

The Eastern Guardian

THE COST OF GROWING POTATOES

Experimental Farms Note. In potato growing provinces like New Brunswick there is always more or less discussion as to what it should cost to grow a good crop of potatoes and statements vary from as low as \$40.00 per acre to as high as \$125.00.

Eighty barrels of 165 pounds each of marketable potatoes were obtained and sold at \$1.75 per barrel, making a profit over cost of production of 90c per barrel.

high priced seed, higher priced fertilizer ingredients and very dear cop per sulphate. One hundred and twenty barrels of marketable potatoes were harvested and could have been sold at \$2.25 per barrel, making a profit per barrel over cost of production of \$1.56 1/2, plus six barrels of culls at 50c, \$3.00, making a total profit of \$190.20.

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MR. T. G. IVES is Guardian agent in Montague. ALBION SCHOOL - The following is the standing of the Albion School for the month of March:

PLAY REPEATED - The Souris Dramatic Class repeated their popular play, "Brother Against Brother" on Easter Monday evening for the benefit of the Belgian Fund and was favored with a very good house.

RETURNS FROM THE WEST - Mr. Hugh McLellan, formerly of Cable Head, was a passenger by the Car Ferry on Sunday last returning from the West where he has spent the past twenty years.

RECORD CARGO - The Car Ferry steamer "Prince Edward Island" left Georgetown on Friday evening the 6th inst. with what was probably the most valuable cargo that has ever left our island shores.

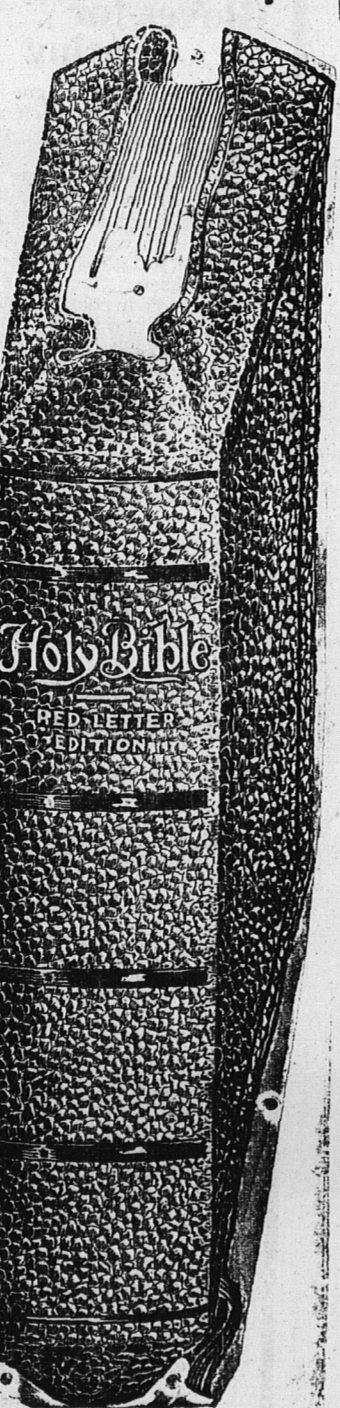
LAUNCHING NOTES - The fishermen of this vicinity are busily engaged preparing for their season's work. The school is progressing favorably under the skilful and energetic management of its principals.

EASTERN PERSONALS - Miss Adelede Smith, teacher of Sturgeon, and Miss Mollie McLean, teacher of St. Mary's Road, spent the Easter holidays at their homes in Georgetown.

CHARLOTTETOWN MARKETS - Butter (creamery prints) 41-4; Eggs, doz. 28-34; Fowl, lb. 14-1; Chickens, lb. 15-11; Ducks, lb. 16-11; Turkeys, lb. 22-2; Beef (lb) retail 15-2; Potatoes (bushel) 14.00-15.00; Hay (ton) 9.00-10.00; Straw (ton) 1.00-1.25; Pork, (selects) wholesale 18-1; Oats (black) bush. 82-87; Oats (white) bush. 80-82; Paranalps (lb) 61-4; Buckwheat (bush) 1.50-1.75; Wheat (bush) \$1.50-\$1.75; Beef (wholesale) dressed 13-11.

SUMMERSIDE MARKETS - butter, creamery, lb. 40-41; butter, dairy, lb. 36-37; buckwheat, bush. 1.50-1.75; Jalfskins, lb. 22-1; Eggs, doz. 28-34; hay, pressed, ton 11.00-12.50; hay, loose, ton 10.00-11.50; Hides, lb. 18-19; lamb pelts, lb. 60-90; lats, black, bus. 83-85; lats, white 80-82; potatoes per bus. \$1.00; straw, pressed, ton 8.00; Pork, organs att. lb. 15 1/2 to 18; Wheat, bus. 1.60-2.00.

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