

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

Snow fell lightly in this city on Thursday and Friday last.

Home buyers are busy at work again. The number of animals exported this year is very large.

The regular monthly meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society takes place in St. Patrick's Hall this evening at eight o'clock.

MR. GOS. R. McMANUS, Station Agent at County Line, returned home on Saturday last, after a visit to the United States. He entered upon the duties of his new position yesterday.

MR. JOSEPH McCARTHY, of the Charlottetown Post Office, who has been enjoying a well-merited holiday in Boston and New York, has returned with a new stock of vigor and energy for his arduous labors.

DR. LEWIS' monthly for October is the best of the series. It contains complete and interesting articles upon many subjects, not the least of which are the practical lectures upon Health, a subject wherein Dr. Lewis is at home.

NEARLY two thousand people are said to have gone from this Province to attend the St. John's Exhibition. We hear that the number of visitors from abroad to-day will be very small, owing to there being no communication with Pictou yesterday, as was expected.

THE steamer "Cerberus" arrived from Boston this morning at 4 o'clock, with freight and the following passengers: Misses Blanche, Bertha Kennedy, Christina McDonald, Hattie Macdonald, Miss McDonald, O. Abbott; Mrs. Bell and child, Mrs. John Gibson; Mr. Peter Donnelly; P. Casey; R. McCormack; Chas. McIntyre; Chas. McMaster.

WORK has been discontinued on the streets, what is the matter? Last spring we predicted that at the close of the season, the work would be well under way by the fall, but it would seem that we were too sanguine.

What is the difference between employing 2 men for 4 months and 12 men for 1 month at the same rate of wages?

THE steamer "Cerberus" of the Black Diamond Line, plying between Montreal and St. John's, Newfoundland, arrived at this port on Friday last. She is a splendid vessel of 1800 tons capacity. The company are now building a larger steamer to be placed on the same route, under the able command of Capt. Robert Fraser, late of the "Prince Edward."

THE instruments formerly used by the St. John's Band having been presented to St. Joseph's and St. Ann's Convents, in this city, were sold for the benefit of those institutions on Saturday last. They were very much appreciated by the Committee of the Band, and will, very likely, replace some of the instruments in the hands of that Battalion.

THIS week our columns are occupied to a very large extent with accounts of the Exhibition recently held in St. John and in this Province. Our readers will not be glad to hear of the honors which have been won by the island, and of the success which has attended the labors of our farmers this season. Next week we shall have the usual amount of editorial matter.

LAST Friday morning a large sail boat came ashore near Campbell's Cove, King's Co., having on board two young French boys nearly perished with cold and hunger. It appears that they belong to Carquet, N. B., and on the previous Tuesday, in company with their father, were out fishing, and were blown out to sea. The poor father was washed overboard one night during the gale, and the boat was driven before the wind and cast ashore.

BAYVIEW evening last, about nine o'clock, the alarm sounded for a fire, which proved to proceed from a stable in the rear of Mr. John Connelly's premises, on Spring Park Road. The flames were soon quenched by a few buckets of water. Notwithstanding, however, the engines were speedily on hand, but fortunately there was no loss of their services. The fire was caused by a candle, which had been left burning in the stable, and the fire department, deserve great credit for their prompt attention at all times.

THE tourists season is about over. Large numbers visited us this summer, and were greatly delighted with the quiet beauty of our island home. Of course their remarks must be understood as referring to the rural scenery, as what ever they thought about Charlottetown, they had the good taste to keep to themselves. But we are not without one consolation. To-day a jolly Jack-Tar was blown in to remark to a comrade that this is a "blooming little village." The smallest of favors, &c.

OUR winter mail contractors have had an interview in St. John with Inspectors McMillan and McDonald, of the Post Office Department, upon the subject of improvement in the Cape Route. They propose the erection of houses on both sides for sheltering the men and boats, the construction of twelve new ice-boats and two water-boats, and the extension of the contract for four years. We have good reason to believe that the Dominion Government will liberally support the men, who for so many years have risked their lives in the performance of this service, and that, too, for a very handsome remuneration.

H. M. S. Griffin, R. W. Davies, Commander, arrived in port on Thursday last, where she still remains. Commander Davies is the eldest son of Hon. R. Davies of this city, and is the first islander who has risen to this rank in the navy, although Lieut. H. F. Hazard is not far behind. By the courtesy of Commander Davies H. M. S. Griffin was hailed into the very spot which his father, and thrown open to the inspection of visitors, who, it is needless to say, thronged the decks, and were much delighted with everything they saw. Afterwards a number of torpedoes were exploded. We are glad to hear that it is the intention to tender Captain Davies with a complimentary dinner during the week.

A few months ago our columns contained an account of a case in Prince County where a young man, prompted by jealousy, had stabbed his sweetheart so seriously that her life was in jeopardy. It seems that he had gone home with another fellow, and that he chose this mode of wreaking his spite. The would-be assassin was arrested and lodged in goal to await his trial. Now mark the conduct of his poor victim. No sooner had she recovered than she wended her way to his gloomy cell to visit him, and to comfort him in his loneliness.

Remorse for her previous conduct towards him struck deep into the very spot which his knife had missed. Forgetting her injuries she set to work to atone for those done to his feelings. She procured him, he was released, in the exultation of their joy they wended their way to the nearest photographer's where they had their likeness taken, and the last seen of them was sitting on the wharf chewing gum—two souls with but a single thought, two hearts that beat as one, suffice it to say that the court met last week neither could be found, and it is generally supposed that together they have embarked upon the sea of matrimony, but of this we have no certainty.

THE Fourth Annual Meeting of the Educational Association of P. E. Island was held in the hall of the Prince Street School, on Monday and Tuesday, the 5th and 6th inst. The object of these meetings is the discussion of subjects relating to the management of schools, and the interchange of ideas on the best methods of imparting instruction in the various branches taught in our schools. On Monday the Rev. Mr. Burwash, M. A., delivered a very interesting discourse on the teaching in elementary schools of simple lessons in science. In the afternoon papers were read by Professors Carver and LePage, by the former on the Study of Classics by the latter on the use of Shell and Will. A Public Meeting was held on Monday night at which address were delivered by Rev. Mr. Williams, Hon. E. H. Davies and Mr. B. E. Fitzgerald, Esq. On Tuesday a paper was read by Prof. Mallin, on Thoroughness in School Work, by Mr. Dawson Gallant, on Human Reason, and one by Mr. Leonard Miller, on the Study of English Grammar, with a comparison of the relative merits of Latin and English. The books on that branch. The several papers read were carefully prepared and were fully discussed by a number of the members of the Association, of whom about 25 were present, a larger number than at any of the previous meetings. The proceedings closed by a large number of the citizens, and at which the several performers executed their parts creditably.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.

The State department has received no advice that an outbreak has occurred in Canton or that United States Consul Seymour has been killed. The department telegraphed to China early this morning, upon learning of the published rumor of Consul Seymour's death, but no reply to the inquiry has yet been received.

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The "Old Deutsche Zeitung" says: "Nihilist proclamations have been issued solemnly concerning the Chair of Russia to death, because he has failed to grant liberty to the people."

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It is stated that China is urging shipbuilders at Kiel to hasten the construction of two iron-clad corvettes recently ordered by the Chinese Government.

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HERBERT caution all parties against purchasing a Note of Hand given by me on the 18th August last, in favor of Joseph Hattie for eight dollars (\$8.00), as I received no value for the said note.

DAVID MCCARTHY.
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THE Subscriber will sell by public Auction, on Wednesday, 31st October next, at eleven o'clock, a m. his Farm, of 52 acres, situate at the Ten-Mile House, St. Peter's Road, Lot 53, about 40 acres of which are under cultivation, the balance covered with hard and soft wood. Also, all his Stock and Farming Implements, consisting of Horses, Cows, Sheep, Plovers, &c.

TERMS.—For farm, one half to be paid down, the balance, if desired, may remain secured on the property for a term of years with interest. For personal property, one half down, balance secured by approved joint and several promissory notes with interest. For further particulars apply to the Subscriber.

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ST. LAWRENCE CANALS.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for St. Lawrence Canals," will be received at this office until the arrival of the eastern and western mails on Tuesday, the 13th day of November next, for the construction of a Lock and regulating weir, and the deepening and enlargement of the upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal.

A map of the bend and upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal, and the upper entrance of the Rapid Plat Canal, together with plans and specifications of the respective works, can be seen at this office, and at the Resident Engineer's office, Dickenson's Landing, on and after Tuesday, the 30th day of October next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

A map, plans and specification of the work to be done at the head of the Galop Canal, can be seen at this office and at the lock-keeper's house, near the place, on and after TUESDAY, the 19th day of November next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and—in the case of firms—except where are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted Bank cheque for the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars must accompany the tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. F. BRADLEY,
Secretary.

Dept. Railways and Canals,
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