

**Local and Other Items.**

**HORSE AND BUGGY**—A FIRST-CLASS TURN-OUT—TO HIRE AT THE NORTH STAR.—sept 1 tf

The Lorne Hotel will not close before October.—sept 5, 2in—pat h 1in

Mr. A. HOLMES' horse "Look Out" took second prize in the 2:38 class race at Truro, N. S., on Wednesday.

**COOKING** Apples, Bartlett Pears, Onions, in choice order, at A. McNeill's Auction Room, No. 11 Queen street.—3i

MAJOR MORRIS' battery of artillery will be inspected by the Deputy Adjutant General at Victoria Park to-morrow evening at 4 o'clock.

A GERMAN gentleman is desirous to teach the German language. He is willing to teach at the scholar's residence. Price \$6.00 a quarter, two lessons a week. Apply to Will. Haas, Great George Street, (Spring Park).—3i

THE VIOLA CLIFTON Lady Minstrels performed to a fair audience in Market Hall last evening, and left for Summerside to-day. An extended notice of the performance crowded out.

**LOERNE HOTEL**—Application for room is much larger than at any time during the summer, and this favorite summer Hotel is likely to be well filled for remainder of the season. Several American gentlemen are having good plover and duck shooting round Tracadie.

The Steamer *Quebec* has not yet got off East Point reef. The tug *Druid*, of Victoria, sailed to her assistance yesterday, and the *Northern Light*, with the Minister of Marine and several other gentlemen on board, left this city for East Point at 4 o'clock this morning.

**EXHIBITION**—The new Potato Digger recently patented by W. C. Smallwood will be shown at work on Mr. James Pempraise's farm, Malpeque road, near St. Dunstan's College, on Tuesday, the 9th inst., at 3 o'clock. Farmers and others interested are invited to be present. [sm3i]

THE HELMETS of the Charlottetown Engineer Corps have been received. They are something beautiful, being exactly similar to the helmets worn by the British Marine Artillery at the naval review at Victoria Park on the occasion of the vice-regal visit. Those worn by private are brass mounted, with the Royal Arms in front, under which is the inscription "Charlottetown Engineers Canada Militia." Major Dogherty's helmet beggars description, being far more elegant than those we have seen at the British military review on Victoria Park.

We are pleased to see that the Province will this year be represented at the annual competition of the Dominion Rifle Association at Ottawa. A team of fifteen men will be selected immediately, and will probably be composed of the following gentlemen, all of whom have shown themselves to be excellent shots: David Harper, S. Gay, James Dover, Vernon Longworth, Ewen McDougall, Ewen McGregor, Benjamin Hooper, Lemuel Hooper, R. Crawford, J. Coombs, Lieut. Alex. Horne, Lemuel Younker, Matthew Allen.

At the annual meeting of the Queen's Co. Rifle Association held in the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court Room last evening, the following Council of the Association was elected: Major Pollard, President, (re-elected); Major Dogherty, (re-elected); Lieut. Passmore, (re-elected); Lieut. Irving, (re-elected) Capt. F. Dogherty, Lieut. Kennedy, Sargt. Ewen McGregor, E. McDougall, Secretary. The regular annual prize meeting of the Association will probably take place on the 1st of October.

**A GEM**—The following appears in yesterday's *Patriot*: "The wharves and bridges are allowed to go to rack and ruin owing to the false notions of economy entertained by the Government." Worcester gives: an instrument of torture, torture, torment, extreme pain, as the meaning of the word "rack." The agony of the unfortunate wharves and bridges when they are subjected to the "rack" must indeed be fearful to contemplate. It is no wonder that Henry Lawson never rose above the rank of a third or lowest class teacher at a time when examinations were merely nominal.

**THAT SEA SERPENT**—Mr. E. G. Fuller writes to the *Summerside Journal* in substantiation of the story told by the Miminigash fisherman. He says: "The same fish, or a similar one, was seen from one of Mr. Belyca's boats a few days after. There are numbers of men who have seen fish of this description, and although it may seem unusual to people residing inland, it is considered by fishermen as by no means uncommon. In company with Captain Peter N. McDonald, on board the schooner C. W. Lyle, and James Cantwell; both of Souris, I had the opportunity of viewing a fish of the same shape as described by my men, for two hours of a calm afternoon, about two miles off Cape Bear, in July, 1879. The one we saw was fully three times the length of the schooner, and not over one hundred yards distant. The piece that the men brought ashore lay on the block for two or three days, and was seen by a number of persons in this locality.

The steamer *Carroll* sailed for Boston on Thursday evening with a cargo consisting of 721 barrels and 83 boxes mackerel; 420 boxes eggs; 512 boxes lobsters; 57 barrels codfish; 4 casks oil and 28 coops fowls—valued at \$8267.00. She had also on board the following passengers:—Miss Warren, Miss Annie McPherson, Mr. Brown, Miss Brown, Mr. Smith, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. William Cumming, Miss Edith Cumming, Miss McKinlay, Jane Holland, Mrs. Bridget Kelly, Miss McKinnon, Miss Croucher, William Nicholson, W. H. Campbell, Miss C. H. Ross, Miss Morris, Miss E. Morris, Miss M. A. McNis, Miss L. Coffin, Mrs. A. A. Baldwin and two children, Miss E. Callaghan, Mrs. E. Jackson, Miss A. McDonald, John Campbell, Mrs. J. Large, Miss Large, Mr. J. W. Large, Master Wm. Large, Miss M. Doyle, Miss Lotie Leggett, Jane Holeman, Miss C. Ryan, Miss Annie Finlayson, Miss C. Ryan, Hannah Weatherbie, Miss M. Martin, Miss F. McLean, Mrs. Jane Cumming, Miss Kate Flynn, Miss Smythe, M. Morrison, Mrs. Bearney, Mrs. L. Gregor, H. Silver, J. Stanlake, Mrs. P. Black, Edward Cummings, J. Smith, A. A. McNeill, Miss E. Rose, Mr. L. Arthur, J. M. Robins, Miss E. Beer, J. P. Small, Miss McNis, Mrs. B. Rogers, and a large number of others with return tickets.

**NEW GOODS!**

**Perkins & Sterns.**

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED VIA HALIFAX,

- New Black Cashmeres,
- New Black Merinos,
- New Black Satins,
- New Black Crapes,
- New Black Velvets,
- New Black Prints,
- New Mantle Cloths,
- New Lace Curtains,
- New Ostrich Feathers,
- NEW SCARF LACE,
- &c., &c., &c.

All of which are marked at OUR USUAL Low Prices.

**Perkins & Sterns.**  
Ch'town, July 24, 1879.

**Correspondence.**

*We do not hold ourselves responsible for the statements or opinions of our correspondents.*

To the Editor of the *Examiner*.

SIR—An advertisement appeared in your paper recently informing the public that the Hon. F. Brecken, one of the Commissioners for this Province, had received "a few copies of prize lists," &c., of the great Dominion Exhibition to be held at Ottawa commencing on the 22d Sept. inst., also stating that "full particulars" could be had on application to Mr. Simon W. Crabbe, of Charlottetown. Will you kindly inform your readers if any arrangement has been made to issue half fare tickets from this Province for the occasion? Several leading agriculturists from here are anxious to know what reduction of fares (if any) will be made. On former occasions of the same kind, tickets at reduced fares were issued. Perhaps Mr. Crabbe, acting for his honor the Commissioner, will publish the required information. The hon. Senator Haythorne is also a Commissioner representing the interests of this Province. Mr. Haythorne has always manifested a practical interest in the agricultural welfare of our farmers. Will his honor, through your columns, throw some light on the question of conveyance to the grand National Exhibition at Ottawa.

Yours truly,  
FARMER.

Lot 50, Sept. 4, 1875.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

Alex. H. Stephens, of Georgia, the ex-Vice-President of the Confederate States, has declared his preference for the next Presidency to be General Hancock, one of the ablest of the Northern Generals during the war.

The Governor of Iowa being urged to pardon a convicted rumseller declined, saying, "while I have great sympathy for Mr. Newton, I have also great sympathy for the wives and children who have been made sufferers by the sale of whiskey to the fathers and husbands by Mr. Newton."

The following address is being numerously signed in Plymouth for presentation to Capt. Carey on his arrival in the screw steamer *Jumra*:—"We, men of Plymouth, in welcoming you back to your native country, desire to express our entire confidence in your valor as a British officer and your honor as a gentleman, and our sincere sympathy with you in the trying circumstances in which you have been placed."

The Canadian Government is employing a considerable number of transcribers to copy what are known as the Haldimand papers, over two hundred volumes of which were acquired by the manuscript department of the British Museum in 1858. These papers are among the most important contributions to the early history of the Dominion, being the literary remains of Lieutenant General Sir Frederick Haldimand, K. B., a Governor for many years previous to 1790 of the Province of Canada.

The Pope is about to carry out the recommendations of his encyclical on the return to the philosophy of Sir Thomas Aquinas. He begins first with reforms in teaching of the schools in the immediate region of the Vatican. A despatch from Rome to a Catholic quarter states that several changes are to be made among the professors of philosophy in the ecclesiastical schools of Rome. The same despatch gives an absolute denial to the reports current in English papers about the bad health of the Pontiff.

A strange and terrible accident, which happened to a worthy young citizen of Millbrook, Master Dawson Hunter, second son of Capt. Hunter, Clerk of the Division Court, is thus recorded by the *Messenger*: For some time past, young Hunter has been getting sort of deaf, and his parents have been trying to do what they could to prevent deafness setting in. With this end in view they took him a few days ago to Sykes' Eye and Ear Infirmary, at Oshawa. While in the air bath, the bath exploded, part of which struck Dr. Sykes, who was passing at the time, breaking his leg in three places and otherwise injuring him, and covering him with the ruins of the wall. It seems miraculous that young Hunter was not instantly killed, as one side of the great iron box was blown completely out, and through a partition and the wall of the house. At the moment young Hunter thought he was not much injured, but shortly after he went into a kind of convulsion, for a time being insensible. The shock has evidently been too much for his system, as the doctors give no hopes of his recovery. His spine is injured.

A COMPANY OF ZULUS—an *impi*, as the correspondent would say—has come to signal grief in Dublin. Encouraged no doubt by the sympathizing tone of the anti-English press, these hardy warriors invaded the Ulundi of Ireland, and at one of the great public kraals displayed themselves, their ox hide shields and their terrible assegais to all persons possessed of the desirable curiosity and the necessary shilling. Business becoming dull some of the "friendly Zulus" were sent out in a carriage by their enterprising manager to beat up a public, even as Little Nell was paraded through the town by Mrs. Jarley. Becoming thirsty they stopped like mere Britons at a beer seller's kraal, and were practically comparing the stout of Dublin with the laager of their native country, when along came an old woman whose son had been killed at the rout of the Twenty-fourth regiment. This simple-minded mother gathered an apronful of stones from the newly-macadamized roadway, and as soon as the Zulu *impi* debouched from the kraal she began bombarding them with rocks, pouring in a musketry fire of curses at the same time with Hibernian vigor. The Zulu shields thus tested proved not to be made of ox hide tough as iron, but of mere painted canvas, and in spite of the frightful assegais which, when on exhibition, the Zulus brandished so menacingly, they were useless. The old woman routed the savages and put them to ignominious flight, soundly confused and roundly cursed.—*N. Y. World*.

**LONDON HOUSE**

**JULY.**

**NOW SHOWING!**

A Lot of Mens' White Vests, AT 50 CTS. AND 75 CTS. EACH.

Cheap Lines of Colored Alhambra Quilts 50 CTS, 75 CTS, \$1.00.

The Balance of our Stock of Ladies' Skirts

To be Cleared Out at a Bargain.

A FRESH STOCK OF PRINTS

TO OPEN THIS WEEK.

MENS' STRAW HATS!

A Large Variety, Very Cheap.

IN OUR Tailoring Department

—WE HAVE A—

Capital Range of Broadcloths, Worsted Coating, and Tweeds.

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**Geo. Davies & Co.**  
Charlottetown, July 8, 1879.

**VINEGAR.**

30 CASKS PARKS' BEST XXX VINEGAR, THE BEST QUALITY IMPORTED. CARVELL BROS. Aug. 25, 1879. 2aw 2w

**AUCTION!**

**VALUABLE PROPERTY** For Sale in Charlottetown and Common.

To be sold by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on FRIDAY, the 5th SEPTEMBER next, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House in Charlottetown, the following valuable properties:—

(1st) All that tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Common of Charlottetown, bounded and described as follows—that is to say: Commencing at the north edge of the Back Brighton Road at the west boundary of Lot number eight (8); thence following the course thereof northwardly for the distance of five (5) chains and ninety-four (94) links, or until it meets the south boundary of Common Lot number two (2); thence following the course of the same westwardly one chain and sixty-eight links; thence by a right angle therewith running southwardly to the said road; thence following the course of the said road eastwardly one chain and sixty-eight links to the place of commencement, containing one acre of land, a little more or less, being plot number nine (9), in Common Lot number one, in the Common of Charlottetown, as defined in the plan of the late Samuel Mitchell's estate at Brighton, aforesaid, reference being thereunto had will fully appear.

(2) Also, all that tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Charlottetown, aforesaid, being part and parcel of town lot number seventy-four (74) in the first hundred of town lots in Charlottetown, fronting on Dorchester street, and is abutted and bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing on the north side of said street at the division line between said town Lot number seventy-four (74) and town lot number seventy-three (73) and thence along the said line at right angles to the rear of land occupied by Daniel Brennan, Esquire, thence northeastwardly along said line a distance of sixty-seven (67) feet, thence by a line parallel to the division line between said town lots number seventy-three (73) and seventy-four (74), eighty (80) feet to Dorchester street, aforesaid, thence along said street southwestwardly to the place of commencement.

(3rd) Also, five-eighths undivided equal parts, in ALL that piece or parcel of land being part of Town Lot number seventy-three in the first hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown aforesaid, commencing at the corner of Town Lots numbers seventy-three and seventy-four, and running along Dorchester Street until it meets Queen Street, eighty-four feet thence north along said Queen Street fifty-seven feet ten inches; thence north and east by a line parallel to Dorchester Street aforesaid thirty eight feet, thence north by a line parallel to Queen Street, aforesaid, eighteen feet, thence north and east by a line parallel to Dorchester Street, aforesaid, forty-six feet, or to the line dividing said town lots numbers seventy three and seventy-four, and thence following said line to the place of commencement on Dorchester Street, aforesaid.

For further particulars of title and all information, apply to Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown, Dated this 20th day of August, 1879.

JAMES MALCOLM.

aug 20, 1879

**Wants, Lost, Found, &c**

**STRAYED** from the subscriber's premises near Spring Park, on the 27th August last, a small RED HORSE. Any person giving information as to his whereabouts will be suitably rewarded. THOMAS WOOD.—sept 5 tf

**WANTED**—15 or 20 women to scrub and otherwise clean Falconwood Asylum. Apply to Dr. Blanchard, at the office of Theoph. DesBrisay, on Friday and Saturday afternoons, between the hours of 2 and 3 p.m. Sept 4. 1i

**WANTED**—A Girl for general housework. Must come well recommended. Enquire at this office.—sept 4, 3in

**TO LET**—RENT LOW—A house containing seven rooms, situated near the Malpeque Road. Good dry cellar. Apply at this Office.—Sept. 3—tf

**STRAYED**—From the premises, a Red Cow, with horns and a white heart on forehead. Any information as to her whereabouts will be thankfully received by ISAAC W. WADMAN, Grafton street.—sept 3

**WANTED**—By a YOUNG LADY, a situation in either a town or country Store. Address Box 103, P. O. Charlottetown—Sept. 2, 2w

**LOST**—A silver ornament with stone set ring belonging to a dirk worn on Highland kilts. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at E. W. TAYLOR'S Watchmaker, etc. [Sept. 1st.]

**TO LET**—A house, furnished or otherwise, in a central part of the city. Apply at the EXAMINER OFFICE.—Sept. 1—3i

**DENTAL STUDENT**—A young man, suitably qualified, desirous of learning Dentistry, will hear of an opportunity by enquiring of C. L. STRICKLAND. [aug. 30]

**WANTED**—A Housemaid and a Nurse. Apply at the EXAMINER OFFICE. [30—3i]

**WANTED TO RENT**—A house containing 7 or 8 rooms, and situate in a good locality. Apply at the EXAMINER OFFICE. [aug 18]

**TO LET**—A HOUSE containing 5 rooms situated on Euston street east. Apply to MRS. OFFER, Queen Street. [Aug. 8.—tf]

**TO LET**—A TENEMENT HOUSE situated on Kent street, next door to Dr. Creamer. Apply to MRS. OFFER, Queen street. [aug 1—tf]