

Local and Other Items.

MAIL this afternoon.

CITY COUNCIL to-night.

SKATING.—Band at the Excelsior Rink to-morrow night.

NORTHERN LIGHT.—The Northern Light is reported still fast in the ice at Souris.

SHIP NEWS.—By cablegram from Peake Bros. & Co., we learn that the *Erma* left Liverpool for Charlottetown yesterday.

NEW PAPER.—Fredericton has a new paper. It is called the *Sporting and Dramatic News*. The subscription price is 75 cents per annum.

PRAYERS.—The prayers of the congregations in the various churches of this city, were yesterday invoked on behalf of William Millman.

I. O. O. F.—St. Lawrence Lodge, No. 8, meets to-night. Brethren are requested to assemble at 7.30 sharp, as the initiatory and several degrees are to be conferred.

DROWNED IN A WELL.—The five-year-old son of William McCarron, of Newbury, Carleton Co., N. B., fell head foremost into his father's well one day last week and was drowned.

A BIG FIRE.—Six large carriage factories and many dwellings were burned at Amesbury, Mass., on the night of the 5th inst. Loss over a million dollars. Half the business of the town is destroyed.

POULTRIC.—Jack McGee, of East Boston (formerly of St. John), challenges any man in the maritime provinces to a glove contest of six, eight or ten rounds, or to a finish, small gloves, for a purse or stake, bar no weight.

RACE.—A boys race is talked off, for next Thursday evening, entries will be received at the Excelsior Rink to-morrow evening, from boys under 14 years of age, who are willing to skate one mile for suitable prizes.

PERSONAL.—Rev. George Sutherland, the former pastor of the Free Church in this city, and latterly of Australia, will be at Halifax in July, on a brief visit to the maritime provinces. It is 23 years since he left this country.

GETTING READY.—The *St. John Sun* says that the steamer *Lansdowne* is receiving a general overhauling there. She will be newly painted. A part of her crew have been shipped, and the steamer will be ready for service in the course of a few days.

A SMART LITTLE GIRL.—Says the *Tru^o Sun*: Jennie Blanche Hall, daughter of D. R. Hall, of East Mountain, when she was 8 years old, made a quilt with 400 pieces in it, and last February when she was 12 years old commenced another one containing 1600 pieces, which she finished the last day of March besides attending to various household duties.

THE ICE BLOCKADE.—A correspondent writes: Three men in an open boat crossed from Pictou to Murray Harbor on the 5th inst., and the *S. S. Northern Light* is still detained by a blockade of ice in Souris Harbor. Where is Captain Cheverie with his schooner, and what about Souris Harbor, that was never known to be blocked with ice?

SUDDEN DEATH.—About noon on Thursday, says the *St. John Sun*, Jeremiah Hayes, of Moore Street, Fort Howe, dropped dead within a few feet of his own door. Mr. Hayes left his home about nine o'clock in the morning in apparent good health, and was on his return to his wife and family when he fell dead in the street. He was a gardener, and about 63 years of age.

SCOTT ACT REPEAL ELECTIONS.—A Scott Act repeal petition has been deposited for Antishaska, Quebec. On April 18th a vote will be taken in Simcoe county, Ontario, on the Scott Act repeal petition, and on the following day in Bruce, Dufferin, Stormont and Glengarry, Renfrew and Dundas. The most vigorous campaign is probably Simcoe county. The Scott Act association there has engaged among other eloquent speakers Mrs. Youmans, President of the Dominion W. C. T. U., Mr. John A. Nicholls, of the Dominion Alliance, and the Hon. Ansley Gray.

THE FISHING FLEET.—Says the *Cape Ann Advertiser*:—"The fishing fleet now numbers 20 sail of codfishermen at Flemish Cap, 30 do. and 35 halibuters on Grand Bank, 135 sail (mostly French and provincial) on Quere and St. Pierre banks, 100 sail off Sable Island, 85 on Georges and Brown's banks and adjacent grounds, and 135 off the New England shore. Heavy fields of ice are reported from Sable Island to St. Pierre, and will likely continue through the month of April. This fleet will be increased later in the season, when the vessels are all fitted."

THE CONDEMNED MAN.—The following notice was given from the Altar at St. Peter's Church yesterday morning:—"You are aware what event is to take place on Tuesday. Several people have intimated their desire to pray for the passing soul, so there will be a Celebration of Holy Communion at this Church on Tuesday morning, at 7.45. Of course an expression of opinion, either one way or the other will be inferred from taking part in this service. This fact alone is recognized—a soul is about to stand before its Maker and requires all the help and strength that can be given while passing through the Valley of the Shadow of Death."

ART EXHIBITION.—The *Witness* reports that the spring exhibition of pictures at the Montreal Art Gallery is "modest in quantity but good in quality." Of the contributions of Mr. Robert Harris it says:—"Mr. Harris' picture of Canon Norman is one on which alone that genial artist's reputation as a portrait painter might find a good foundation. The majestic figure and mien of the sitter lose nothing at his hand, unless it be that a little more ruggedness of treatment would have added a sense of strength. Not far off is a face by the same artist, which shows what he can do in putting soul into a face. Mr. Harris' 'Mandolin Player' is a successful and apparently rapid work."

ONE OF FAHEY'S CAPTURES.—Fahey the Montreal detective recently found guilty and sentenced for burglary, was one of the most successful detectives in America. In the fifth year of his service he attained celebrity by the capture of David Hall, a New York banker who absconded with \$60,000 of trust funds. Many detectives were on the search, but Fahey was the lucky man who traced Hall to the Maritime provinces, followed him part of the way in a special train hired for that purpose, and arrested him in Moncton. It is stated that Fahey refused an offer of \$20,000 to release this prisoner, and it is known that he obtained \$5,000 reward for making the capture.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

RIOTING IN IRELAND.

Assaulting the Police.

CLERGYMEN AND MEMBERS INTERFERE.

KILRUSH, April 8.

On Saturday night policemen trying to prevent the erection of a platform for a meeting announced for to-day, were pelted with stones by a mob, and compelled to charge the crowd. Ten were severely wounded with batons and bayonets, and two policemen were injured with stones.

Mr. Tanner, Member of Parliament, held a meeting outside the town at 6 a. m., and burned a copy of the Government proclamation. At 2 p. m. the advertised hour, he attempted to hold another meeting when the police removed him. About 6000 persons belonging to various league branches of Kilrush assembled at 2.20, when the police, led by magistrates, charged the crowd, injuring many. A number of arches were torn down.

Father Flynn, of Kilminihill, was attacked by two policemen with rifles. A farmer felled one policeman with his black-thorn stick. A riot being imminent, the Berkshire Regiment, with fixed bayonets, charged the crowd and many were badly wounded. Order was somewhat restored on the crowd being appealed to by the priests and Messrs. Redmond and Crilly, members of Parliament.

Mr. Redmond then attempted to organize the meeting announced, but was prevented by the magistrates. He protested that the government's action in preventing the meeting was illegal, and with the priests, advised the multitude to disperse.

THE PAINSAIC TRAGEDY.

Death of Constable Farrell.

Charges Against Scott Act Prosecutors.

MONCTON, April 8.

Constable Farrell, who was shot by Bastian at Painsaic on Friday, died at his home in Shediac on Saturday morning. An inquest was held, and a verdict returned that death resulted from a pistol shot fired by Bastian. There is intense feeling in all parts of the county against the Scott Act prosecutors in Shediac, and the prosecuting lawyer, who had gone into Bastian's house shortly after the shooting, was denounced by widow Bastian as a murderer and ordered from the house. There is talk of re-opening enquiry. Many serious charges are alleged against the Scott Act prosecutors.

Bismarck's Resignation.

BERLIN, April 8.

The Emperor has declined to accept Bismarck's resignation. The differences regarding the projected marriage of Prince Alexander and Princess Victoria have been arranged. It is confirmed in Ministerial circles that the crisis terminated Friday.

The Preeper Murder Trial.

HALIFAX, April 8.

The Preeper murder trial is still going on. A new theory of defence is now advanced. That Doyle was trailing the gun behind him when it went off. The doctor's testimony as to the course of the shots supports this view.

Arrival of the Polynesian.

HALIFAX, April 8.

The Polynesian arrived last night, having 900 immigrants. The Pomeranian came in to-day. The Carthaginian is now coming up the harbor with 1000 more.

A Serious Charge.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., April 8.

Charles H. Whiting, merchant, of London, was arrested this morning, charged with rape on Minnie Gillespie. He was lodged in jail. An attempt was made by 200 citizens to lynch him, but it was prevented by the police.

Another Flood.

PESTH, April 7.

A waterspout passed over this city yesterday, causing sewers to burst and flooding fully 1,000 basements. The damage is enormous. Dykes between Csongrad and Csany burst, flooding 2,500 acres.

The Government Majority.

OTTAWA, April 7.

The division was taken on the Jones amendment at half-past four this morning. The vote stood: yeas, 67; nays, 124. The division was a straight party one.

Steamer Lost.

BUENOS AYRES, April 8.

The steamer *Rio Janeiro* has been lost. She had 120 passengers.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, April 9-10 a. m.

Winds mostly north and west, fair weather; a little lower temperature.

MORE YELLOW COVER LITERATURE.—Three boys, one twelve years old and the other sixteen, belonging to a few days ago at Saratoga, N. Y. They had a large supply of knives, guns and ammunition, and sixty cents. They were going to the Adirondacks to win fortune by hunting and trapping.

Farm Stock and Implements.

I am instructed by Mr. Robert Bridges to sell by Auction, at his Establishment, Hillsborough Street, on MONDAY, 30th inst., at 1 o'clock:—

All his Farm Stock and Implements, consisting of 1 Horse, 4 years old; 1 do., 3 years old; 1 Mare, 4 years old (Porchero); 1 Horse, 3 years old (Stockman); 1 Colt, 2 years old; 1 Oxen, 1 Milch Cow, 6 well-bred Heifers, and several Pigs. Implements—2 Plows, 1 Gang do., 1 Moulding do., 1 Scuffer, 1 Hay Rake, 2 sets Harrows, 1 Truck Wagon with Pole and Harness, 2 Carts, 1 Express Wagon, 1 Double Seated Wagon, 1 Single Wagon, 1 Single Sleigh, 1 Double sleigh, 2 Wood Sleighs, 3 sets Carriage Harness, and sundry other articles.

G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

AUCTION.

I am instructed by Mrs. Mary A. Bevan, to sell by Auction, on the Premises, on WEDNESDAY, 25th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, all her interest in the Property situated on the Malpeque Road, and held by her under lease for the term of 15 years.

G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

Lease by Auction.

I am instructed to sell by Auction, at my Sales-room, on WEDNESDAY, 11th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon.—The Lease of P. G. Fraser's Corner, with privilege of purchasing the Property at any time.

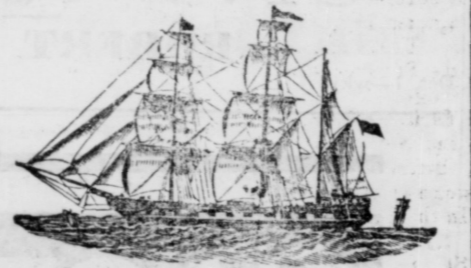
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G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

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Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

SPRING, 1888.



THE FAST SAILING BARK

MOSELLE,

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—WILL SAIL—

From Boston for Charlottetown

About the 10th April.

For Freight apply in Boston to Messrs. Chase, Hunt & Co., 19 Broad Street, or here to the owners,

PEAKE BROS. & CO.

Ch'town, March 21, 1888—cod tf

\$130,000 WATER DEBENTURES

—OF THE—

City of Charlottetown.

TENDERS will be received at the Commissioners' Office up to the night of the 30th April, prox., for the purchase of \$130,000 (One Hundred and Thirty Thousand Dollars) of the City of Charlottetown Water Works Debentures. These debentures are of the denomination of \$50 each, and are payable in twenty-five years from date of issue, bearing interest at five (5) per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, and are issued by virtue of a Special Act of the Legislature, passed last year, intitled:—"The Charlottetown Water Works Act, 1887."

Tenders will be received for part or whole. Of the above amount, \$85,000 will be issued 15th May; \$20,000 15th June; and about \$10,000 monthly thereafter till whole are issued. The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

D. LAIRD, Chairman.

Water Commissioners' Office, Charlottetown, P. E. I., March 27th, 1888. mch28—2aw

SPENCER'S

OPHTHALMOSCOPIC TEST LENSES

Will Detect All Visual Defects.



A scientific and practical instrument for detecting all optical defects of the eye, and determining the lenses needed for their correction. As we use this instrument in adjusting Spectacles and Eye Glasses, we can guarantee satisfaction to our customers in all cases of

MYOPIA, or Near Sight,

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ASTIGMATISM, or Poor Sight,

Caused by oval eyes, which causes some figures on a clock dial at fifteen feet to look darker than others.

This instrument measures each eye separately, a method which all oculists agree is the proper one.

Persons who have had difficulty in obtaining Spectacles to suit them are cordially invited to call and acquaint themselves with the merits of this instrument.

SPECTACLES and EYE GLASSES always in stock of the several grades, in frames of Steel, Rubber, Nickel, Celluloid, Silver, Gold, and Spectacles and Eye Glasses other than regular goods is on order.

Oculists' Prescriptions carefully filled.

E. W. TAYLOR,

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Feb. 23, 1888—2aw & wky

HATS! HATS!

JUST OPENED:

Ten Cases of New Hats, FOR SPRING,

The Most Stylish, the Best Quality, and the Lowest Prices,

—AT—

L. E. PROWSE'S,

Ch'town, March 10, 1888.

Sign of the Great Big Hat, 144 Queen Street.

THE Clearance Sale

LONDON HOUSE

Is Still Going On.

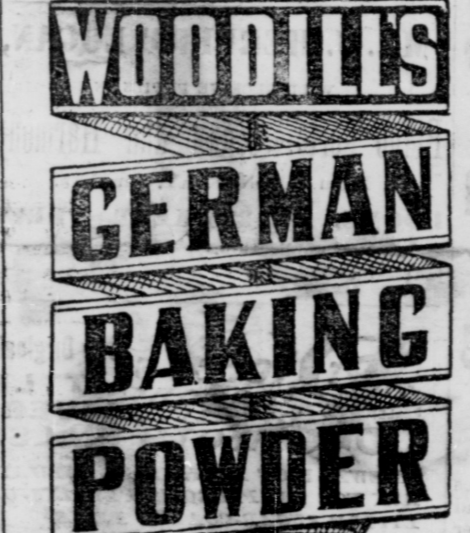
Many Fine Grades of Goods.

LARGE DISCOUNTS,

And every effort made to meet the requirements of CASH BUYERS.

F. W. MOORE,

Assignee of HARRIS & STEWART. Ch'town, March 2, 1888.



DR. KELLY,

Physician and Surgeon,

OFFICE:

UPPER QUEEN STREET,

Four Doors Above Apothecaries' Hall. Ch'town, March 29, 1888—dy 3m cod wky

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

WANTED.—A Janitor for St. James' Church. Application to be made to A. KENNEDY, Chairman of Trustees, from whom all information can be obtained. 2w Tues sat—ap9

TO LET.—A large Warehouse on Sidney Street. Apply to Mrs. GAHAN. 1w cod—ap6

WANTED.—Between now and the first of May, 60 Men and Boys to come and leave their orders for Clothes made from the Island Tweed, all wool, ranging from \$2 to \$12 per Suit. Good Pants from \$2 to \$3.—P. J. FORAN, Queen Street, Ch'town. 4i—ap6

TO LET.—A House on Richmond Street (near Hillsborough Square), containing 8 rooms. Good Yard and Stables. Rent moderate. Apply to J. B. MACDONALD, Queen Street. 3i—ap6

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. J. B. MACDONALD, Dorchester Street. 3i—ap6

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework in a small family. Enquire at THE EXAMINER office. ap6

WANTED.—A Housekeeper for a Farm House. Apply to Wm. OWEN, Keppoch Farm, Lot 48, or St. Peter's Road, City. cod—ap4

WANTED.—A Furnished House in the city for the summer months. No children. Address 'A. Z.' this office. ap12

TO LET.—A Cottage situate on Sidney Street, opposite the Brick Church, known as the Ducheman Property. Possession given 16th May next. Apply to John Kelly, Esq., Water Commissioner, or to the owner, EDWARD KELLY, Southport. ap12

TO LET.—A House situate on Prince Street, opposite the Brick Church, at present occupied by A. A. McLean, Esq. Possession given the first of May next. Apply to John Kelly, Esq., Water Commissioner, or to the owner, EDWARD KELLY, Southport. 1m cod—ap12

WANTED.—A Plain Cook. Apply at Mrs. CHURCHILL'S, corner Hillsboro and Fitzroy Streets. pd 3i—mch23

TO LET.—Those commodious Stables on Graf-ton Street, Charlottetown, lately occupied by Mr. John F. Powers, adjoining the premises of Mr. J. D. McLeod. Possession given immediately. Apply to EDWARD J. HOGSON. mch9—dy 1f

WANTED.—A Housemaid. Apply at Chief Justice Palmer's. mch16

WANTED.—By the 1st May, a House with four or five comfortable rooms, centrally located. Apply to "D. R. H." P. O. Box 337, City. feb21

BOARDERS ACCOMMODATED.—At Mrs. McLean's, Hillsborough Street, between Dorchester and King. out19 cod 1f

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A plain Cook and Housemaid. Washing given out. Good references required. Apply at EXAMINER office. mch16—1f



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A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED every time. A trial will convince you all.

LADIES' GARMENTS Cut and Made in the Latest Styles.

P. J. FORAN.

Ch'town, March 6, 1888—2aw & wky

Paper Hangings for this Season.

Our Immense Stock of Room Paper is now ready for sale.

WE HAVE OVER 30,000 ROLLS ON HAND,

Bought in England, Scotland, United States and Canada,

Newest Patterns and Lowest Prices.

Staple & Fancy Dry Goods, Carpets & Oil Cloths VERY CHEAP.

PERKINS & STERNS'

Charlottetown, March 12, 1888.

STANLEY BROS.

White Cottons, Print Cottons, Grey Cottons, Pillow Cottons, Sheetting Cottons, Shirting Cottons, Table Linens, Towels, Towelling,

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Merinoes, Plushes, Silks, Brocades, Gloves, Corsets, Hosiery, Embroideries, Collars and Cuffs,

And a Well Assorted Stock of all kinds of

DRY GOODS, VERY CHEAP, AT

STANLEY BROTHERS,

BROWN'S BLOCK.

Ch'town, March 9, 1888.—cod & wky.

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CANNED GOODS, in Peaches, Pine Apple, Corn, Tomatoes, French Peas, Sardines, Salmon, Lobster, Corned Beef, Dried Beef, Ox Tongue, Cured Tongue, Pea Soup, &c., &c.

LEA & PERKINS' WORCESTER SAUCE, Tomato Sauce, Harvey's Sauce, Mushroom Catsup, Yorkshire Relish, Mangoe Chutney, Capers, Saus. Anchovies, China Soy Olives, Curry Powder, Salad Oil, French Mustard, &c., &c.

CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S MIXED PICKLES. Chow Chow, Onions, Piccalilli and Pickled Walnuts.

KELLER'S MARMALADE, JAMS and JELLIES of all kinds.

POTTED HAM, Devilled Ham, Potted Tongue, LIEBEG'S EXT. MEAT, Fluid Beef, Milk Food.

All Fresh, Good Stock.

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Feb. 9, 1888—oaw & wky