

Local and Other Items.

RED CURRANT JELLY, 25 cents per pound at Beer & Goff's. [ap 9] JOSEPH EWING, Esq., C. E., is at the Rankin. THE Mullins Scott Act case was further postponed. D. McKAY, Esq., M. P. P., left for Halifax last evening.

WALLACE ROSS has challenged Deitch to a race over the Thames course. Go and see the Union Dramatic Club's performance at the Academy of Music to-night.

THIRTEEN carloads of Ontario cattle arrived at Halifax on the 7th inst., for shipment to England.

THE Drama, "More Sinned Against than Sinning," will be repeated in the Academy of Music to-night.

SKATING RINK.—Last night of the season. The Band have prepared a special programme for the closing night.

THE Halifax volunteers have received instructions from headquarters not to proceed to the front until further orders.

THE mails which left Cape Tormentine at 8 o'clock this morning, were ready for delivery in this city at 2.30 this afternoon.

THE ladies of Zion Church are requested to meet in the Basement Parlor of said Church, on Saturday evening, 11th inst., at 7 o'clock.

"How love is made in Paris" is the title of an article. Love is not made in this country—it is caught, like a cold, or any other malady.

THE Provincial Legislature will rise to-morrow evening at 4 o'clock. The guard of honor will be composed of one hundred men from the Engineers, Artillery and 2nd Battalion, headed by the Band.

WE learn that at a meeting of the School Board, held on Tuesday evening last, Messrs. John Ings, T. Foley and A. Kennedy were appointed a committee to prepare the estimates for the City Schools for the coming year.

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THE Bazaar and Tea in Market Hall last evening, for the benefit of St. James' Church Ladies Aid Society, was largely patronized and passed off very successfully. We learn that the proceeds amounted to nearly \$600.

IF Mrs. Macdonald's writings are calculated to shock the feelings of the Herald's editor, or his "unassuming and intelligent readers," her contributions to THE EXAMINER have brought her the congratulations of both the first in position and in intellect in our city.

BOSTON MARKETS.—Advices of the 4th inst. from Boston quote potatoes at from 55 to 63 cents per bushel; eggs at from 14 1/2 to 16 cents per dozen; mackerel at from \$5.50 to \$6; codfish from \$2 to \$2.25 per quintal, and pork from \$13.50 to \$15.50 per barrel—all wholesale.

INDUSTRIAL POSTPONED.—The Northern Light, being still ice-bound, and the Rev. Mr. Carruthers unable to cross from Picton, his induction into the pastoral charge of St. James' Church, which was announced to take place this evening, will be postponed until further notice.

PERSONS either in town or country having not yet forwarded to the Secretary of the Dominion Alliance in Charlottetown the prohibition petitions in their hands, are requested to forward them at once, as they must be sent to Ottawa without further delay. Numerous signed petitions have been received from most parts of the country, but some few places have not yet returned their petitions.

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WHAT a splendid thing an occasional prize-fight would be for young men if they could omit the fight and retain the training. This is how Sullivan is spending his time just now: Cold bath at 6.30. Fifteen minutes with dumb bells. A yolk of an egg in a little sherry wine. A walk of seven or eight miles. Breakfast. Two hours rest. A spin of twelve miles. A little rest and then a fight with a suspended football. Dinner. In the evening another walk of five miles. More dumb-bells. To bed at 9 o'clock.

THE Manitoba Daily Free Press says:—"Among the wounded at Duck Lake, on the 26th, was Alexander Stewart, (better known as 'Big Alec'). He was one of the most powerful men in Prince Albert. He has a brother Malcolm in this city (Winnipeg), and originally comes from Ottawa. He was a Steam-Boiler Engineer." The Alexander Stewart referred to above formerly belonged to Prince Edward Island. He is a son of the late Mr. Ronald Stewart, of Strathalbyn, and brother of Capt. Neil Stewart, well known in this city. He has been in the Northwest for the past eighteen years. We trust he will speedily recover from his injuries, as he has always proved a great friend to our Island boys going west.

IF we may judge from five whose average height is 5 feet, 11 inches, and weight 183 pounds, our Local Legislators are not behind the ordinary man in bodily dimensions. The good tea and fair Fairbanks provided by the kind people of St. James' in the Market Hall last evening, only afforded an opportunity of ascertaining their physical capacities. However, by keeping an eye on their arduous legislative performances one can take the weight of them in that capacity. It may be interesting to note that one young lady exceeded either of the above but one lady weighed 190 pounds. Of three or four more of the fair six, of whom we took the weight, none of course, exceeded 125 pounds, that happy medium weight, which, like "Sweet Sixteen," a young lady hardly ever likes to be known to go beyond.

THE lessees of Market Tolls have misunderstood the power given them in the lease to collect Market Tolls. These Tolls are confined to the Market place of the City of Charlottetown, and not the City of Charlottetown itself. The market place is defined in Cap. 10, Sec. 2, as follows:

"The market place, when mentioned in this by-law, shall be deemed that part of ground at the west end of Queen Square, vested in the City by the Provincial Statutes, 23 Vic., etc., together with the building and Market House thereon erected."

THE lessees of the Market Tolls have therefore no power to collect tolls in any part of the city other than the market square and in the Market House. The tolls to be collected are the same as were in existence for the past ten years.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE RIEL REBELLION!

The Government Decline to Give Information.

A LETTER FROM RIEL!

OTTAWA, April 8. The Government decline to furnish information from the Northwest.

Mr. Barwis, of Arthabaska Falls, has received word of the killing of his son William in the Northwest.

On a half-breed, captured at Humboldt the other day, some documents were found. One of these forwarded here was a letter signed by Riel, and addressed to the St. Paul, Minn., Pioneer Press, as follows:

LIBERTY CAMP, N. W. T., April 3. Is it true that American arms and citizens are to be used against us? The Canadian Government are trying to crush us with tyrannical acts. What have we done to provoke American hostility? What have we done against the spirit of American liberty? The desire for freedom is a universal instinct. Why should not the half-breeds of the Northwest desire to come within its sunshine? They do so desire, and shall woo the smiles of freed men ever with the sacrifice of brave men's lives.

Has the spirit of '76, with its splendid memories of courage and struggles departed from the American people? Has liberty no further triumph to achieve that the heart has grown callous to the whisperings of justice? Ours is a battle for our homes. It is a battle for all human rights as well as the rights of the half-breeds of the Northwest. Jefferson's sublime sentiment, "Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," is a living echo in our hearts. It will guide us from bondage, even as the pillar of flame guided the scourged of Egypt with its inspiration. We must triumph. Why should American freemen range themselves on the side of tyranny and oppression of force.

(Signed) LOUIS RIEL.

The troops have been much delayed by bad weather.

It is now clear that Riel was not in the Duck Lake fight himself.

News from Battleford shows that the Indians are still about there, pillaging whatever they can find.

Hon. John Costigan, in a speech at Lewis, Monday, stated that the half-breeds had no grievances.

TORONTO, April 8. It is pretty clearly proved that Riel is a disappointed man, not having excited the Indians as he expected. His followers will not be as numerous as he expected.

THE ANGLO-RUSSIAN DISPUTE.

A Battle between the Russian and Afghan Troops.

500 AFGHANS KILLED.

LONDON, April 8. The Standard says negotiations between England and Russia are breaking down. War is imminent.

Russian papers state they can put half a million men in the field at once.

SACKVILLE, April 9. A despatch to the press to-day states that a battle has been fought on the Murghab River, and that the Russians were defeated. Another report states that the Afghan force, numbering 4,000 men, with eight cannon, was defeated, the Afghans losing 500 men killed.

The Prince of Wales' Visit to Ireland.

A WARM RECEPTION.

DUBLIN, April 8. The Prince of Wales telegraphed this evening that he had a glorious reception. There have been no hostile demonstrations to the Prince and Princess of Wales in Ireland. They have received a hearty welcome.

ALL QUIET IN THE SOUDAN.

SUAKIN, April 8. All is quiet in the Soudan. The rebels are disheartened.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, April 9—10 a. m. Fresh to strong south to west and north winds; generally clearing cooler weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE. Charlottetown April 9 1885. Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....42.0

Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....17.9

Lowest Temperature this morning.....31.9

Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....35.1

Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock.....31.5

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

RANKIN HOUSE. April 9.—James Johnson, Montreal; P J Foster, St John; F S White, do; E W James, do; J Ewing, do.

DIED.

At Portage, Belfast, on the 8th inst., Catherine McRae, relict of the late Alexander McLean, Esq., aged 69 years.

[Funeral on Friday, at 1 o'clock.

FIVE persons were arrested in Madrid on the 3rd inst., while plotting to assassinate King Alfonso.

The sealing steamer Resolute arrived at St. John's on the 30th March with 35,000 seals. The Resolute is the first arrival, and she appears to have had splendid luck. She struck the seals on the 17th inst., E. N. E. of the Funks.

STEAMER ENTERPRISE.—A stock list is now being circulated in Moncton for the purpose of securing a small steamer to ply on the river between Moncton and Hillsboro, Hopewell, Harvey and other points in Albert County.



A FINE ASSORTMENT OF

Men's Felt Hats!

For Sale Cheap at the

LONDON HOUSE.

April 4, 1885.

CHILDREN'S CONCERT.

THE Boys and Girls of St. Paul's Sunday School intend giving their Annual Concert on Tuesday, 21st April.

April 6, 1885—2aw.

Seed Wheat! Seed Wheat! FOR SALE.

800 BAGS Choice Seed WHEAT—White Fife, White Russian and Red Bald. Also, 800 bushels choice Timothy Seed, to arrive first trip Northern Light.

OWEN CONNOLLY.

Ch'town, March 27—cod&wkytl 1atmay

DO NOT Throw your money away in buying Shoddy Boots. Come at once and buy a Good Solid Leather pair of Boots or Shoes for Spring, at a Low Price. We want to keep all the money we can on the Island, so we are bound to give better value in our make than can be had in any imported Boot. Therefore, buy from us. DORSEY, GOFF & CO. Ch'town, March 26, 1885.

Canadian Seed Wheat FOR SALE.

200 BAGS Canadian Spring Seed Wheat, in White Fife, Red Fife, White Russian, imported last Fall from a reliable farmer; will be sold cheap.

Also, a large quantity of the same, to arrive on opening of navigation.

Farmers in want of Good Seed for Spring sowing would do well to send in their orders early.

We will Guarantee Satisfaction.

A. HORNE & CO.

Ch'town, March 19th, 1885—wkp4tdy 1aw

\$200 REWARD.

THE above reward will be given by the City of Charlottetown, to any person who will give such information as will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who feloniously set on fire certain premises on Pownall Street, the property of James Currie, Esq., Collector of Customs, on the evening of the 24th inst.

By order of the Mayor, A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, March 25, 1885.—2w 2awp4tdw

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale his valuable Farm at Eidon, Belfast, consisting of 100 acres of land, with a good dwelling house and stable thereon. This farm is pleasantly situated at the village of Eidon, and convenient to churches, schools and shipping ports, being only one mile from Halliday's Wharf and two miles from Pinette River Bridge, and is in close proximity to Orwell Bay, where abundance of mussel mud and seaweed can be obtained.

One-half the purchase money can remain on mortgage for a term of years at 6 per cent interest.

For particulars apply to Messrs, McLean & Martin, Solicitors, Ch'town.

WM. McLEAN, City Clerk.

Ch'town, March 27, 1885—1aw wky 1mo

ANTHRACITE

and all other kinds of

COAL

McMILLAN'S DEPOT, Duncan's Old Wharf.

March 7 Si wky 4i

SALE FOR 10 DAYS ONLY

W. & A. Brown & Co. will offer the balance of their stock of DRY GOODS at

GREAT BARGAINS FOR THE NEXT 10 DAYS.

The firm will not enter the Brown's Block, as Mr. Hamilton Brown has decided to go out of business in this city, and has let his new store to Messrs W. A. Weeks & Co.

Business will be Continued on in the present stand by Mr. A. L. Brown, on his return from England.

All Accounts due the Firm must be Paid Immediately.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Charlottetown, April 7, 1885

Perkins & Sterns.

White Cottons, Grey Cottons, Print Cottons.

SHEETING COTTONS, PILLOW COTTONS, FLEECY COTTONS AND ALL OTHER COTTON GOODS, WOOLEN GOODS, SILK GOODS, &C.,

AT VERY LOWEST PRICES.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Ch'town, Feb. 20, 1885.

BROWN'S NEW STORE, MARKET SQUARE! NOTICE.

WEEKS & CO. beg to announce that on the completion of the above commanding premises—about 25th April, they will open the same with a complete stock of

NEW & FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS,

Millinery, &c., selected by Mr. Paton, and now on the way by steamers from London, Liverpool and Glasgow.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.

Ch'town, April 6, 1885.

M. S. BROWN & CO.,

ESTABLISHED, A. D., 1840.

128 Granville Street - - - - - Halifax, N. S. IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS.

AGENTS FOR THE

NEW HAVEN CLOCK CO.,

NEW HAVEN, CONN.,

AND THE ONLY RECOGNIZED

JOBBERS FOR WALTHAM WATCHES

FOR THE MARITIME PROVINCES,

NOTIFY the Jewellery Trade that they carry a full stock of goods as above, and are prepared to supply them at shortest notice.

Attention is also called to our unequalled line of

Watchmakers' Tools and Materials, Jewellers' Tools, Findings, &c.

Our lines of Gold-Plated JEWELLERY and Swiss WATCHES will be found specially full and attractive.

Importations for Spring Trade now complete. Prices the lowest for similar classes of Goods. April 2—4i oaw wky 6w

THE ISLAND OF ANTICOSTI. IMPORTANT NOTICE

Messrs. F. W. and T. G. Stockwell, Merchants, of Quebec and London, England, having purchased the whole of that Island, known as ANTICOSTI, situate in the District of Saguenay, Province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada, together with all the Fishing Rights and other Appurtenances thereto belonging, hereby give Notice that as soon as navigation opens they will be prepared to supply from their Chief Stores at

English Bay, McDonald Cove, Fox Bay,

and other places, complete Supplies of Fishing Tackle, Nets, Lines, Hooks, Cordage, Hardware, Salt, Provisions, Groceries, Crockery, Hats, Boots and Shoes, Merchandise and Clothing, AT THE LOWEST RATES, to all Fishermen, Vessels, Lumbermen, Farmers, Anglers and others, and they will be prepared to deal with them for the purchase of all Fish caught round the Coast;

And the said Messrs. Stockwell hereby also give notice to all Merchants and Traders who heretofore made use of any of the Buildings, Stables, Fencings, Wharves, &c., and all other improvements on the Island, and at the various Fishing Establishments around the Island, that they are to desist from using the same; and anyone found unlawfully fishing on the Island, or damaging or committing any injury to any of the Buildings thereon, will be prosecuted.

All persons desirous of landing Goods upon the Island must apply for License to Messrs Stockwell, otherwise they will be liable to prosecution for trespass.

Residents wishing to remain on the Island, and all others desirous of obtaining License to fish, must apply forthwith to

MR. W. STOCKWELL,

Or to MR. THOMAS LEBRUN,

at English Bay.

March 28, 1885—ap4 6i wky 1i

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, having purchased the good-will and business of Messrs. Wheatley & Sons, and having taken their stall in the Market, is prepared to attend to all who may favor him with their custom. I have also opened out a Meat and Provision Store on Kent Street, in the premises formerly occupied by the late John Jury.

WILLIAM SELLAR.

April 1, 1885—6i pd

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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