

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Examination of applications for entrance to the Normal School are unusually large.

The general opinion is that stone or brick buildings should replace the wooden ones lately destroyed by fire.

Trains will be a Tea Party at Campbell's Cove, King's County, on Wednesday, 22nd August. Particulars next week.

If the celebrated thirteenth century traveler, Marco Polo, should rise from the grave with the clay in his eyes and read his name in the Patriot as Mark Apollo, wouldn't he be very angry, and perhaps leave his mark on the eye of the writer?

Dr. HONKIN, Quarantine Officer at Charlottetown, has received authority from the Canadian Secretary of State to place all vessels coming from Mediterranean ports in quarantine, at his discretion. This also applies to vessels which have passed through the Mediterranean sea.

The barque *Mercator*, lost lately at Cavendish, was one of those renowned copper bottomed and copper fastened clipper ships which ploughed the ocean so long and so rapidly before steamers came into almost general use. She paid the owners ten times over, but she at length met her fate. May her timbers burn brightly if used for fire.

Although a few cranks may be heard here and there, the general farmers are satisfied with the crops as they have appeared up to this. Mr. Hassard, to the north of Charlottetown, has some very fine wheat, clean, early and large of head. Mr. Chandler, of Southport, has peas in his garden which are of extraordinary size. Indeed, all the crops promise well.

The Benevolent Irish Society's annual Picnic will take place on Wednesday next, 8th inst., on the St. Dunstan's College grounds. The Society will leave the St. Patrick's Hall for the Station about ten o'clock. Good music has been secured for the occasion, as well as the other sources of amusement the Society has always had on hand to carry out its fine programme. There will be all description of games, sports, etc.

The St. John Telegraph gives very encouraging accounts of the Exhibition, which takes place in that city from the 29th to the 6th October, inclusive. The party left the 31st July, it says: "The Exhibition Commission held a meeting yesterday and transacted a large amount of business. The new president, Hon. Mr. McCallan, was present, and participated actively in the work of the commission. Favorable reports were received from all quarters."

Sydney distinguished tourists from Quebec passed over the P. E. I. railroad on Thursday last, in a special train, on which also were Supt. Coleman and Mr. Unsworth, Mechanical Superintendent. Among the Quebecois were the Hon. Judge and Mrs. Caron, Mr. E. J. Langvin, clerk of the Senate, and Mr. Langvin's party left for Picton the same evening, when they expressed themselves delighted at what they had seen of the Island during their flying visit.

This folks at Alberton intend giving a Grand Tea on the 14th of August next. The proceeds will be dedicated to the (Catholic) Church at Alberton. This being the last Tea in the West, the Committee promise something worthy of the traditions of the district, and the Alberton people are famous for their success at teas, as every one knows. We understand that railroad fares are reduced to low that it will cost very little from the most distant places. There will be a brass band, and in fact everything to make the day pass pleasantly.

There is a gang of burglars operating in Charlottetown at present. On Sunday night last three stores were entered and ransacked. They were those of Mr. Quirk, baker, Prince Street, W. N. Riggs, tailor, Prince Street, and J. Nicholson, tailor, Sidney Street. The burglars of the hit and brace succeeded only to the extent of carrying off some loose change and a quantity of clothing. They also broke open four of the drawers of the Stamp Vendor in the Post Office on Sunday night, but as nothing was in the drawers nothing was stolen.

This Stipendiary Magistrate has held an examination into the cause of the late fire. Three children gave evidence. The first deposed that Johnny Hatch, about nine years old, adopted son of the city clerk, standing in the gangway between McLeod's stables and the Police Station before the fire on Sunday night, but could not tell what was doing. Kate Allen stated she saw Johnny Hatch gathering chips near Kennedy's livery house, on Thursday evening last, and saw a fire shortly afterwards. It seems young Hatch has a mania for starting fires of so dangerous a nature that it is intended sending him to a reformatory.

After quoting from the Herald until they were exhausted, our local contemporaries have at length turned to and offer advice as to the best method of doing away with the potato bug when he is discovered. It is evident, from the advice given, that there are many ways of killing the beetle without the use of Paris Green. We have two modes ourselves, which are as follows, and either of which is hereby guaranteed: First catch the bug and make him read either the Patriot or Examiner for an hour; if that does not kill him, get a pair of pinners—thoemaker's preferred—pinch him with them on the back until he opens his mouth, and when you have him at this disadvantage, choke him with melted butter.

The steamer *Cervol* arrived this morning, at five o'clock, with freight and the following passengers: Misses Maggie McLean, J. Ross, E. Martin, Sarah Pioneg, Maggie Morrison, Sarah Pratt, Jeanie Ryan, Mary McCormack, Mary Fraser, Rosalie Martin, Rachael McKenna, Jennie McLeod, K. Senter, Sarah McKinnon, Annie Clark, Annie Murphy, Mary E. McKinnon, Lizzie Forbes, Tilly Flynn, Fannie Smith, M. Smith, Mrs. A. Morrison, Mrs. A. Clarke, and two children, Mrs. S. R. Todd, Mrs. Catherine McKenna, Mrs. James Carney, Mrs. Boylan, Mrs. E. McEachern, Mrs. Wolnes, Mrs. F. Millikin, Mrs. Cann, Mrs. McEneaney, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. E. Carlin, Mrs. E. Dwyer, Mrs. James Gurney, Lieutenant Barlow, Capt. Woods, Messrs. G. H. Downing, W. H. Stetson, G. K. Brooks, S. F. McKay, Samuel Freeman, G. Snow, McEachern, McLeod, R. Hall, R. S. Eaton, A. McRea, F. McRea.

At auction on Wednesday, August 1st, 1883, at twelve o'clock, noon, at Cavendish Mills east of New London, a fine lot of new iron, and materials of the "Marco Polo," a 1,545 tons barthen.

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STEAMER HEATHER BELLE.

Summer Arrangement, 1883.

On and after Tuesday, July 24th, the new steamer *Heather Belle*, Hugh McLean, master, will run as follows—

Every Tuesday morning at four o'clock will leave Charlottetown for Orwell Wharf, leaving Orwell Wharf at seven a. m. for Charlottetown, calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves, where she will remain overnight.

Wednesday, will leave Orwell Wharf for Charlottetown, at seven a. m., calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves, leaving Charlottetown at three p. m., remaining at Orwell Wharf overnight.

Thursday, will leave Orwell Wharf for Charlottetown, at seven a. m., calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves, leaving Charlottetown at three p. m., remaining at Orwell Wharf overnight.

Friday, will leave Charlottetown for Orwell Wharf, at seven a. m., calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves, leaving Orwell Wharf at three p. m., remaining at Charlottetown overnight.

Saturday, will leave Orwell Wharf for Charlottetown, at seven a. m., calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves, leaving Charlottetown at three p. m., remaining at Orwell Wharf overnight.

Excursion Return Tickets will be issued from Charlottetown to Orwell every Thursday evening at one first-class fare. Also, Excursion Return Tickets will be issued Saturday to Orwell at one first-class fare.

JOHN HUGHES, Agent, Charlottetown, August 1, 1883.

P. E. Island Railway FOR SALE, FIVE SECOND-HAND LOCOMOTIVES.

ONE ENGINE contains about 46,150 lbs. of wrought iron, and 2,750 lbs. of scrap. The other four contain each about 37,900 lbs. wrought iron, and 2,100 lbs. of scrap. These engines might be repaired so as to answer for light work on a 3-foot 6-inch gauge Railway, or they could be converted into stationary engines for saw mills or other purposes.

Can be seen at Charlottetown, and all information regarding them will be furnished on application, by the Storekeeper P. E. I. Railway, Charlottetown.

JAMES COLEMAN, Supt. Railway Office, Ch'town, } ang 1-11 July 26th, 1883.

P. E. Island Railway FOR SALE, WINDMILLS AND PUMPS.

EIGHT (8) second-hand WINDMILLS, Price \$500 each. Eight (8) second-hand PUMPS, price \$100.00 each, delivered at Charlottetown.

Any information regarding the above can be obtained by applying to the Storekeeper P. E. I. Railway, Charlottetown.

JAMES COLEMAN, Supt. Railway Office, Ch'town, } aug 1-11 July 26th, 1883.

P. E. Island Railway Wrought Scrap Iron and Old Car Wheels.

TENDERS addressed to the undersigned will be received until August 11th next, from parties wishing to purchase an estimated quantity of one hundred (100) tons of Wrought Scrap Iron, and sixty (60) tons of Old Car Wheels.

Delivery can be made immediately on Railway Wharf, Charlottetown. In each case, state price per ton of two thousand lbs. (2,000).

The Department does not bind itself to accept the highest or any offer.

JAMES COLEMAN, Supt. Railway Office, Ch'town, July 26th, 1883.

A GRAND Trotting Meeting Kensington Park, Wednesday, August 8th, AT ONE O'CLOCK, SHARP, & Lively Contested Races.

CLASSES will be as follows: 3-minute U class. Purse, fifty-five dollars. Thirty dollars to 1st, fifteen dollars to 2nd. Ten dollars to 3rd. Class for green horses. Purse, fifty dollars. Twenty-five to 1st. Fifteen to 2nd. Ten to 3rd. Free-for-all trotters and pacers. Purse, ninety dollars. Fifty to 1st. Twenty-five to 2nd. Fifteen to 3rd. Sweepstakes Running Race. \$50.00 entrance fee, and purse of ten dollars added by committee. Entrants for free Trotting Race will be ten per cent of purse. All entries for trotting will close on August 6th. Five or more to enter, and 2 to start. All trotting will be mile heats, 3 in 5 to harness. National Rules to govern. The free-for-all is likely to be a closely contested race, as Abdallah Queen, Black Mare Tidy, Messenger Boy, and Hamiltonian are all in good condition. Island Chief may also be expected to start with this company.

Tickets half-fare from all points along the Railway. Park only a few yards distant from the Station.

W. F. SCOTT, Secy. Charlottetown, August 1, 1883—li

WANTED.

FOR the Mill Cove (Lot 55) School, a 1st Second-class Male Teacher. Supplement \$30.00. Apply to RONALD MCINTYRE, Secy of Trustees. Mill Cove, July 26, 1883—51 pd

BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY PICNIC.

ON WEDNESDAY, The 8th of August, On the Grounds of St. Dunstan's College.

A Programme of Games, for which liberal prizes will be given, is being prepared, and will be distributed. The Patent Spring will be provided for the use of the young folk. Refreshments will be furnished on the grounds.

Return Tickets at one fare will be issued on that day to parties purchasing Picnic tickets only, for all regular trains from Summerside, Georgetown, Souris, and intermediate Stations to Charlottetown, good to return on the following day. These trains will stop at St. Dunstan's College Platform, returning at 5.30 and 7.15 p. m. Return tickets ten cents.

Tickets of admission 25 cents, children 10 cents, to be procured at the Drug Stores and at the Diamond Bookstore.

RICHARD WALSH, Secretary Committee. July 25, 1883.

Carroll & McAlister, CARRIAGE BUILDERS,

DR leave to inform the public that they have engaged, and now occupy, the premises formerly used by J. & R. Scott, Kent Street, where they are prepared to attend to the above business in all its branches.

Carriages Built to Order IN THE LATEST STYLES. Repairing punctually attended to. July 25, 1883—3m

Scottish Gathering 1883.

THE CALEDONIAN CLUB OF P. E. Island will hold their Annual Gathering ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 10th, AT LONGWORTH'S FIELD, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Special Passenger Trains will leave Tignish, Summerside, Souris and Georgetown, early on the morning of the Gathering, calling at all intermediate stations, by which excursion tickets at very low fares, good to return same evening only, will be issued to all who will purchase tickets for the Gathering.

Passengers by the above trains will be let off at the St. Peter's Road Crossing, near the field. Also, return tickets at one first-class fare will be issued to those who purchase tickets for the Gathering at all stations to Charlottetown by the afternoon trains of Wednesday, August 8th, and return by the forenoon trains of Friday, the 10th August.

Beloved friends, will be met by the *Heather Belle*, from Orwell, and from West River, by *Southport*.

The day has been proclaimed a Public Holiday, and all necessary information can be obtained at the Public Buildings. For full particulars see Programme.

A. McNEILL, R. J. CAMPBELL, President, Secy. Charlottetown, July 25, 1883—3i

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Public Buildings," will be received until MONDAY, 6th proximo, for Coal supply, Dominion Public Buildings.

Specification, form of tender and all necessary information can be obtained at this Department on and after the 14th inst. Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called on to do so. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be refunded.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender. By order, F. H. ENNIS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, } july 25 2i Ottawa, 11th July, 1883.

NO. 1 HERRING JUST RECEIVED, 100 bbls. No. 1 HERRING. ALSO, A LOT OF CHOICE CODFISH.

We intend during the fall and winter months, to keep on hand a large stock of the above. Also, a lot of choice Choice Groceries, Very Cheap. CALL AND SEE US. McDONALD & PATR. July 25, 1883—2m

DEARBORN & O'S Dandelion Coffee,

PROPERLY made according to directions it is on each package, making a good healthy, pleasant drink. Cheaper than Java Coffee, because it gets twice as far.

Recommended by many prominent physicians as being of great benefit for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, &c. ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT. Be sure you get the genuine. DEARBORN & O'S, Charlottetown, July 25, 1883—6 mo pd

Grand Tea STURGEON.

THE congregation of St. Paul's Church, Sturgeon, encouraged by the generous patronage of their good neighbors on former occasions, have decided on holding a TEA on their usually attractive Church Grounds

On Wednesday, 15th August Next. Nothing will be left undone on the part of the Committee to make the day pleasant and enjoyable.

There will be ample provision made for the amusements of various kinds usual on such occasions. Those who have never enjoyed the delicious tea and cake, and other delicacies which always adorn the tables of the good ladies of Sturgeon, should not fail to put in an appearance.

Ten on the tables at 12 o'clock. DONALD STEELE, Secretary. Sturgeon, July 18, 1883—3i

REMOVAL. JOHN J. REGAN, HAIR DRESSER,

HAS REMOVED TO Theo. DesBrisay's Building, NEXT TO G. H. COOK'S, Queen Street, Charlottetown, July 25, 1883.

WANTED! 100 OLD LOUNGES, 100 SMOKING CHAIRS.

Shop on King Street, near A. A. Baldwin & Co's Store. WM. E. HICKEY. June 27, 1883—3m

BOOTS AND SHOES.

DOMINION Boot & Shoe Store NOW OPENED. The most Complete in the City.

Every quality in Stock, from the CHEAPEST Prunella Boots TO THE FINEST FRENCH KID.

Misses' and Children's in Great Variety. AND WITHOUT EXCEPTION THE Lowest Prices in the City. INSPECTION SOLICITED.

J. B. Macdonald, West Side Queen Street, Apt. 25, '83.

Mortgage Sale.

To be sold by Public Auction on THURSDAY, the 30th day of AUGUST next, A. D. 1883, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Court House at Charlottetown.

ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, being part of lot number seven in the first hundred of lots in said town, bounded as follows, that is to say: by a line commencing on Water Street, at the south-east corner of lot number six in the same hundred; and from thence extending on the eastern line of lot six eighty feet; thence along Water Street westerly to the place of commencement, together with the buildings thereon, and appurtenances thereto belonging.

The above lands are to be sold under and by virtue of a power of sale, contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the twenty-third day of January, A. D. 1882, and made between Pierce Lacey of the one part, and John E. McLean of the other part, also under and by virtue of a deed of further charge on Mortgage, bearing date the fifth day of May, A. D. 1882, and made between the said Pierce Lacey of the one part, and the said John E. McLean of the other part, and which said Mortgage and Deed of further charge were assigned to me by an Indenture, dated the fifth day of April, A. D. 1883.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. REDDIN & MACDONALD, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated the 24th day of July, A. D. 1883. PIERRE DOTLÉ, Assignee of Mortgage and deed of further charge. july 25 2i

JULY! SUMMER GOODS

REDUCED PRICES

Ladies' Straw Hats, Men's Straw Hats, Parasols and Umbrellas, Dress Material, in Short Ends and Remnants, Good Grey Cottons for 5 1/2 cents per yard, Good White Cottons for 7 1/2 cents per yard, Good Strong Tweed for Men and Boys, 25 cents per yard.

NOW RECEIVING: New Cashmeres, New Crapes, New Gloves, New Ribbons, New Feathers, New Satins.

J. B. McDonald's, QUEEN STREET, Charlottetown, July 11, 1883.

College of Ottawa, CANADA,

Conducted by the Oblate Fathers of Mary Immaculate. COURSE OPENS SEPTEMBER 5.

EMPOWERED to confer University degrees. Course of studies Classical and Commercial. Special attention given to practical sciences. English the language of the College. French and Drawing free of charge.

Large staff of able and experienced professors. Strict discipline. Fatherly care and watchfulness over conduct, health, and progress of students. Monthly reports to parents.

Buildings beautifully situated, lighted by gas, heated by hot water, and provided with cold and warm baths. Gymnasium and extensive playgrounds attached to college. Country Club P. O. farm one mile from city.

Domestic department under the care of the Sisters of Charity. PAPAL MEDAL. Annually granted for successful competition in Philosophy by his Holiness Pope Pius IX. as a special mark of commendation and favor.

Board, Tuition, Bed and Bedding, Washing, and Doctor's Fee, payable half-yearly in advance—Classical Course per annum \$100.00 Commercial Course per annum 150.00 For full particulars concerning course of studies, method of teaching, examinations for degree, etc., send for prospectus.

VERY REV. J. H. TABARET, O. M. I. D. P., President. PROF. W. D. MCKINNON, Melrose, Lot 46, Summerside, P. E. I., Narrows-Cross P. O. Charlottetown, July 18, 1883—2m wks pd.

MAIL CONTRACT

TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa, until 12 o'clock noon, on

Friday, the 10th of August, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails on proposed contract for four years from 1st October next, over each of the following routes, viz: Argyle Shore and Bonshaw, Belfast and Point Prince, French and Caledonia and Ross, Charlottetown and Vernon River, Commercial Road and Peters Road, East Point and Souris East, Elliott's Mills and Railway Station, Brynnyale and North River, Fredericton and Railway Station, Little Sands and Wood Islands, New Zealand and Railway Station, North Lake and Souris East, Orwell and Orwell Cove, Sen Cove Pond and Tignish, Vernon River and Wood Islands.

Printed notices containing full information as to conditions of proposed contracts may be seen, and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices at which the services commence and terminate, or at the office of the subscriber.

A. A. MACDONALD, Assistant P. O. Inspector, Charlottetown, P. E. I. } july 18 3i 15th June, 1883.

McCruidin & Flynn, Lansdowne Restaurant

First-Class Refreshments at Moderate Prices. PETER MCCRUIDDIN, PATRICK FLYNN, Charlottetown, July 18, 1883—3m

The Prince Edward Island Agency FOR FROST & WOOD'S AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

We have on hand a large stock of NEW MODEL MOWERS with improved Tilter, improved light single Reaper, and the improved combined Buckeye Mower and Reaper.

These Horse Dump Rake, Ithaca Hand Dump Rake, and all kinds of Buckeye Extras on hand. Farmers should call and see them before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, a large quantity of MACHINE OIL, which will be sold cheap. GEORGE R. STRONG, Office and Sales Room, South Side of Queen Square. Charlottetown, July 18, 1883—2m

1883. WE WANT THE PEOPLE TO KNOW THAT WE HAVE THE Best Assortment of DRUGS

In the City, AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES. FRASER & REDDIN. July 11, 1883.

Goods. Spring and Summer

Now Open & Ready for Inspection. ENGLISH, AMERICAN

Canadian Goods, Making a complete Stock, and very attractive in style, price and quality.

NEW CLOTHS & TWEEDS, NEW PARASOLS, NEW DRESS GOODS, NEW UMBRELLAS, NEW PRINT COTTONS, NEW COLLARS & SCARFS, NEW SATINS, NEW FRILLINGS, NEW GINGHAM, NEW LACE CURTAINS, NEW GALATEAS, NEW HOSIERY.

New Millinery. English, French & American Hats & Bonnets, FEATHERS & FLOWERS.

A well assorted Stock, containing a choice selection of STAPLE & FANCY DRY GOODS.

PERKINS & STERN'S, Charlottetown, May 2, 1883—1yr

CLOCKS.

All of the very latest styles, and very cheap, at G. G. JURY'S, North Side Queen Square, Opposite Post Office, Charlottetown, P. E. Island

Repairing of Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, etc., attended to. A nice variety of handsome Walnut Lounges, Ottomans, Parlor Footstools, &c., &c.

UPHOLSTERING. I WANT to dispose of one dozen very handsome Walnut Parlor Suits, in Grecian, French, American and Turkish styles, from \$40 up. Also, a lot of handsome Students' and Smoking Chairs.

A nice variety of handsome Walnut Lounges, Ottomans, Parlor Footstools, &c., &c. Upholstering of all kinds done at short notice. Fancy Wool and Fine Silk Work a specialty. Venetian Blinds reduced, &c. Shop on King Street, near A. A. Baldwin & Co's Store; can be seen at house any evening, corner King and Great George Streets. WM. E. HICKEY. June 27, 1883—3m

W. E. Dawson & Co. Offer During the Balance of this Month & July.

400 Kegs Cut Nails (assorted), 400 boxes Glass, 6 tons White Lead, 30 casks Linseed Oil, 300 rolls Tar Paper and Felt, 30 barrels Pitch, and a full stock of BUILDERS AND PAINTERS SUPPLIES. Lowest Prices for Cash.

W. E. DAWSON & CO., Corner Great George and Kent Streets, and "Sign of the Padlock," Queen Street. June 27, 1883—4f

NEW LUMBER YARD.

THE undersigned has opened a Lumber Yard on Queen's Wharf, Charlottetown, where a full supply of all classes of Lumber, suitable for building purposes will be kept constantly on hand. He respectfully solicits a share of the patronage of the citizens, and of country residents in general.

PATRICK HOGAN, Charlottetown, May 2, 1883—2m

Advertisements.

belonging to Pasha Brothers, to sail from London to Charlottetown on the clipper brigantine *Zevold* about 1st September. For apply to Pasha Bros.

Howland, Swedish Vice-Consul, wreck of the *Marco Polo* with dead, &c., by auction at Cavendish Mills, on the 8th of August. For apply to Pasha Bros.

Timmer & McLeod advertise the Point Farm, Lot 36, for sale on post.

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