard, Bottles Castor Oil, do. Olive Oil, Matches, Boxes Soap, do. Candles, Wrapping Paper, Paper Bags, Nuts, Almonds, and a general assortment suitable for a Grocery.

—ALSO—

1 Express Wagon, 2 Sets Brass Scales, 1 Soda Fountain, 2 Show Cases, 1 Kerosene Tank, 2 Cream Coolers, etc., etc.

Terms at Sale. B. WILSON HIGGS, Auc'r. Ch'town, P. E. I., Aug. 1—t sale

"KENWITH."

EXTENSIVE SALE OF

FARM LANDS!

Building & Pasture Lots.

I AM instructed to sell at AUCTION, on Thursday, the 8th August,

commencing at 11 o'clock, on the premises at "Kenwith," the property of the late Hon. John Myrie Holl, situated about

Five Miles from the City,

on the Malpeque Road, about

Six Hundred Acres of Valuable Farm Lands,

—WHICH, WITH THE—

STONE HOUSE & OUT-BUILDINGS,

comprised the estate known as "Kenwith." The land has been divided as follows:—

Nine Lots, of 2 1/2 to 1 acre each, front on the upper Malpeque Road, adjoining Winsloe Station, on the P. E. I. Railway, which intersects the property.

Six Lots, of 3/4 to 5 acres each, front on the line of Railway.

Four Lots, of 3 to 6 1/2 acres each, front on the Lower Malpeque Road.

Three Lots, each 37 1/2, 41 and 41 1/2 acres, and on the latter of which the Stone Dwelling House and out-buildings are situated, front on to the upper and lower Malpeque Roads, and together, form one of the most eligible Farms near the City.

Seven Lots, of 12 1/2 to 51 1/2 acres each, front on the lower Malpeque Road.

Three Lots, of 6, 32 and 42 acres each, extend westwardly to the North River.

For full descriptions, see plan on hand-bills.

This valuable property is beautifully situated on high land, commanding some charming views of the surrounding country. Part of the land has been under pasture for some years, and is in splendid condition for breaking up; the remainder is beautifully wooded.

TERMS: 20 per cent. at the time of sale; the balance in five yearly instalments, with interest at 6 per cent.

Refreshments on the grounds.

WILLIAM DODD,

Auctioneer.

July 25, 1878—

BANKRUPT STOCK.

WE WILL SELL

AT AUCTION,

Thursday, the 22nd August,

commencing at 2 o'clock, at the store of

J. R. Coffin, Mount Stewart.

ALL HIS STOCK IN TRADE, consisting of a well-selected Stock of Merchandise, viz.: Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Men's Ready-made Clothing, Dress Goods, Shawls, Jackets, Millinery, White Cotton, Handkerchiefs, Rubbers, Groceries, Spices, Soap, Confectionary, Hardware, Stove and Pipe, Scales, Shop Furniture, &c., &c., &c.

Everything Will Be Sold Without Reserve.

TERMS—Under \$20, cash; over that amount, three months' credit.

CARVELL BROS.

Ch'town, July 31—pat 2aw t sale

Mackerel & Herring Barrels!

WE can supply vessels, fitted out for Fishing Voyages in the Gulf or to Labrador, with ASH-HOOPED Mackerel Barrels (sawed and split staves).

GOOD HERRING BARRELS, Ash and Birch Hooped, delivered at the Straits of Canso or here, as convenient.

F. T. NEWBERRY & CO.

July 22—nc ar 2i sw pat 4i

TO LET,

FOR such term of years as may be agreed on, the old-established Hotel known as

THE UNION HOUSE,

situated on Lower QUEEN STREET.

The premises are now being fitted up, after the fire, in first rate style, with every modern improvement. Apply to

J. G. ECKSTADT.

Ch'town, July 31—tf