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THEO. L. CHAPPELLE, Agent, Diamond Bookstore, St. Chadwick, Supt., St. John, N. B. June 21, 1877-34in eod

Premier McKenzie is confined to his house by illness.

SMALL DEBT COURT.—The Court for the recovery of small debts will commence today. There are over eighty cases for trial.

THE dispatches to the Reform papers whisper the word along the line that Mr. Blake is going to retire from public life to the Bench.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A sailor named Payson, belonging to H. M. S. Encounter, while up in the rigging of his vessel, missed his footing and fell from the foretopmast yard to the deck. He lingered upwards of an hour after the accident.

At the Stipendiary Magistrates Court yesterday morning, Thomas Flynn appeared on complaint of C. E. Robertson for larceny; he was discharged on his own recognizance. Charles McCarthy, drunk and incapable, was fined \$2 and costs or eight days. Francis Carroll, for the same offence, was fined \$1 or four days.

BANK FORGERIES.—A sensation has been produced by the reported discovery of considerable forgeries on several Banks, Montreal, the Merchants, Ontario, and Union. The amount discovered on the Montreal Bank is \$4,000; Union \$5,000; and \$9,000 on another Bank. In the case of the Montreal Bank the figure 30 was erased, and 40 substituted.

PHOTOGRAPHIC.—A new branch of trade has been opened up between this Island and Nova Scotia. We learn that Messrs. Ross Brothers, Photographers, of this city, have received an order for one thousand Photographs of D. Banks McKenzie, the Apostle of Temperance, from the "Pictou Reform Club." We also understand that the same artists have received orders, from other sources, for six thousand copies of the same. These orders cannot but be taken as a practical recognition of the artistic ability of Messrs. Ross Bros., who can desire no more flattering "proof," and we trust that the trade thus opened, through their abilities, may extend.

THE HALIFAX CIVIC ELECTIONS.—The elections in Halifax took place on the 1st inst. Mayor Richey was re-elected without opposition. In Ward 1 Mr. George Fraser had a majority of 90 over Mr. Dunbar; in Ward 2 Mr. William Murray was re-elected without opposition; in Ward 3 Dr. A. P. Reid had a majority of 56 over Mr. Kearney; in Ward 4 Mr. G. L. Chipman was elected without opposition; in Ward 5 there was a very heavy vote polled, Mr. Houlette receiving 378, and Mr. Bligh 251; in Ward 6 Mr. Nisbet won an easy victory over Mr. George Guy, who came out at the last moment.

AQUATIC.—A friendly and well-contested race between some of the employes of the EXAMINER took place upon the placid bosom of the Hillsboro' yesterday afternoon. Two boats, one pulled by Harris and Walsh, and the other by McDonald and McQuaid, started about half-past three. The course was from Falconwood to Steam Navigation Co's Wharf; and, after a close and exciting race, the latter were the winners by a few boat's lengths. As the boat rowed by the winners was somewhat superior to the other it is intended to have another "hack," the parties changing boats. The winners will then be ready to accommodate any two aspiring oarsmen from any of the City newspaper offices. COME ON MADUFF!

A CONSTABLE MURDERED.—A constable belonging to the Provincial Police force was murdered in Quebec, at Tring, County of Beauce, on Saturday last. His name is Dure. He leaves a wife and several young children. Several policemen were despatched to arrest a man named Bartley, wanted for a liquor case. He resisted the county constables. The force left Quebec on Thursday. On entering the house of the party they wished to arrest, the wife blew a horn, and by this means the alarm was given. Search was made, and only Bartley's son and a young fellow named McDoull could be found. They were arrested, and on their way back in carriages with the prisoners, shots were fired at the party from a thick bush, which struck Dore in the back. He died about two hours afterwards. The Provincial Government has despatched a strong force to Kennebec boundary line to arrest Bartley, who is making his way through the bush to the States.

SENTENCE OF THE PENGE PRISONERS.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Mr. Justice Hawkins in sentencing the Penge prisoners—Louis Henry Staunton, Patrick Staunton, Patrick Staunton's wife and Alice Rhodes—to death yesterday for the murder of the wife of the first named by starving her to death, made the following remarks on the nature of their crime:—"After a long, patient, painful and anxious inquiry you have been found guilty of a crime so black and hideous that I believe in all the records of crime it would be difficult to find its parallel. With barbarity almost incredible you plotted together to take by cruel torture the life of a poor, innocent, helpless and outraged woman; and although you stand to-day convicted of having murdered her helpless child, I cannot help feeling satisfied within my own mind that you also contemplated and plotted and brought about its death, and terrible, as to my mind it is, that you should have entered into such a plot, even more incredible was it to think how wicked and cruel was your conduct in witnessing, day by day and hour by hour, the gradual sinking to her grave, by slow torture, of the poor, unhappy creature whom you sent to her rest."

A DREADFUL ACCIDENT.

A terrible balloon accident is reported from Glade Springs, Va. H. Hainur, of Ohio, was giving an exhibition at that place, and the balloon having been inflated by means of wood and kerosene oil, he jumped into his position, and like an arrow the great air-ship shot upward, carrying its human freight dangling at its end. It had ascended some 300 feet, and while the actor was performing on a horizontal bar, hanging by his feet with his head down, waving a handkerchief to the nervous audience below, the patched and dilapidated canvas split from top to bottom with a report that was heard miles away. No sooner had the gas escaped, than the balloon collapsed and came shooting down as swiftly as it had darted up. The aeronaut saw his situation, and quick as lightning turned himself up and regained his handhold, and commenced a manoeuvre to dodge a telegraph wire and post towards which he was falling. This he succeeded in doing, striking the ground with terrible force, which bounced him up, to be caught and pressed down by the balloon. All of this was the work of a moment. The crowd was literally paralysed, women sickening and fainting, and men unable, in their horror, to move. The companions of the unfortunate man stood riveted to the ground, and not until some citizens undertook to move the canvas did they stir. The man was found to be alive and conscious, but dreadfully bruised and mangled. He was through it all calm and cool, and described his feelings as, descending, he saw and felt death staring him in the face. He was taken to the hotel, where both Mr. and Mrs. Thompson did all in their power to relieve his sufferings. With all the aid nothing could be accomplished, and at half-past eleven o'clock, p. m. he paid the penalty of death for his recklessness.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

Oct. 2—Maria Emma, Rioux, Buctouche, flour, molasses, etc.; Spring Bird, McKay, Summerside, sundry goods; Gazelle, Roberts, Pictou, bal.; Foam, Moran, Pictou, bal.; str. Henry Aitken, Pugwash, 5 bbls. flour; Winnie, Campion, Chetecamp, sundry goods; W. Wright, McRae, Pictou, bal.; Haven, Power, Pictou, bal.

Hotel Arrivals.

OSBORNE HOUSE. Oct. 1—Edwin G. Beck, St. John, N. B.; W. Taylor and wife, Salisbury; O. D. Shiffer, Moncton.

Oct. 2—M. Blair, Rochester, N. Y.; Geo. C. Gilmour and wife, Pictou; I. H. Allan, St. John, N. B.; T. W. Pomroy and wife, do.; Alfred Ogden, Cape Canso; J. M. Rutledge, Boston; Wm. Smith and wife, St. John.

RANKIN HOUSE.

October 2.—A. S. Ewing, Montreal; J. Rogers, do.; D. N. Campbell, Tatamagouche; A. Burrows, Truro; H. B. McKay and wife, Pictou; David Nash and wife, Cornwallis; John O'Logan, Acadia Mines, N. S.; Wm. Ross, John Taylor, Halifax; Geo. H. Bishop, Montreal; J. F. Kilner, do.; Henry S. Wellcome, New York; W. T. Feitner, Moncton, N. B.; P. R. Stores, do.

Passengers.

PER STR. CARROLL FROM BOSTON—Mrs. Hickey, Miss Hickey, Miss Margaret McLean, Miss L. R. McLeod, Miss Morgan, Miss Henderson, Miss Montgomery, Miss Preble, Mr. McKinnon, Mr. J. Nolan.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.

A letter says that 50,000 men are to be equipped to protect the Mexican border, and that a New York firm has contracted for \$200,000 worth of rifles.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 1.

Bark Hertha, from Leghorn, has the captain and crew of the schooner Druid, of Lunenburg, N. S., for Guadaloupe, abandoned at sea on the 21st inst., dismasted, etc.

Latest by Telegraph.

Latest from Montreal.

Special Dispatch to Daily Examiner.

MONTREAL, Oct. 2.

The City Council, last night, refused to pay the volunteers for their service on the 12th and 16th of July, the Catholic members being in a majority.

Five houses were destroyed by fire at Levis to day, loss \$12,000.

The men who murdered one of the Provincial Police at Quebec have escaped.

Flour quiet and weaker; demands low.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Superior Extra, \$6 40 to 6 45; Extra Superfine, 6 30 to 6 35; Fancy, 6 00 to 6 05; Spring Extra, 5 95 to 6 00; Superfine, 5 65 to 5 70; Strong Bakers', 6 12 1/2 to 6 17 1/2; Fine, 4 90 to 4 95; Middlings, 4 35 to 4 50; Pollards, 5 50 to 5 75; U. C. Bags per 100 lbs., 3 15 to 3 20; City Bags, delivered, 3 10 to 3 15; Oatmeal, 4 90 to 5 10.

Grain active and firm.

WAR NEWS.

SCHIPKA, Oct. 1.

Suleiman Pasha is fortifying his camp and apparently intends to winter here.

SHUMLA, Oct. 1.

The Russian outpost has advanced from Cerkovona to Pokoi, and has there begun a skirmish with the Turks.

The report that the allied armies were again repulsed in an assault upon Plevna is unfounded.

The Porte has at last succeeded in overcoming the opposition of the military authorities, and Geshoffs have been brought to Constantinople. It is hoped their lives are now safe.

SOPIA, Sept. 30.

There is trustworthy information that Osman Pasha repulsed a Russo-Roumanian attack on his front and left, inflicting heavy losses; also that he attacked the Russians on the Lovatz road and recovered several positions.

LONDON, Oct. 1.

General Klappa denies forming a Bulgarian legion to assist the Turks by destroying Roumanian railways.

PARIS, Oct. 21.

The Russian Telegraph Agency prints a Bucharest despatch, which declares mediation impossible. The solutions of the questions between Russia and Turkey must be sought for on the battlefield before diplomacy may intervene. A later despatch says Gen. Todleben succeeds Gen. Zoffok as chief of staff to the Prince of Roumania, before Plevna.

VIENNA, Oct. 1.

The Political Correspondent's Belgrade despatch says: "It is positively denied in official circles that Servia has finally resolved upon warlike actions. It is thought possible, however, that the final resolution of the Servian Government will mainly depend upon the communications of the newly appointed Russian agent, just arrived."

It is said that this question has been decided in the Cabinet Councils. Troops have again been ordered to the frontier, and officers and surgeons ordered to join their regiments within three days.

LONDON, Oct. 2.

The Standard's Bucharest despatch says the Czarevitch visited Gorny Studin to attend a Council of war, to decide whether the bulk of the Russian army should winter in Bulgaria or Roumania.

The Times' St. Petersburg despatch says it is reported that petitions are being signed requesting the Roumanian army to return home.

Uninvited offers of mediation would be regarded almost as a national insult.

It was not the painter Veestzechagin but his brother who was killed at Plevna.

The Times special from Belgrade says that since the arrival of the new Russian Consul General and the Roumanian Envoy extraordinary, Servian intervention is regarded quite certain.

GENERAL NEWS.

TRURO, Oct. 1.

During the last three meetings of the Reform Club nearly 200 persons signed the roll, making in all to date over 1,200 members. At to-night's meeting it was resolved to send a congratulatory despatch to the Pictou Reform Club.

PORTLAND, Oct. 1.

Eli Phillips, a veteran of the regular army in Florida, Mexico and Southern wars, aged eighty, but still a powerful and desperate fellow, was arrested at Long Island this morning for stealing boats and rigging along the Maine coast. He is also a graduate of the Massachusetts State Prison.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.

The United States Consul at St. John, N. F., informs the Department of State that he purchased one of the crew of the New Bedford Whaler, "A. Houghton," wrecked in Hudson Bay last June, one silver table spoon and one silver dessert spoon, supposed relics of the Franklin expedition. The table spoon has the letters J. G. F. engraved thereon. On the face of the dessert spoon is the head of a fish, with a laurel wreath, and on the back the English crown and stamp. The sailor said he received these articles from the E-qui-maux of Repulse Bay, who had received them from a native chief, at whose camp the white man who owned them died of curvy, while on a visit thereto.

ROBERT YOUNG

HAS JUST RECEIVED,

Per S. S. Prince Edward,

A MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT

NEW GOODS,

Which he is offering at

EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES

October 1, 1877.

JUST OPENED!

Fall and Winter

MANTLES AND JACKETS!

Best English makes.

SHAWLS,

Newest Colors and Patterns.

New Dress Goods,

Fresh and Beautiful in every Variety.

FLOWERS,

FEATHERS and

RIBBONS.

In all the leading shades.

MILLINERY, BONNETS & HATS,

From London.

Bonnets and Hats Made to Order.

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ALL AT LOWEST CASH PRICES.

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Ch'town, Sept. 27—

OAKUM! OAKUM! OAKUM!

JUST landed from Steamship "Prince Edward," a superior quality of Machine Picked OAKUM.

PEAKE BROS. & CO.

Sept. 28th, 1877.

KING SQUARE HOUSE

TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

We have received part of our

STOCK OF CLOTHS

For Fall and Winter Wear,

COMPRISING

80 PIECES

Tweeds,

Blue Worsted Coatings,

Black

Fancy

Honeycomb Overcoating,

Cambridge Naps,

Fancy

Stripe

Plain

Blue and Black Moscow,

President,

Beaver,

Pilot,

Black Venetian.

These Goods have been personally selected by our Mr. L. L. BEER from the best Houses in the British Markets.

We have every Facility for the production of First-class CLOTHING.

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Sept. 18—

PART

—OF OUR—

EXTENSIVE STOCK

—OF—

Fall Goods,

PERSONALLY SELECTED

Best Markets

IN ENGLAND,

NOW OPENING!

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

London House, Sept. 27—

TO LET.

A FINE new three story Dwelling House containing 10 rooms, situated on Kent street. Apply to FRANCIS MCRORY or at also office.

Barque "Viking."

TO be Sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Steam Navigation Company's Wharf, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island,

On MONDAY, the 1st Day of October

next (1877), at 12 o'clock noon, under and by virtue of a Mortgage, dated 4th October, A. D. 1875, made between James Phillips Douse of Charlottetown, in said Island, Merchant, of the one part, and George J. Troop, and William J. Lewis, of Halifax, Merchants, of the other part (which said Mortgage, by virtue of an assignment or transfer, bearing date the 4th day of September, 1877, has become duly vested in the undersigned), the BARQUE "VIKING," of Charlottetown aforesaid, 349 tons per register, built in the year 1872, classed 7 years A at English Lloyds, and re-classed and coppered in August, 1875, together with all BOATS, AX-CROSS, CHAINS, SAILS, RIGGING, TACKLE, and appurtenances to said barque belonging.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. LEXWORTH & HASZARD, Solicitors Charlottetown. Dated this fifteenth day of September, 1877. F. L. HASZARD, Assignee of Mortgagee.

The above Sale of the Barque "VIKING" is hereby postponed until MONDAY, the 15th day of October, instant (1877), then to take place at the hour and place above-mentioned. F. L. HASZARD, Assignee of Mortgagee. Charlottetown, Oct. 2, 1877.

GREAT RACE!

—ON THE—

SUMMERSIDE DRIVING PARK!

TO TAKE PLACE

ON WEDNESDAY,

3rd October Next, Commencing

at 1 o'clock, p. m.

No. 1—3 MINUTE CLASS.—Purse of \$61; \$30 to first, \$15 to second, \$10 to third and \$6 to fourth.

No. 2—FREE TO ALL.—Purse of \$100; \$60 to first, \$30 to second and \$10 to third.

No. 3—GREEN CLASS.—Purse of \$50; \$20 to first, \$15 to second, \$10 to third and \$5 to fourth.

The above races will be mile heats, 2 in 3, except No. 2, which will be 3 in 5. In all, four to enter and three to start. Entrance fee 10 per cent. of purse.

A horse distancing the field gets first money only.

Entrance will close at 10 p. m. on Tuesday, 2nd October.

Rules of National Association to govern.

Admission to Park 25 cents; Carriages 15 cents extra.

In the free for all race, stallions will of course, be allowed to compete.

THOMAS H. ROBBLEE, Secretary.

Summerside, Sept 27, '77.

GREENLEAF'S ARITHMETIC,

BRYCE'S LATIN READERS,

ROYAL READERS, at

HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE,

Ch'town, Sept. 24—

PLASTER PARIS!

50 BBLS. now on hand.

CARVELL BROS.

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SUGAR.

IN Store and to arrive—

40 Bbls. GRANULATED,

20 Bbls. CRUS-ED,

50 Bbls. GOLDEN YELLOW.

F. T. NEWBERY & CO.

Sept. 29—3in ar ne pat 2in

CHEAP SACKS.

5,000 SECOND-HAND, slightly dam-

aged, SIX CENTS A PIECE.

CARVELL BROS.

Ch'town, Sept. 27—3w 3taw

KEROSENE

200 CASKS,

Landing ex "Jane M. Kay," and

100 CASKS

To arrive.

CARVELL BROS.

Sept. 27—1w

Barrels. Barrels.

4,000 MACKEREL BARRELS, of the

very best quality, for sale cheap.

ROBERT BRIDGES.

Sept. 23—

Sugar & Molasses.

50 PUNS. BARBADOES MOLASSES.

125 BBLS. White Granulated, Vacuum

Pan, Coffee Crushed, and Brown

SUGAR.

CARVELL BROS.

Ch'town, Sept. 27—1w