

Local and Other Items.

SUMMERSIDE harbor is still blocked with ice. HON. LOUIS PARENT, M. L. C., Quebec is dead. The mails arrived by express at nine o'clock last night. The steamer M. A. Starr sailed from Halifax for this port on Thursday. Two cases of drunkenness at the stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon. The Rev. Mr. McLean will preach in St. James Church to-morrow. Both services. W. E. Wood, Esq., General Passenger Agent of the All Rail Line, is at the Rankin. The famous social story "The Breadwinners" for sale at the Diamond Bookstore. Price 30 cents. Sir Leonard and Lady Tilley are in St. John. Sir Leonard is much improved in health. Mr. A. PELLETIER, of the firm of Tribandean, Frere & Co., Quebec, is making his spring tour of the Province. He is staying at the Rankin. The Steam Navigation Co. steamers did not leave this port to-day, owing to the Bay being packed with ice. If the ice permits they will leave early on Monday morning. The steamer Northern Light left Pictou for Georgetown at one o'clock this afternoon. A special train left this city at a quarter past four to bring the mails and passengers to the city. The Brethren of St. John's and Victoria Lodges, A. F. & A. M., will meet at their Lodge Room, Masonic Hall, to-morrow (Sunday), 15th instant, at two p. m., to attend the funeral of their late Brother, James Connell. BISHOP BISNEY reminds the clergy of Nova Scotia and P. E. Island, that Tuesday, 20th inst., or one of the seven following days, is to be observed as a day of Intercession for Missions, in accordance with the recommendation of the last Lambeth Conference. The Lazier murder trial has been concluded at Pictou, Ont. The prisoners, Tompsett and Lowder, were both found guilty of murder, and sentenced to be hanged on the 26th of June. Tompsett, on being asked if he had anything to say, remarked that he was not guilty, but would "take it like a man." Lowder said he would just as soon hang with his companion in crime as serve a long term of imprisonment. HANLAN.—Mr. George W. Stuart has sold his trotting horse Hanlan to Mr. C. Willoughby Anderson of Halifax, who has now undoubtedly got the fastest four-year-old in Nova Scotia. Hanlan is not yet four, as he was foaled on the 15th June, 1881, on the farm of Mr. William Dennis, Manager, P. E. I., sired by Highland Chief, by Dean Swift, by dam Hess, one of the best bred mares on the Island.—Tribune Sun. ATTENTION is directed to Mr. Auld's advertisement of fertilizers. Mr. Auld has certificates from Mr. J. A. Robertson, of Rustico; Mr. Charles J. Hazzard, of Mill View; Mr. William Millar, Mr. D. H. Auld, and other farmers, as to the excellence of the fertilizer he sells, and the profits derived from its use. These prepared fertilizers, are, no doubt, regarded with the good deal of suspicion; and the best thing farmers can do is to purchase it in small quantities and give it a fair trial. If they find it doesn't pay, buy no more and tell their neighbors about it; if it does, why—do the other thing. PERHAPS the most successful of our young Islanders abroad is Mr. James C. McEachen, youngest son of John McEachen, Esq., merchant of this city. He has lately graduated with high honors from the Law University of New York, and received the title of J. L. B. He cannot practice, however, until next November. The degree will be conferred by the Rev. Dr. John Hall in the Academy of Music, New York, on May 15, when addresses will be delivered by students of the University and leading lawyers of New York. Mr. McEachen is one of the three composing the managing committee to arrange a programme, &c., for the occasion. We congratulate our young friend on his success, he being only in his twentieth year.—Herald. THE Hon. Neil McLeod's Hernando is in splendid condition this spring; and we are pleased to learn that his services are in demand. He is without doubt the best bred horse of his kind in the Lower Provinces; and the more he is known the better his value will be appreciated. There are two classes of horses, which it is to the interest of the farmer to raise for export purposes,—heavy draft horses, which command sure sale and good prices, and the fine dark bay, or black, roadsters which are the pride of wealthy gentlemen in the great cities, and the admiration of all who take an interest in racing. Hernando is one of the latter class; and many of his offspring, from our well-bred mares, will, no doubt, bring fancy prices.

The eastern section of the Methodist Transfer Committee convened in the vestry of the Methodist church, Moncton, on Wednesday. There were present: Reva. S. T. Teed, President of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference, P. E. Island; W. H. Hertz, President of the Nova Scotia Conference, Yarmouth; J. Gaetz, Amherst, and H. Daniels, St. John. Dr. Rice, President of the General Conference, Toronto, was to have been present, but owing to sickness was prevented. Revs. F. Wilson and T. J. Deinstadt were also present as visitors. Rev. Mr. Daniels was elected to the chair and Rev. J. Gaetz was chosen as secretary. The only important business transacted was the transfer by the committee of Rev. N. W. Percival from the Newfoundland to the Toronto Conference.

The Boston Globe of Tuesday publishes a list of divorce suits. The following extract will be interesting to Charlottetown readers:—Sarah J. Spear, a pretty burnette, tastefully dressed, was married to Charles J. Spear, in 1880. They lived at St. John, Annapolis, and afterward returned to Boston. "My husband drank and gambled and continued to abuse me," said the libellant. "On the 25th of May, I went to the beach to get money to pay the rent. He had been drinking and was angry. He dragged me across the wharf and threw me into his room, and choked me." A wharf employe at the beach testified that "Spear would drink every half hour if anybody would give it to him," and an officer who arrested Spear at Hingham testified that he said he "would not support his wife any more." The libellant since supported herself and child, now nearly three years old, with the help of friends. She didn't know where her husband was, but had heard that he was an advance agent for some travelling company. Deceit, ruse, fraud and desertion. Custody of child to libellant.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.) Another Failure—Heavy Liabilities. NEW YORK, May 17. There is a better outlook on Wall Street to-day. The Newark, N. J., Savings Bank has failed. The failure is caused by the down fall of Fisk & Hatch. The liabilities of Grant & Ward are from fourteen to fifteen millions of dollars. The Queen Negotiating. LONDON, May 16. Queen Victoria is negotiating for the purchase of the Villa at Cannes, in which Prince Leopold died. Her intention is to convert it into a convent and chapel in memory of the Prince.

The Situation in Egypt. LONDON, May 16. In the House of Lords, to-day, Earl Granville announced that refugees from Korooska and Berber had arrived at Cairo. They report Gen. Gordon and party well, and that the sorties he had made had been successful.

Another Steamship Wrecked. LONDON, May 16. The British steamship Illyrian, from Liverpool for Boston, went ashore last night near Cape Clear Lighthouse, on the southern coast of Ireland. The steamer is a total wreck, but all on board were saved.

Ministerial Rumors. OTTAWA, May 16. It is said Hon. Mr. Macpherson, Minister of the Interior, has resigned, and is going to England on Saturday next. It is generally understood Hon. Mr. Pope is to be Minister of Railways.

Instantly Killed. ST. STEPHEN, N. B., May 16. Marcus Upham, an old resident of St. Stephen, was instantly killed while walking on the railway track to-day.

Weather Bulletin. Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces. TORONTO, May 17—10 a. m. Fresh to strong east veering to south winds, cloudy to airy weather with local rains, stationary or higher temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Charlottetown, May 17, 1884. Highest temperature yesterday... 56.0 Lowest temperature (read at midnight)... 35.8 Lowest temperature this morning... 34.6 Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock... 41.6 Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock... 40.8

HOTEL ARRIVALS. REVERSE HOUSE. May 17—Howard Fairbrother, Montreal; Wm R. Anderson, Halifax; P. O'Mullin, do; J. Scott Mitchell, do; W. H. Brennan, Summerside; D. S. Schirman, do; W. Stewart, do; A. T. Higginson, Montreal; Walter Davidson, do; E. A. Smith, do; Geo. H. Bishop, do; W. L. Rice, do; P. Mullarkey, do; Rev. S. Teed, Tryon; Chas. Robertson, Toronto; J. W. Morton, New York; R. A. Murdoch, Quebec.

RANKIN HOUSE. May 15—H. F. Webb, Portland, G. H. Bowen St. John; J. A. Raffier, Montreal; W. A. Lefrey, Summerside; David Glover and wife, Brookton, Mass.; G. W. Baker and wife, Boston; A. McFarlane, Montreal; T. W. Morton, New York; G. W. Howlan and wife, Tignish, 16—M. C. McRobie, St. John; W. S. Stewart, Summerside; Geo. Dibble, Fredericton; R. McHaffie, Hamilton, Ont.; J. C. Moines, Montreal; A. Pettier, Quebec; W. E. Wood, St. John; A. D. Caybag and lady, Boston; W. Cormick, Boston; A. A. Saudiman, Montreal; S. A. Conrad, Halifax.

DIED. On Thursday last, May 15th, at the P. E. Island Hospital, James Connell, a native of Pictou, N. S., aged eighty-four years. (Funeral on Sunday at 2.30 p. m., from Masonic Hall, Water Street, to Southport cemetery.) (Pictou papers please copy.)

OPENED THIS WEEK —AT— WATSON'S DRUG STORE. 9 packages Sundries, 36 doz. Indian Root Pills, 9 doz. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, 60 doz. Ayer's Pills, 18 doz. Ayer's Sarsaparilla, 18 doz. Ayer's Hair Vigor, 18 doz. Mountain Herb Pills, 24 doz. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, 1 package Fishing Gear. Ch'town, May 15, 1884—21 th sa

ACADIA COAL! LANDING TO-DAY, ex schooner L. H. Davies, 70 tons Acadia Nut. Ex schooner Three Sisters, 60 ton Acadia Round. C. LYONS, Acadia Coal Depot, Peake's No. 2 Wharf, May 13, 1884—41

WHITE OATS. 200 BUSHELS best White Potato Oats. Apply to GEORGE MASON, Ch'town, Lot 49, May 10—31

BOSTON STEAMERS.

WORCESTER LEAVES BOSTON ON Saturday, 17th inst., for Charlottetown. Returning will leave Charlottetown on Thursday, 22nd instant, for Boston. CARVELL BROS., AGENTS. Ch'town, May 16—pat 21

RECEIVED TO-DAY. 13 boxes EXTRACT LOGWOOD, 24 cabinets DIAMOND DYES, 20 tins CASTOR OIL (10-lb. each), 3 brls. SULPHUR, 2 kegs BORAX, 2 brls. ALUM, 2 bales CLOVES, 4 kegs INDIGO, 2 brls. BLUESTONE, 60 boxes GINGER, 100 boxes PEPPER. CARVELL BROS., AGENTS. Ch'town, May 16—pat 21

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY. Queen's Birthday, 1884. EXCURSION RETURN TICKETS will be issued, at One First Class Fare, to and from all Stations on this Railway, by afternoon trains, on FRIDAY, 23rd May, inst., and by all trains on SATURDAY, 24th inst., good to return up to and including MONDAY, May 26th inst. JAMES COLEMAN, Superintendent. Railway Office, Ch'town, May 16, 1884. [ex pat end wy li her pres ne jour pio li

Household Furniture. To be sold by Auction, on Thursday next, 22nd instant, AT TEN O'CLOCK, at the residence of Mr. Charles Cairns, Weymouth Street, near Prince of Wales College, all his Household Furniture, comprising— Handsome Walnut Parlor Suit, Brussels Carpets and Rug, Lace Curtains, very superior Pianoforte (Rosewood Case), Centre Table, Wharfedale Mantle Glass and Clock, Dining Tables and Chairs, Hall Stove, Hat and Umbrella Stand, Oil Cloth; Pictures, sets of Bedroom Furniture, China and Glass Ware, Cook Stove, and other articles. Sale positive; no reserve; the owner going to leave the Island. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. Ch'town, May 16, 1884.

Diamond Dyes. 70 DOZEN, assorted colors, wholesale and retail, at BEER & GOFF'S. English Jams and Marmalade, IN Bulk and 1-pound Crockets, expected this week. BEER & GOFF. 40 BARRELS APPLIS, GOOD ORDER. For sale by the barrel, at BEER & GOFF'S. COFFEE. COFFEE. Fresh Roasted and Ground, —AT— BEER & GOFF'S. FLOUR. FLOUR. CHOICE BRANDS on hand. One car "Matchless" expected this week. BEER & GOFF. ORANGES, LEMONS, Dates and Confectionery, Wholesale and retail, at BEER & GOFF'S. To Contractors and Builders. TENDERS for repairs of damage done by late fire to St. Patrick's Hall, will be received by the undersigned, on or before Saturday, May 31st. Specifications can be seen at the office of the Merchant's Bank of Halifax, Charlottetown. The subscriber will not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender. F. H. ARNAUD, Agent Royal Canadian Insurance Co. May 16.

LATEST! NEWEST! LATEST! —AT— PERKINS & STERNS'

WE have just received our first instalment of this season's Stock, and, during the next ten days, will open the balance of Mr. Sterns' recent purchases in Great Britain and United States. As usual, our stock is bought in the very best markets; and, on inspection, will be found to comprise, in addition to STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, all the novelties of the season, at lowest prices. OUR STOCK OF MILLINERY AND LADIES' HATS is large, and consists of the latest Paris, London and New York styles. An immense Stock of FEATHERS AND FLOWERS. Dress, Mantle and other TRIMMINGS, in all the latest novelties. Silks, Satins, Velvets, Dress Goods, Prints, Sateens, Gingham, etc., etc.

Ch'town, April 29, 1884.

JUST ARRIVED, VIA BOSTON, 875 Barrels Choice Patent Flour. DAILY EXPECTED, VIA PICTOU, 500 Barrels Choice Superior Extra. FOR SALE BY J. A. CHIPMAN & CO. N. B.—Owing to the inferior quality of most Canada Superior this year, we have concluded to make a specialty of the two following brands—Evangeline, 1st grade; Superior Extra, Nova Scotia Mills, 2nd Grade. We guarantee these brands to give satisfaction. J. F. SHATFORD, Agent. Ch'town, May 10.

TEAS! On hand and to arrive, 425 half-chests choice retailing Teas, in packages of 5, 10, 15 and 20 pounds, also at Wholesale Prices. GEO. DAVIES & CO. Ch'town, April 29, 1884.

HATS! HATS!! HATS!!! A splendid assortment of Christy's Hats, in Silk, Felt, etc., via Northern Light, just opened, at the London House, and prices very low. Ch'town, April 26, 1884.

Now opening at the London House, part of our Spring Stock, selected by our Mr. Harris, in the British Markets, and arriving by the steamers Wetherby, Boston City, Waldensian, Siberian, Caucasian, Castle City, Texas, Polynesian, and sailing ships from Liverpool and London. GEO. DAVIES & CO. Ch'town, April 28, 1884.

PAPER HANGINGS, in great variety of patterns, selling very low at the London House, wholesale & retail. April 24, 1884. Readymade Clothing, in Men's and Boys', selling cheap at the London House. April 18, 1884—2w cod wky

Herring Nets, Herring Nets. 1 doz. Mounted Nets, for sale by HORACE HAZARD, Ch'town, May 9—51 cod

MONEY WANTED. IN consequence of my loss by the fire of 20th February last, I feel compelled to ask for an immediate settlement of all overdue accounts, whether by notes of hand or otherwise. All accounts not settled by the 1st of June next will be placed in the hands of my attorney, without further notice. Balance of Furniture saved from the fire selling off at great bargains. JOHN NEWSON, Ch'town, May 1, 1884—1m

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Prince Edward Island Hospital.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the Act of Incorporation, a public meeting of all contributors to the above institution will be held in the Hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, in the City of Charlottetown, P. E. Island on Thursday, the 22nd of May, instant (1884), at the hour of half-past seven o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of passing by-law for the government of the corporation, the election of trustees in accordance with such by-laws, and for the transaction of such other business as shall be brought before the meeting. Dated this 6th May, 1884. CHAS. PALMER, RICHARD JOHNSON, JOHN GILLIS, A. KENNEDY, WILLIAM WEEKS, H. J. CUNDALL, Ch'town, May 7—2w wky

Notice of Assignment.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. Beer & Chandler, of Southport, merchants and traders have, by virtue of an assignment, dated the seventh day of April, A. D. 1884, duly assigned all their stock-in-trade and book debts to the undersigned, in trust, for the benefit of creditors. All persons indebted to said firm are hereby required to make immediate payment to me, the undersigned, Assignee. Dated this sixth day of May, A. D. 1884. W. H. AITKEN, Assignee. May 8—ex pat 3aw tl may 22

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Beer & Chandler, of Southport, Merchants, Assigned.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for the Stock-in-Trade and Book Debts of the above named firm en bloc, up to Thursday, the 22nd day of May, instant, 1884, at twelve o'clock, noon, from any person or persons desirous of tendering for the same. Twenty-five per cent of the purchase money will be required to be paid on acceptance of tender, twenty-five per cent in three months, and balance in six months from date of said acceptance—approved security to be given for said last two payments. Tenders to state amounts for Book Debts and Stock separately. Each tender to state the nature of the security proposed to be given for said last two payments. A schedule of the Stock and Book Debts can be seen at the office of Messrs. Carvell Brothers, Charlottetown. The undersigned is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender. Dated this sixth day of May, A. D. 1884. W. H. AITKEN, Assignee. May 8—ex pat 3aw tl may 22

GOLD MEDAL-PARIS 1878. JOSEPH GILLOT'S STEEL PENS. SOLD BY ALL STATIONERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.