

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

OCTOBER 7, 1882.

The Potato Crop of 1882.

LITTLE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND will, this year, produce at least three million bushels of potatoes, most of which are yet in the bosom of mother earth.

Not since 1876—when the largest and best crop of potatoes the Island ever produced was harvested—has such a potato yield as that of this season been vouchsafed to our farmers.

Prince County Exhibition.

FARMERS OF THE WEST AT THE SHOW—WITH THEIR WIVES AND THEIR SISTERS, AND THEIR COUSINS AND THEIR AUNTS,—AND THEIR BEST STOCK AND PRODUCTS—A FINE DAY AND A VERY FAIR EXHIBITION.

EVEN to bring people together once a year to see one another, and to exchange greetings, and to note the improvement which one and the other have made in their manners, their deportment, their dress their horses and carriages, and other things appertaining to their persons, is not without its enjoyments and its uses.

However this may be, the many who were fortunate enough to postpone their visit to Prince County Exhibition until Friday, must certainly have passed an improving and as well as a thoroughly delightful holiday.

In the Drill Shed the skill of the ladies at the loom, with the needle and maul, and in the dairy, was well displayed. There was a fine array of butter tubs, a good assortment of knit goods and some fancy work, while Mr. Bruce, of this city, had on sale a splendid ornamental South Sea shells.

The exhibit of potatoes was, like that of King's County, excellent—there were many varieties and all good; and the competition in grain was much livelier than that of last year.

On the Cattle Show ground there was a good exhibit of horses, cattle, sheep and pigs.

The comparatively small number of stallions was more than offset by the large and very creditable exhibits of mares (with their foals) and fillies.

Among the stallions on the ground were Challenger, Brown Stout, and Prince of Wales, Iron Duke and Hambletonian, with the very fine stallions owned by Mr. George McFarlane, and Cornelius Campbell, all looking very well and taking prizes as a matter of course.

Mr. Jabez Lea, of Tryon, exhibited a splendid carriage colt by Royal Harry, out of a Saladin mare, 2½ years old, weighing 1245 pounds.

Mr. Thomas Heffel, of Cape Traverse showed a handsome colt, three years—old of the Flying Frenchman breed—said to be about the fastest of his age in the Province.

Abraham Schurman exhibited a filly 2½ years old by Hambletonian out of a Saladin mare—a great beauty, much admired, and judged by many to be better than even the very fine filly of Mr. John Walker, to which the judges awarded the first prize.

The King of the Herd of Cattle on exhibition was, of course, the magnificent bull of George Compton, which draws first prizes every time, in both Dominion and Local exhibitions, but Mr. Compton's bull was almost matched by the splendid bulls exhibited by James McLeod and Donald Campbell.

And while on the subject of potatoes it would be interesting to find out what is the average cost of raising a bushel of potatoes? Two years ago we were much interested in the published report of a grower in Eastern Maine, who raised a large crop of potatoes by contract.

Some very fine Ayrshire cows and heifers were shown by the last named gentleman, as well as by Dugald Stewart, Donald Ross, Thomas Glover, William Cairns, Artemas Hooper and other leading farmers.

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VALUABLE STOCK.

BY AUCTION, on Cattle Show Grounds, CHARLOTTETOWN, THURSDAY, October 12th, at 2 o'clock p. m., 6 Well-bred Grade Heifer Calves, sired by Stock Farm Bulls. Four of these Calves all Short Horns, and two Ayrshires. 1 Grade Cow in Calf by Thorough-bred Ayrshire Bull. Terms—four months approved notes. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Oct. 2, 1882.

IMPROVED SHROPSHIRE SHEEP

I will sell at AUCTION on the EXHIBITION GROUNDS, on Thursday, 12th October, after the sale of Stock Farm Stock, Ten Shropshire and Grade Ram Lambs, bred on the Warran Farm. By Rams imported by Stock Farm Commissioners last year. (Prize takers last year.) The undersigned will accept private offers. JOHN NEWSON, Auctioneer. Oct. 2, 1882.

Household Furniture.

TO be sold by AUCTION, on SATURDAY, the 14th inst., at 11 o'clock, at the House in Upper Prince Street, lately occupied by W. D. Stewart, all the Furniture situated therein, consisting, in part, of Drawing Room, Dining Room and Parlor Furniture, in Walnut and Hair Cloth; Splendid English Piano Forte, Steel Engravings, Library Furniture; also about 300 vols. Books; Dinner Service, Tea Service, Carpets and Oil Cloths, Sewing Machine, Sullivan Hall Stove, Cooking Stove (Victor), with Water Tank, a lot of Bedroom Furniture, Mattresses, couches, Commodore, Curtains and Blinds, with a lot of Kitchen utensils, all nearly new and in good order. This Furniture is sold under a Bill of Sale; therefore, the sale will be positive, and to reserve. Also 1 good Milk Cow. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. Oct. 5, 1882.

SELLING OFF

—AT—

Greatly Reduced Prices.

A LARGE LOT OF

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Hats, Caps, Clothing, &c.

2000 Straw Hats, 600 felt Hats, 50 Caps, in Cloth, Silk and Linen. Boys' Suits, Men's Suits, Men's Coats, Pants and Vests, Shirts, Linens and Drawers, Collars, Ties, Braces, &c. Also, 3,000 Rolls Paper Engravings, Blinds, Bordenings, &c. As the subscribers are desirous of clearing out the above Goods during the present month, great bargains may be expected for ready cash.

F. LePAGE & CO.

July 5, 1882—weekly

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED TO RENT IMMEDIATELY, a House with five or six rooms in a convenient part of the city. Apply at the EXAMINER'S office. Oct 7 11

LOST—Between the entrance to the Malpeque Road and the Lime Kiln, an ear ring, the finder of which will be rewarded by leaving it at this office. Oct 7

FOR SALE, 10,000 feet Boards, suitable for P-lato barrel heads or trunks. Apply to H. COOMBS. Oct 6 31

I WANT TO EXCHANGE a Double Vis-a-Vis Wagon for a Single Wagon. Apply to H. COOMBS. Oct 6 31

I WANT TO EXCHANGE a good working horse for a driver.—H. COOMBS. Oct 6 31

TO LET for the winter months, with immediate possession, a furnished House. Enquire at EXAMINER'S office. Oct 6 31 pd

LOST, between Steam Navigation Wharf and Upper Queen Street, on Friday evening last, a black Fan with gilt handle. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at this office. Oct 5

ONE very Large Cannon Stove, only \$8. Apply to H. COOMBS. Oct. 4 21.

ONE Covered Express Wagon (light). One cheap Farmer's Express. Apply to H. COOMBS. Oct 4 31

ONE Farmers' Boiler (large), with Stove to burn coal. Only \$7. Oct 4 31

ONE Medium Size CANNON STOVE, at H. COOMBS'. Oct 3 31

TO LET—Marine Villa Dundas Esplanade, the house now in possession of Frederick Mitchell, Esq., Cashier M. B. Halifax. Apply to Benj. Davies. Oct. 2, 1882.—511

BLACKSMITHS FORGE TO LET, on subscribers Wharf.—HENRY BARR. Oct 30 11

HORSE FOR SALE—Apply at the EXAMINER'S office. Oct 28

TO LET, a new House containing 6 rooms, situated on Fitzroy Street, East For particulars apply to William Harper. Oct 25 11

WANTED a good plain cook also housemaid immediately, apply at C. Leig's Water Street. Oct 22, 1882. Oct 11

TO LET, a house containing six rooms. Apply to JAMES McLEOD, Spring Park Road. Oct 11

TWO OR THREE GOOD CABINET JOURNEMEN WANTED at the P. E. Island Furniture Warehouses.—McNEILL. Oct 11

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned—James Peake George Peake and Thomas Handrahan—carrying on business at Charlottetown, under the name of Peake Brothers & Company, is dissolved by James Peake retiring from the firm. All debts due the said firm must be paid to George Peake and Thomas Handrahan, and all the liabilities of the said firm will be discharged by them.

Dated this thirteenth day of September, A. D. 1882.

JAMES PEAKE, GEORGE PEAKE, THOMAS HANDRAHAN.

The above business will hereafter be carried on by George Peake and Thomas Handrahan, under the name of Peake Brothers & Company, to whom all debts of the late firm must be paid, and who will discharge the liabilities thereof.

Dated the second day of October, A. D. 1882.

GEORGE PEAKE, THOMAS HANDRAHAN.

Oct 7 11 law

PIANO TUNING.

HAVING been requested some time since, by parties in the city, to take their Pianos into my charge, and having refused to do so, for the reason that my remaining here for any length of time was uncertain, I now desire to say that I am prepared to receive and give prompt attention to any orders that may be left at the store of Miller Bros., Queen Street, Mr. Davidson's grocery store, corner Kent and Great George streets. Charges moderate. Persons having any doubt as to my ability to tune, I respectfully refer them to the gentlemen whose names are subscribed.

D. M. REID.

REFERENCES: R. v. J. M. McLeod, Dr. Johnstone, Dr. Creamer, Professor S. N. Earle, Mr. Quirk, Mr. Miller, Mr. W. Brown, Mr. A. McKinnon, Mr. Butcher, Mr. Pichard. Oct 7 11 pd

THE DOG SHOW.

ENTRIES for the DOG SHOW, to be exhibited on the Show Grounds, on WEDNESDAY, 11th October, will be received at the office of the Secretary of the Exhibition up to Monday next, 9th October, at 8 o'clock, p. m., and no later. Entrance fee 25 cents each dog.

A list of classes will be shown when making the entry. Oct. 7, 1882.

Coat Makers Wanted.

THREE or FOUR COATMAKERS wanted immediately. Also one Machinist. Good wages and steady employment to competent hands. Address J. M. ROSS, Merchant Tailor. Oct. 7—31 Moncton, N. B.

TO RENT.

A COTTAGE PIANO in good order. Apply to C. LEWIS, Gratton Street. Oct 5, 1882.

Vessels for Charter.

WE have a number of handy sized vessels willing to accept charters to load produce for

Newfoundland and Halifax.

AND USUAL PORTS IN THE

United States and West Indies

57 Rates low. F. S. HANFORD & CO., Ship Brokers. Oct. 27—81

OATS! OATS!

—AND—

TUB BUTTER, WANTED.

WHEATLEY & SONS. Sept. 1, '82—cod fr in sa, wkly 111

Ocean Steamship Co'y.

The pretty village of Wolfville forms a centre for the district of Horton, and contains many good stores and charming private residences. Here also are located the educational institutions of the Baptist denomination for the Maritime Provinces. Acadia College, with Horton Academy and Grand Pre Female Seminary, rank highly among the educational institutions of the Dominion. The college buildings occupy a commanding site, overlooking the beautiful country we have already described. The college proper is a fine building, erected instead of the old college which was burned down in 1877. It is 150 feet long, 65 feet wide, and is two stories high, besides basement and attic. It contains ten spacious class rooms, a lecture room seating 800 persons, a library containing about 4,000 volumes, a museum containing many rare and valuable specimens, particularly in mineralogy, and a reading room.

The Female Seminary is 90 feet long by 45 wide, and is three stories high besides the basement.

The College Boarding Hall is 80 feet long by 40 wide with an ell 20x40, and it is four stories high.

In the College and Academy there are nine Professors, and there are five teachers in the Female Seminary.

There are at the present time no less than 200 students receiving instruction in these institutions. Acadia College is the alma mater of many men who have greatly distinguished

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