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BEG leave to acknowledge thanks to the public generally for the very liberal patronage extended to them since commencing business, and intimate that they have on hand a large and select stock of material for the manufacture of Sleighs, etc. They have recently received photos of all the latest prize sleighs of the Ottawa Exhibition. Parties requiring new sleighs would do well to call at their factory and examine before ordering elsewhere.

They keep on hand and make to order Top Buggies, Phaetons, the famous Dexter Spring Wagons, and carriages of every description. Repairing of all kinds done with neatness and despatch, and warranted to give satisfaction to those who favor them with a call, at prices to suit the times.

N. B.—Parties having their Sleighs repaired and painted would do well to leave them at once in order to have them in time for the first snow.

Wagons stored at moderate charges. Parties having their wagons repaired and painted in the spring will have them stored free of charge for the winter.  
Ch'town, Oct 27th, 1879.

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G. W. DEBLOIS,  
General Agent.

Dec. 14.

## MAIL NOTICE.

MAILS for Great Britain will be closed at 10 o'clock, p. m., on THURSDAY in each week, to be forwarded via Pictou, for Canadian mail, steamers leaving Halifax every Saturday.

A mail will be closed on Friday, the 21st inst., at 10 p. m., for mail steamers leaving Halifax on Tuesday, the 25th, and supplementary matter will also be forwarded by MONDAY evening's boat for Pictou.

Mails to be forwarded via steamers to Pictou will be closed after the 22nd inst., on every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY, at 5 o'clock a. m., until close of navigation.

Mails to be forwarded via Summerside and Shediac will be closed at 5.30 a. m.; also for Summerside direct at 5 p. m., and for Georgetown, Souris and places on those routes at 6 o'clock a. m., daily.

Post Office open from 8 a. m., till 9 p. m.  
A. A. MACDONALD,  
Postmaster.

Post Office Charlottetown,  
Nov. 20th, 1879.

## MACLEAN & MARTIN,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Newson's Building, Opp. Post Office,  
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A. A. McLEAN. D. C. MARTIN.  
June 18, 1879.—cx2aw

\$30,000.

## J. B. Macdonald, Queen Street,

Has in stock Thirty Thousand Dollars worth of  
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## Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots & Shoes, &c.,

The whole of which must be sold during the Fall and  
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In Ulsters, Overcoats, Jackets, Pants & Vests, Worsted Suits, Linters  
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Everyone can be suited in Prices, Styles and Quality. Don't  
fail to visit this Store when purchasing your requirements.

TERMS CASH.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Queen Street, Charlottetown, Nov. 18, 1879.

## BRITISH WAREHOUSE.

As W. & A. BROWN are about making a change in their  
Firm, they are now selling their Large Stock of

## FALL & WINTER GOODS,

At prices that defy competition.

New Mantles,  
New Frillings,  
New Ulsters,  
New Cottons,  
New Flannels,

New Cloths,  
New Tweeds,  
New Dress Goods,  
New Clouds,  
New Velveteens,

And a large line of Woolen Goods, of every description, all  
of which they intend to close out within the next five months.  
This is a bona fide sale. Come one, come all, and see for your-  
selves.

W. & A. BROWN.

Charlottetown, October 8, 1879.

## TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received by this Department, at Charlottetown, up to the 15th  
DECEMBER, next, for the furnishing of 30  
Oil Tanks, with Trays and Drip Pans, and 25  
Oil Pails.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and  
forms of tenders procured by intending con-  
tractors, at the Department's Office.  
Address to the undersigned, and mark on  
outside, "tender for oil tanks."

WM. MITCHELL,  
Agent of Dep't.

Dep't of Marine,  
Ch'town, Nov. 29, 1879—3taw a h pres

## FANCY FAIR!

—IN THE—

## ATHENÆUM,

Tuesday, December 16th, '79.

A SALE of useful and fancy articles will be  
held, (under the auspices of Prince Ed-  
ward Division, No. 1, S. of T.) Tuesday, 16th  
December, 1879. Persons wishing to pur-  
chase Christmas Cards and Presents will find  
this a good opportunity.

A first-class Refreshment Table will be  
provided. The Military Brass Band will be  
in attendance.  
Doors open at 2 o'clock, noon. Admis-  
sion 10 cents.

W. E. BAGNALL,  
Chairman. Com.  
E. M. WELSH, Treasurer.  
JOHN D. WALKER, Sec'y.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.  
Oct. 28, 1879.

BUY THE DAILY EXAMINER,  
for the latest news—local and telegraphic

## SECOND EDITION NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

### THE DAILY EXAMINER.

DECEMBER 9, 1879.

MR. PARNELL starts for America on the  
17th inst.

NEW ZEALAND has made a 5 per cent. loan  
of £5,000,000 at 9 1/2.

COLD and stormy weather still continues in  
England and on the Continent.

COAL has advanced 50c @ \$1 per ton in Chi-  
cago, making a rise of \$2.50 since midsummer.

ON Saturday, the Montague Gold Mines of  
Nova Scotia were purchased by Americans for  
fifty thousand dollars.

It is stated that the rumor about Hon. Mr.  
Masson's retirement from the Cabinet is en-  
tirely without foundation.

THE handsome sum of \$1,000 was subscribed  
by a member of the Methodist Church, in  
this city, at a recent missionary meeting.—  
Pres.

WHILE journeying homewards a few nights  
ago, we learn that Mr. Dixon, of Bannock-  
burn, was set upon by roughs, and severely  
beaten, his head and face being fearfully cut  
and bruised.

THE sensational despatches from Winnipeg  
in reference to the killing of cattle, and fears  
of an Indian uprising, are untrue. The In-  
dians are peacefully disposed and reports of  
trouble unfounded.

SEVERAL changes in the personnel of the  
officers of the Dominion House of Commons,  
by promotion and superannuation, are likely  
to take place. Mr. Patrick, the present clerk,  
it is said, is to be succeeded in that position  
by Bourinot, assistant clerk.

IN order to hide their chagrin at the late  
magnificent Conservative demonstration, Grit  
papers are attempting to belittle the work-  
ingmen's social held recently at Ottawa. The  
workingmen have long since given up any idea  
of finding either truth or sympathy in Grit  
sheets.

THE St. John Sun reports that on Saturday  
afternoon about 4.30 o'clock William Sterns,  
a carpenter working on Trinity Church, fell  
from a ladder to the ground, striking on his  
stomach, sustaining several internal injuries.  
He was removed to his room at the Tremont  
House and Dr. L. C. Allison called. The  
sufferer was made comfortable and the doctor  
has hopes of his recovery. Sterns is a native  
of P. E. Island, but has worked at his trade  
in St. John since the great fire.

TELEPHONES IN HALIFAX.—The Western  
Union is starting a number of telephones in  
Halifax as well as in St. John. The Recorder  
wants to convert the telephone to new uses.  
Speaking of a telephone through which a ser-  
mon was transmitted, it says: "As these ar-  
rangements only cost \$60, it would pay a  
young man to have a telephone connecting  
with the house of his loved one. He could  
talk to her all the evening through and there  
would be no necessity for the folks waiting  
up till he was gone.

OWEN CONNOLLY, Esq., has just completed  
at Montague Bridge a warehouse 200 feet long,  
46 feet wide, and 15 feet post, with mansard  
roof, at a cost of only \$4,000. In its con-  
struction there were used 60,000 feet of boards,  
180 m. shingles, 100 m. bricks, and 5 ton iron.  
There is a cellar beneath the building 9 feet  
deep, which is capable of holding about 50,000  
bushels of potatoes. The building was put up  
in the short space of one month. Mr. Connolly  
has two other warehouses at Montague, each  
two stories high, and about 80 feet long.  
This would seem to indicate that Mr. Connolly  
must be doing a large amount of business at  
Montague.—Argus.

A RUNAWAY.—It is said when the tele-  
graph line was first put up on this Island, an  
old unsophisticated, in surveying it for the  
first time, was heard to exclaim: "What a  
fine thing it will be for the runaways. If they  
once get on it, the d—l cannot catch them."  
As a rule, the telegraph is a bad thing for the  
runaways, although it often fails to overtake  
ticket-of-leave-men. One of its greatest in-  
conveniences is that one cannot telegraph a  
capias or warrant or any other legal instru-  
ment. The other day one of the promising  
youths of a promising town in the east set out  
for Colorado without first paying his honest  
debts. Not many hours elapsed after his de-  
parture, before the whole town and part of the  
country round was fully aware of the "facts"  
of the case. The creditors of the youth, to  
the number of half-a-dozen made a general  
stampede for the telegraph office. "Stop  
him" was wired in several directions. One of  
the creditors, more impetuous and impatient  
than the rest, started in chase on horseback,  
only to find on arrival at a place about 60  
miles from home that the dishonest little bird  
had flown. Two constables, brave men and true  
as ever handled a hotspur or a bowie-knife, were  
despatched in hot pursuit; but partly owing  
to the depth of the mud and the darkness of  
the night, they were unable to proceed  
further than a country inn, about four  
miles away, where they halted, baited, cried  
"eureka!" and turned back. An attempt  
was made by telegraph to arrest the  
runaway at a country town in the West, but  
the Colorado bound youth walked down the  
wharf past four constables who knew him not,  
went on board the steamer, and waved his  
hand triumphantly to the constables, who  
stood gazing after the steamer as she lent  
enchantment to their view. To the great  
country of Colorado or Eldorado or some other  
ado of which a certain editor writes so glow-  
ingly, this youth has gone, and the general  
impression which he leaves behind is, that,  
like many others, he has left his country for  
his country's good.

### CANADIAN.

HALIFAX, Dec. 7.

On Saturday the \$50,000 for the Montague  
gold mines was paid over by the Amer-  
ican purchasers.

The weekly S. S. "Moravian" brought  
1,836 tons freight—143 for Halifax, 56 I.  
C. Railway stations, 659 for the Upper  
Provinces and 971 for Baltimore.

A short time since the Nova Scotia Hu-  
mane Society offered a premium of \$5,000  
for the invention of an improved stock car  
in which cattle could be fed and watered  
without removal while in transit. Mr.  
Thomas Clarke, of Truro, made a model of  
a car which he believes will be admirably  
adapted for the purpose, and he has ap-  
plied for patents in Canada and the United  
States.

A new factory is to be started at Round  
Hill for the manufacture of pails, buckets,  
etc.

### UNITED STATES.

TROY, N. Y., Dec. 7.

This morning a fire broke out in Suther-  
land's boiler shop on River street. Heavy  
wind was blowing at the time. The flames  
immediately communicated with the ad-  
joining building, destroying one occupied  
as a boiler shop and machine shop; Monk  
& Hawley's laundry and other property,  
including several manufactories and machine  
shops; six tenement houses and the  
German Lutheran Church. The losses ag-  
gregate \$360,000. 1800 employes, 1500 of  
whom are girls, are thrown out of employ-  
ment. It was the largest fire in Troy since  
1852.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.

The Tribune says that several influential  
men from Mexico have been in this city  
recently, in conference with leading citizens  
discussing a plan whereby Mexico can be  
placed under a more stable Government. It  
is stated that the dictatorship of Mexico  
has been offered to Gen. Ben. F. Butler,  
but he has given no definite answer. It is  
also stated that Gen. Grant will visit Mex-  
ico at the invitation of leading citizens of  
Mexico with a view of obtaining his opinion  
upon the subject of the annexation of that  
country to the United States.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 7.

Extensive arrangements have been made  
for a mass meeting of Irishmen to-morrow  
night to consider the best means of extend-  
ing aid to the needy peasants of Ireland.

### IRISH AFFAIRS.

LONDON, Dec. 6.

John Bright does not favor any large  
scheme for Government relief in Ireland,  
but hopes something may be done. He  
thinks there will be no difficulty in carrying  
a drainage scheme in Parliament. He re-  
commends the Irish members to unite with  
the Liberals, otherwise the future of both  
countries is doubtful.

### SPAIN.

MADRID, Dec. 6.

A Cabinet Council was held to-night to  
discuss the Cuban Reforms Bill. There  
was a decided difference of opinion among  
the members, the Ministers of Interior,  
Justice, Finance and Works, being opposed  
to the measure in its present form. Al-  
fonso has accordingly asked Gen. Compo  
to try and constitute a Cabinet.

### FRANCE.

PARIS, Dec. 6.

There was a collision yesterday on the  
Eastern Railway line, near Bondy, during  
a snow storm. One person was killed and  
nine wounded.

### TURKEY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 7.

Austin Layard has received intelligence  
from Asia Minor that affairs there are con-  
siderably improved, owing to the energy of  
the Ottoman authorities.

### Baker Pasha.

Colonel or Pasha Baker's career in Asia  
Minor, as representative of the Sultan, in  
the administration of affairs in Asia Minor,  
will be watched in many quarters with  
the deepest interest. If he has the necessary  
power for the performance of the task os-  
tensibly entrusted to him, a splendid chance  
is afforded him for winning a lasting distinc-  
tion. He is admitted to be a brilliant  
soldier and a man of fine capacity generally.  
Should he succeed in effecting in a solid  
manner the reforms provided for in the  
Anglo-Turkish convention, the results may  
be of vast importance in almost every point  
of view. But considering the obstacles to  
be surmounted, success on a large scale ap-  
pears to be extremely doubtful. It is un-  
derstood that his appointment is in ac-  
cordance with the wishes of the British  
Government.

TREELESS Iowa is being transformed into a  
forest-covered country by a law which remits  
certain taxes for five years on every acre of  
fruit, and ten years on every acre of forest  
trees planted and kept alive. Over 75,000  
acres of fruit and forest trees have been plant-  
ed, and \$200,000 have been remitted in taxes.  
Could not some similar inducement be devised  
says the Sanitary Enquirer, to lead people to  
keep their homes and farms salubrious? It  
seems perfectly feasible.



## LORNE HIGHLAND WHISKEY.

THE ANALYTICAL SANITARY INSTITUTION,  
54, Holborn-viaduct, E. C., London, Aug. 18,  
1879, report on the "Lorne Highland Whis-  
key" of Messrs. Greenless Brothers:—

"We have visited the bottling stores of  
Messrs. Greenless Brothers, at Gresham-  
buildings, London, and have selected from the  
vats, samples of their Lorne Highland Whis-  
key, and have subjected them to careful ex-  
amination and analysis. The samples were  
pure, showing their freedom from added color-  
ing matter, very fragrant, mellow and of  
pleasant flavor; in fact, they possessed all the  
characteristics of pure and well-matured  
Scotch Whiskey of the first quality."

ARTHUR HILL, HASSALL, F. I. C.  
OTTO HEINER, F. C. S., F. I. C.  
Sole Proprietors, GREENLESS BROTHERS,  
Gresham-buildings, London; Distillers,  
Argyleshire.

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