

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION! A Splendid Display. Very Unfavorable Weather. A LARGE ATTENDANCE. THE PRIZE LIST.

NOTWITHSTANDING the wet and disagreeable weather, the Exhibition was well attended to-day. At noon His Honor Lieutenant Governor Macdonald, accompanied by Mrs. Macdonald and suite, arrived, and His Honor was presented with the following ADDRESS.

To His Honor the Honorable Andrew A. Macdonald, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Prince Edward Island.

MAY I PLEASE YOUR HONOR.—The present seems to be a very appropriate, though probably, as far as this Province is concerned, the last public occasion for expressing the joy and satisfaction which Her Majesty's subjects have experienced at the arrival of the jubilee year of Her reign, therefore we have peculiar pleasure as loyal subjects in now welcoming Your Honor as Her representative.

This year, too, has been, in a public sense, a bright and beautiful one, for we believe that at no former period has the season been more favorable for the labors of the farmer, or resulted more prosperously so far as the products of the field and garden are concerned. We invite all our people to join with Your Honor and with us in now rendering our thanks to Almighty God for His great goodness and blessings in this respect.

The past years of Her Majesty's reign have, in all respects, been most successful, and marked by wonderful progress which has formed the theme during the last few months of many an address presented.

Prince Edward Island has not been left outside in the race, but has also reaped material prosperity. We can only venture to refer to that branch of it which relates more immediately to the subjects suggested by the present occasion. We find that in 1837, the first year of the reign of Her Majesty, an exhibition was held here in Charlottetown on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, under the patronage of His Excellency Lieutenant Governor Sir Charles Fitzroy.

The importance of the Agricultural industry of the Province was then, as now, appreciated although evidenced in a much more modest form.

Premiums were offered for the best horses, cattle, sheep, etc., and amounted only to £16, 0s. 0d., or \$52 of our present money. The number of prizes awarded were on that occasion ten (10) only and this for the whole Island. On the present occasion the prizes offered for horses, cattle, sheep, etc., and animals generally, are 241 in number instead of 10, and the amount offered equals \$935, or eighteen times the amount in the same class in 1837.

In addition to this also an additional amount of \$721 is now offered for poultry and agricultural products and other articles of industry, making in all \$1,656 for prizes at this exhibition, to which must be added the amount of prizes offered for the same purpose in Prince and King's Counties, which amount to \$1,190, making a general total of \$2,756, or against \$5,200 in 1837.

Again, looking over the Public Returns for proof of increase and advance with the commencement of the present Victorian period, we find that whereas in 1837 our people owned 9,871 horses, they now (taking the census of 1881 as our guide), notwithstanding the large and increasing drain for foreign exportation, own 31,335. The number of neat cattle held by them has increased from 42,414 to 90,724, and of sheep from 73,642 to 106,496.

The facilities for travel and communication, both internally and externally, have, by the aid of steamers and modern improvements, so greatly increased as to bring our products and our people within easy reach of almost every part of the world. As one evidence of this, we believe there will be found within the walls of this building a large exhibit of the ordinary field products of the various districts of the great Canadian West, but now brought so near by means of the Canadian Pacific Railway as to contribute largely to the interest of the present occasion.

The unpopular leasehold tenure has passed away, and our prosperous and industrious farmers now nearly all hold the fee-simple of their lands and are, as they ought to be, the owners of the soil, which has been reclaimed from the forest, and brought into cultivation by the labors of themselves and their honored forefathers.

We thank Your Honor for your attendance. We again welcome you to this exhibition, and now request you to open it.

His Honor replied as follows:—It gives me great pleasure to comply with your request and to declare this Exhibition open.

The jubilee year of Her Majesty's reign, which was so joyfully celebrated by the people of this Province, had brought us further cause for rejoicing in the beautiful summer we have had, and the bountiful harvest which the earth has yielded, so that this has been for us a year of peace and prosperity—a season of joy and happiness. In no part of the Queen's wide Dominion is there greater cause for thankfulness than in this Province where we have received so many benefits. I unite with you and with all the people in rendering thanks to Almighty God for these and many other blessings.

people in material prosperity, whereof Prince Edward Island, as you observe, has reaped her full share during the period covered by the reign of Queen Victoria.

The settlement of the land question, which had so long disturbed the Colony, was one great cause of this improvement. While people held their lands by an unsatisfactory tenure they spent that time in agitation and discussion of their grievances, which otherwise would have been devoted to the cultivation of the soil. But no sooner had that great question been settled, no sooner had they acquired the freehold of their farms than with renewed vigor they devoted their entire energies to the task of improving their property, and paying off the instalments of the purchase money as they became due, so that the homestead on which they had subdued the forest by their hard labor, on which they had endured toils and suffered privations, such as the young men of this day would not have the courage to face, might descend to their children, and to their children's children free from encumbrance, and likely to remain in the family for generations.

Ten years ago if any one had told us that productions of the North West would be on exhibition here in this year of grace, he would have been regarded as a visionary, and yet we see it has actually happened, and specimens of the various agricultural products of that distant region are now ranged here beside our own for your inspection. While they show the magnificent capabilities of that country, we still feel that we may well take pride in the productions of our own little Island. These exhibits, coming from a Province which, but a few years ago, was the home of the buffalo, and visited only by the Indian hunter or fur trader, a region a thousand miles beyond the highest point reached by the tidal waters of the broad Atlantic, prove that fields exist there as productive as our own, and we know that they also form part of this wide Dominion; our own country, where scions from many Provincial families have gone to make new homes for themselves where they will be governed by the same laws—where the old flag will still float over them, and where they will still be under the sway of our beloved Queen, and bear with them our best wishes for their success.

There is one fact that is annually brought to our attention at every exhibition, but never more forcibly than on the present occasion that is: our Exhibition grounds, sheds and buildings belong to a by-gone period, and like the log huts of the early settler they should be replaced by buildings and accommodations suited to the importance of the interests here represented. The land on which the Exhibitions are now held is the property of the Lieutenant Governor for the time being, and a part of the farm connected with his residence, which he has as much right the use of as he has to Government House itself, while he holds the position of Lieutenant Governor. It is not to be supposed that it can always be given up for exhibitors. Then the accommodation for stock is entirely too limited and they are now overcrowded so that they can not be seen or examined properly. I hold that the local or County Exhibitions should now be all merged in one grand Provincial Exhibition, that proper grounds should be secured and buildings should be erected which would be in keeping with the interests here represented. We have this year the presence of the Northwest to which the Secretary could not give half the space they required, and other Provinces may desire to send similar specimens in another year with a like result. It is our interest and our duty to provide for these eventualities, and to do so without further loss of time.

I thank you Mr. Chairman, and through you your brother Commissioners and Judges for the time and attention you have bestowed, and are still bestowing upon the duties devolving upon you by your appointments. The success of this exhibition is already assured, owing to your united and untiring efforts and those of your efficient Secretary, and with your permission I now propose that we open it with three cheers for Her Majesty Queen Victoria.

At the conclusion of the reply enthusiastic cheers were given for Her Majesty the Queen, for His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, Judge Hensley and the Exhibition Commissioners, and Mr. Armstrong who is in charge of the Canadian Pacific Railway exhibit.

The last named gentleman acknowledged the compliment in a neat speech. He remarked that he had travelled and worked in all the New England States and could not for a moment compare them to this country. The land there was poor, yet the farmers were doing well. The reason of this was that they had filled up their west and were united. Our people, he thought, had far better sea facilities for getting on well than had the people of the New England States. All that is wanted is a million people for the Northwest. Geographically we are bound up with the Northwest, and he could not see why we should not be united. He closed by referring in scathing language to those unpatriotic Grit newspaper editors and politicians who advocate annexation with the United States and never miss an opportunity of slandering their own country.

A goodly number of prominent citizens were present and much interest was taken in the proceedings.

The exhibits in the Drill Shed are arranged with even more than the usual skill and taste, and taken as a whole, are the best collection we have seen within its walls for many years.

The exhibit from the Canadian West, Manitoba, the Territories and British Columbia have helped us considerably in making this year's display one of the best we have seen for many years. The splendid collections of grains thrashed and in the straw, roots, grasses, oil cake, fruits, etc., is attracting considerable attention.

Among the roots we noticed the following, all of them very fine specimens: 20 varieties of potatoes from Wm. Cubelt, of Springfield, Man.; half bush of Beauty of Hebron potatoes from Wm. Avinson, Springfield, Man.; half bush of Belle potatoes, Thos. McIntosh, Kildonan; two vegetable marrows, large, long and shapely, D. Sewell, Kildonan; two do. from D. Aikell, Springfield; half bush Empire State potatoes from F. McIntosh, Kildonan; two fine citrons, Wm. Cubelt, Springfield; one California citron, Mrs. McIver, Kildonan; five splendid Kohlrabi, R. Palmer, Springfield; three cows horn turnips, R. Egan, Springfield; half bush red onions, very fine, R. Palmer, Springfield; one mammoth squash, J. Davey, Winnipeg; and from the same half bush of even sized and pretty snow flake potatoes; four long blood beets, Mrs. McIver, Kildonan. Two colossal potatoes from Silver Heights were tested by the Judges, and weighed respectively 4 1/2 and 3 1/2 lbs. An entry of their weight was made by Mr. McNeill, who will verify our statement. Amongst the thrashed grain, Mr. Jos. Dodds sends a bag of very bright Wellcome oats, well filled and good shape. Wm. Cubelt, of Springfield, shows White Hulls barley, very heavy. Wm. Armstrong shows

black oats of fine quality. The whole exhibit is arranged with artistic taste. A banner 60 feet long has the inscription, "The Garden of the West sends greetings to the Garden of the East," another has "Canada One, from Ocean to Ocean," a third, "Make the East prosper by filling up the West." When asked how Prince Edward Island would benefit by helping to fill up our far Canadian West, Mr. Armstrong, who has the exhibits in charge, said that the thing had already been done, and that we have the problem, the cause and effect worked and working before our eyes every day. The farmers of New England, he said, are tilling land not worth a tithing of the land that P. E. Island farmers are working, and living well, because they have large manufacturing centres near them for markets. These manufacturing centres find their markets in the far American West which New England helped to fill up. As so in the Canadian West has one million of a population, Nova Scotia's mines of coal and iron will attract manufacturers, manufacturing centres will grow up fast at our doors, and in them we will find the markets that we need.

The collection of horses, cattle, sheep, pigs, etc., on the Show grounds is also large and excellent.

The following is the prize list so far as we could obtain it:—

PRIZE LIST

FLORICULTURE.

Collection of Asters, not less than 4 colors, 1st, Mrs Geo Hodgson, city; 2nd, H Stirling, do. Collection of Phlox Drummondii, not less than 4 colors, 1st, Mrs Richard Burke, Royalty; 2nd, L W Watson, city. Collection Stocks, not less than 4 colors, 1st, Mrs Wm Dodd, city; 2nd, A Smallwood, Middleton. Collection Salpiglossis, not less than 4 colors, 1st, T James, city; 2nd, L W Watson, do. Collection Dianthus, not less than 4 colors, 1st, Miss Helen A DesBrisay, Spring Park; 2nd, Mrs Richard Burke, Royalty. Collection Roses, not less than 3 colors, 1st, Mrs R Burke, Royalty. Collection Carnations, not less than 3 colors, 1st, Mrs Wm Dodd, city; 2nd, Mrs R Burke, Royalty. Collection Verbenas, not less than 3 colors, 1st, J Jordan, Royalty; 2nd, Mrs M McLeod, city. Dish of Balsams (blooms), 1st, Miss Carrie Burnett, St Peter's Road; 2nd, Mrs Geo Hodgson, city. Three Dahlias, small, double, 1st, Minnie Brown, city; 2nd, E Bayfield, Royalty. Three Dahlias, large, double, 1st, Mrs Beaton, city; 2nd, E Bayfield, Royalty. Three Dahlias, single, 1st, Miss Palmer, city. Three Gladioli, 1st, Miss Carrie Easton, Royalty; 2nd, Judge Hensley, city. Three Lilies, 1st, Mrs Geo Hodgson, city; 2nd, Mrs Ed Robertson, do. Four varieties Single Petunias, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Alex McKinlay, North River. Three varieties Double Petunias, 1st, Thomas Ridgeway, city; 2nd, Miss P Longworth, Royalty. Three Pelargoniums, 1st, Thomas Ridgeway, city; 2nd, J G Eckstadt, do. Six Double Zinnias, 1st, H Stirling, city; 2nd, Minnie Brown, do. Twelve variety Fancies, 1st, H C Jordan, Royalty; 2nd, Mrs M McLeod, city. Hand Bouquet of Flowers, 1st, A Smallwood, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs R Burke, Royalty. Table Bouquet of Flowers, 1st, Mrs R Burke, Royalty; 2nd, A Smallwood, Middleton. Bouquet of Everlasting Flowers, 1st, A Smallwood, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs R Burke, Royalty. Three varieties Fuchias in Flower, 1st, T Ridgeway, city. Three varieties Single Geraniums, 1st, T Ridgeway, city. Three varieties Double Geraniums, 1st, T Ridgeway, city. Three varieties Coleus, 1st, T Ridgeway, city. Collection of Foliage Plants, not less than 6 varieties, not to include Geraniums, 1st, T Ridgeway, city. Collection of Geraniums for foliage and for flower, not less than 6 varieties, 1st, T Ridgeway, city. Judges—Mrs B Davies, Mrs W R Frame, Mrs B Heartz, Mrs M McDonald, Georgetown.

FRUIT.

Dozen Apples, Autumn Strawberry, 1st, Benj E Wright, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Graysteins, 1st, Benj E Wright, Royalty; 2nd, George Wright, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Red Astrachan, 1st, Benj E Wright, Royalty; 2nd, John Robertson, Inkerman Farm. Dozen Apples, Alexander (Emperor), 1st, John Robertson, Inkerman Farm; 2nd, Rebecca Carter, Winsloe Road. Dozen Apples, Tetofsky, 1st, W W Moore, Pownal. Dozen Apples, Peach, 1st, Mrs John Robertson, North River; 2nd, Abram Gill, Little York. Dozen Apples, Duchess of Oldenburg, 1st, Donald McSwain, Lot 48; 2nd, David Carr, Stanhope. Dozen Apples, William's Favorite, 1st, Mrs John Robertson, North River; 2nd, Benj E Wright, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Permain (Blue), 1st, John Robertson, Inkerman Farm; 2nd, P Robertson, New Perth. Dozen Apples, Northern Spy, 1st, John Robertson, Inkerman Farm; 2nd, P Robertson, New Perth. Dozen Apples, Yellow Belle Fleur (or Bishop Pippin), 1st, Thos Dodd, Lot 50; 2nd, Benj E Wright, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Golden Russet, 1st, A Moore, Pownal; 2nd, Mrs H Longworth, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Ben Davis, 1st, Mrs John Robertson, North River; 2nd, Abram Gill, Little York. Dozen Apples, Baldwin, 2nd, B E Wright, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Ribston Pippin, 1st, Lewis Baker, Bunbury; 2nd, Mrs H Longworth, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Haas, 1st, Percy Robertson, New Perth; 2nd, do. Dozen Apples, Calkin Pippin, 1st, Percy Robertson, New Perth; 2nd, do. Dozen Apples, Hawthorned, 1st, Mrs Jno Robertson, North River; 2nd, Miss Croker, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Quarrenden (Devonshire), 1st, James Lewis, Royalty; 2nd, Benj E Wright, Royalty. Dozen Apples, Famusee (or Snow Apple), 1st, Rebecca Carter, Winsloe Road; 2nd, Percy Robertson, New Perth. Dozen Swaar, 1st, Benj E Wright, Royalty. Dozen Native Seedling, 1st, John Robertson, Inkerman Farm; 2nd, Herbert Alexander, Stanhope. Any other variety, 1st, Benj E Wright, Royalty; 2nd, James McCallum, Brackley Point Road. Sample 1 quart Crab Apples (Transcendent), 1st, David Carr, Stanhope; 2nd, Albert Mutch, Lot 48. Sample 1 quart Golden, 1st, John Robertson,

son, Inkerman Farm; 2nd, Percy Robertson, New Perth. Sample 1 quart Hyslop, 1st, Mrs Donald McEachern, Lot 48; 2nd, D A McLeod, Eldon. Sample 1 quart Siberian, 1st, Mrs McLanchlin, Marshfield; 2nd, S Arbing, Suffolk. Sample 1 quart Queen's Choice, 1st, Miss Lillia Scott, North River; 2nd, Mrs Peter Robertson, Marshfield. Sample 1 quart Bald's Winter, 1st, Mrs D McEachern, Lot 48; 2nd, A Gill, Little York. Sample 1 quart Plums (Blue or Purple), 1st, Mrs Alex Ferguson, St Peter's Road; 2nd, Mrs Jas Stewart, do. Sample 1 quart Damsons, 1st, Jas Brodie, Stanhope; 2nd, Peter Brodie, do. Sample 1 quart Native Seedling Plums, 1st, Sarah Weatherly, Village Green. Sample 1 dozen Pears (Flemish Beauty), 1st, Fredk A Brown, city; 2nd, Robert Jones, Lot 48. Sample 1 dozen Pears (Belle Lucrative), 1st, Fredk A Brown, city. Sample 1 dozen Pears (Louise Bonne de Jersey), 1st, Wm Cairns, St Peter's Road. Sample 1 dozen Quarts, 1st, Mrs Peter Robertson, Marshfield. Bunch White Grapes (grown inside), 2nd, Wm Heard, city. Bunch Black Grapes (grown out doors), 1st, Thos Dodd, Lot 50; 2nd, A Gill, Little York. Bunch Black Grapes (grown inside), Wm Heard, city. Gallon Cranberries, 1st, C R Dickie, Muddy Creek, 2nd, Wm Taylor, St Peter's Island. Judges—W F Carter, H A Stewart, Richard Burke.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.

1st, James Farquharson, Lot 48; 2nd, George White, North River. 1st, James Lewis, Royalty; 2nd, George Howard, Winsloe Road. Collection of Potatoes grown from seed balls sown in 1887, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Richard Burke, Royalty. Twelve Swede Turnips, 1st, R Heartz, city; 2nd, Jas Mutch, Lot 48. Twelve long-red Mangel Wurtzel, greatest weight, 1st, A Peters, Royalty; 2nd, Thos Parsons, city. Red Globe Mangel Wurtzel, greatest weight, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Richard Burke, Royalty. Twelve Yellow or Orange Globe Mangel Wurtzel, greatest weight, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Jas Burke, Southport. 1st, Chas Palmer, city; 2nd, J M McKinlay, North River. 1st, half bush Long Orange Carrots, 1st, A Sellar, Winsloe Road. 1st, half bush Parsnips (large for stock), 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Government House. One doz Onions red (ripe), 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Government House. One doz Onions, white or yellow (ripe), 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Government House. Half doz largest unripe (red), 1st, Government House; 2nd, Isaac Houston, city. Half doz do, yellow or white, largest unripe, 1st, R Burke, Royalty; 2nd, Government House. Two doz Shallots, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, W Davison, St Peter's Road. One doz Table Beets, (long variety) 1st, Mrs H Palmer, city; 2nd, Government House. One doz Table Beets (round or turnip), 1st, Mrs H Palmer, city; 2nd, A McKinnon, Royalty. One doz Sugar Beets, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Jas Burke, do. One doz Parsnips, 1st, E Bayfield; 2nd, Government House. One doz Danvers, or any half-long variety of Carrots, 1st, Geo G Mellett, Union Road; 2nd, E Bayfield. One doz Early Horn Carrots, stump rooted, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Government House. Three Cauliflowers, 1st, Judge Hensley, city; 2nd, D Davies, do. One doz Ears Indian Corn (yellow) 1st, Jas Burke, Southport; 2nd, Government House. One doz Ears Indian Corn (sweet) 1st, Jas Burke, Southport; 2nd, E Bayfield, Royalty. One Pumpkin, 1st, Jas Burke, Southport; 2nd, W Burke, Royalty. One Squash (mammoth or Chili) greatest weight, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, R Burke, do. Two Squashes (Boston Marrow), 1st, R Burke, Royalty; 2nd, E Bayfield, do. Two Squashes (Hubbard) 1st, Jas Burke, Southport; 2nd, R Burke, Royalty. Two English Vegetable Marrow, 1st, Vouchery Gay, Pownal; 2nd, Jas Burke, Southport. Three Winingstadt Cabbage, by weight, 1st, A McKinnon, Royalty; 2nd, Jas H Judson, Lot 49. Three Drumhead Cabbage, by weight, 1st, R Burke, Royalty. Three Red Cabbage, 1st, Jas Smith, Royalty; 2nd, Jas Burke, Southport. Three Savoy Cabbage, by weight, 1st, R Burke, Royalty; 2nd, Jas Burke, Southport. Three Brussels Sprouts, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Judge Hensley, city. Three Cumberburs, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Jas Burke, Southport. Three Citron Melons, 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, John Crawford, Bedeque. Three Musk Melons (ripe), 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Mrs B Davies, city. One dozen Tomatoes, Red, for smoothness, perfection of shape and size, 1st, Jas Burke, Southport; 2nd, Alexander McKinnon, Royalty. One dozen Tomatoes, Red (largest of any kind), 1st, Jas Burke, Southport; 2nd, Mrs B Davies, city. One dozen Tomatoes (large yellow), 1st, Jas Burke, Southport; 2nd, Alex McKinnon, Royalty. One dozen Tomatoes (yellow plums), 1st, E Bayfield, Royalty; 2nd, Alex McKinnon, Royalty. Half dozen roots Celery (red), 1st, James Burke, Southport; 2nd, E Bayfield, Royalty. Half dozen roots Celery (white), 1st, James Burke, Southport; 2nd, Alex McKinnon, Royalty. Sample Fodder Corn (six stalks), 1st, Government House; 2nd, Wm Howard, Wiltshire Road. Group Vegetables, 1st, Richard Burke, Royalty; 2nd, Jas Burke, Southport. Judges—James Lewis, J J Gay, G H Haszard.

WOOLEN AND FLAX GOODS.

Ten yards Black Cloth, all wool, full dressed, hand made, 1st, Mrs John Cameron, Grand River; 2nd, Alfred Grant, St Stewart. Ten yards Grey Cloth, all wool, full dressed, hand made, 1st, D Marchbanks, DeSable; 2nd, Geo Duggan, do. Gentleman's Plain, home made, 1st, Mrs Geo Burnett, St Peter's Road; 2nd, Mrs Alex Ferguson, St Peter's Rd. Woman's Shawl, home made, 1st, Mrs J G Wright, Middleton; 2nd, J G Eckstadt, city. Pair Horse Rugs, 1st, Mrs W M McLeod, Kinross; 2nd, Mrs George Burnett, St Peter's Road. Piece Fancy Drugget, striped, home-made, 1st, Mrs J E Wri ht, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs J McNeill, New Perth. Piece Fancy Drugget, checked or plaid do, 1st, Mrs J E Wright, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs H Dawson, Tryon. Railway Rug, home made, 1st, Mrs W M McLeod, Kinross; 2nd, Mrs George Burnett, St Peter's Road. Pair Door Mats, Mrs Daniel F Fraser, Kingston; 2nd, Sarah McMillan, Brackley Pt Road. Ten yards Twilled Flannel, all wool, home made, 1st, Mrs A E Wright, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs Chas Morrison, Flat River. Ten yards plain Flannel, 1st, Geo Duggan, DeSable; 2nd, Sarah McDonald, Annandale. Twenty yards Carpet, all wool, 1st, Mrs John McNeill, New Perth; 2nd, Mrs John Walker, Free town. Twenty yards Carpet, cotton warp, woolen filling, 1st, Miss Penzie Hyde, Cornwall; 2nd, H H Stewart, Hamilton. Pair Blankets, all wool, 1st, Mrs Charles Morrison, Flat River; 2nd, Mrs J E Wright, Middleton. Hearth Rug, all wool yarn, 1st, Ella Thompson, Darney; 2nd, Mrs Caroline Stockman, Milton. Hearth Rug, all rags, 1st, Lizzie Scott, Brackley Point Road; 2nd, Jane McMillan, Brackley Point Road. Business Suit, tweed, winter wear, 1st, Chas Paton, city; 2nd, W D McKay, city. Overcoat, factory cloth, 1st, W D McKay, city. Three pairs Men's Woolen Socks, 1st, Miss Charlotte Marshall, Covehead; 2nd, Mary Lawson, Little York. Two pairs Women's Woolen Stockings, 1st, Emma Crozier, Lot 18; 2nd, Mrs Geo Tweedy, Gallas Pt. Three pairs Men's Woolen Mitts, 1st, Francis Sharp, Kennington; 2nd, Mrs Donald Scott, North River. Pair Men's Woolen Overalls, 1st, Mrs W McGregor, Lot 48; 2nd, Miss C Campbell, Middleton. Six new Linen Towels, home made, 1st, Mrs McDonald, Cardigan Wharf; 2nd, Mrs Jas McKenzie, Uigg. New Linen Table Cloth, 1st, Isabella Robertson, St Peter's Road; 2nd, Mrs H M McLeod, Kinross. Pair new Linen Sheets, 1st, Mary Ann Brogan, Fairville; 2nd, Mrs J Brogan, Fairville. Two new Linen Grain Sacks, 1st, Mrs M A McNevin, Boushaw; 2nd, Mrs Nicholas McNevin, do. Three pairs Men's Woolen Socks, 1st, Mrs D Kennedy, Ch town; 2nd, Mrs Charlotte Kennedy, Lot 48. Two pairs Women's Woolen Stockings, 1st, Mrs D Kennedy, city. Collection of Knit Work, 1st, Sarah McKinnon, city; 2nd, Miss Isabella Higgins, Stanhope. Judges—J Higgins, Mrs James Cuddy, J D Mason, Miss Coles, Mrs R Young.

FINE ARTS.

Oil Painting, 1st, Mrs George McLeod, city; 2nd, Miss Ethel Palmer, Hon. Mention. Miss Isabel Longworth and Miss Chisholm. Water Color Painting, 1st, Miss E A Mahon, Marshfield; 2nd, F Churchhill, city. Crayon Drawing, 1st, Ernest Mellish, city; Frances Weeks, do. Judges—Thos McKinlay, Prof Caven, Henry Green. Quintal Dry Cod Fish, 1st, Caleb Jordan, Guernsey Cove; 2nd, Henry Davison, city. Quintal Hake, 1st, Richard Jordan, Murray Harbor; 2nd, Caleb Jordan, Guernsey Cove. Case 1 doz Canned Lobsters (flats) 1st, Fraser & McLean, Governor's Island; 2nd, Jas Stewart, Pt Prin. Case 1 doz Canned Lobsters (talls), 1st, Jas Stewart, Pt Prin; 2nd, Fraser & McLean, Governor's Island. Case 1 doz Canned Mackerel, 1st, J A McLaine, St Peter's Bay; 2nd, Chas Longworth, city. Half Barrel Mackerel, 1st, Wm Carpenter, city; John McAulay, Tracadie. Cod Liver Oil (1 quart), 2nd, Caleb Jordan, Guernsey Cove. Judges—F T Newbery, H M Churchill, Donald McKay, Donald Ross.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Collection Native Insects—1st, Harry Bayfield, Royalty. Collection Scroll Sawing, 1st, W P Doull, city. Cheese Box, 1st, W Muir, Cornwall; 2nd, W McDonald, West River. Butter Tub, hardwood, 1st, Joseph Jackson, city. Pork Barrel, hardwood, iron hooped, 1st, Jos Jackson, city. Mackerel Barrel, 1st, J H Van Buskirk, city. Herring Barrel, 1st, L Rennie, Elmsdale. Collection Indian Baskets, 1st, Alex Thomas, Spring Park. Collection Flower Stands, Indian Work, 1st, Alex Thomas, Spring Park; 2nd, Jacob Mitchell, Rocky Pt. Bushel and Half Bushel Basket, Indian manufacture, 1st, Alex Thomas, Spring Park. Judges—R P Haythorne, David Mutch. [The list of horses, cattle, sheep, etc., as well as some notes of the principal exhibits will appear to-morrow.]

Woman's Shawl, home made, 1st, Mrs J G Wright, Middleton; 2nd, J G Eckstadt, city. Pair Horse Rugs, 1st, Mrs W M McLeod, Kinross; 2nd, Mrs George Burnett, St Peter's Road. Piece Fancy Drugget, striped, home-made, 1st, Mrs J E Wri ht, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs J McNeill, New Perth. Piece Fancy Drugget, checked or plaid do, 1st, Mrs J E Wright, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs H Dawson, Tryon. Railway Rug, home made, 1st, Mrs W M McLeod, Kinross; 2nd, Mrs George Burnett, St Peter's Road. Pair Door Mats, Mrs Daniel F Fraser, Kingston; 2nd, Sarah McMillan, Brackley Pt Road. Ten yards Twilled Flannel, all wool, home made, 1st, Mrs A E Wright, Middleton; 2nd, Mrs Chas Morrison, Flat River. Ten yards plain Flannel, 1st, Geo Duggan, DeSable; 2nd, Sarah McDonald, Annandale. Twenty yards Carpet, all wool, 1st, Mrs John McNeill, New Perth; 2nd, Mrs John Walker, Free town. Twenty yards Carpet, cotton warp, woolen filling, 1st, Miss Penzie Hyde, Cornwall; 2nd, H H Stewart, Hamilton. Pair Blankets, all wool, 1st, Mrs Charles Morrison, Flat River; 2nd, Mrs J E Wright, Middleton. Hearth Rug, all wool yarn, 1st, Ella Thompson, Darney; 2nd, Mrs Caroline Stockman, Milton. Hearth Rug, all rags, 1st, Lizzie Scott, Brackley Point Road; 2nd, Jane McMillan, Brackley Point Road. Business Suit, tweed, winter wear, 1st, Chas Paton, city; 2nd, W D McKay, city. Overcoat, factory cloth, 1st, W D McKay, city. Three pairs Men's Woolen Socks, 1st, Miss Charlotte Marshall, Covehead; 2nd, Mary Lawson, Little York. Two pairs Women's Woolen Stockings, 1st, Emma Crozier, Lot 18; 2nd, Mrs Geo Tweedy, Gallas Pt. Three pairs Men's Woolen Mitts, 1st, Francis Sharp, Kennington; 2nd, Mrs Donald Scott, North River. Pair Men's Woolen Overalls, 1st, Mrs W McGregor, Lot 48; 2nd, Miss C Campbell, Middleton. Six new Linen Towels, home made, 1st, Mrs McDonald, Cardigan Wharf; 2nd, Mrs Jas McKenzie, Uigg. New Linen Table Cloth, 1st, Isabella Robertson, St Peter's Road; 2nd, Mrs H M McLeod, Kinross. Pair new Linen Sheets, 1st, Mary Ann Brogan, Fairville; 2nd, Mrs J Brogan, Fairville. Two new Linen Grain Sacks, 1st, Mrs M A McNevin, Boushaw; 2nd, Mrs Nicholas McNevin, do. Three pairs Men's Woolen Socks, 1st, Mrs D Kennedy, Ch town; 2nd, Mrs Charlotte Kennedy, Lot 48. Two pairs Women's Woolen Stockings, 1st, Mrs D Kennedy, city. Collection of Knit Work, 1st, Sarah McKinnon, city; 2nd, Miss Isabella Higgins, Stanhope. Judges—J Higgins, Mrs James Cuddy, J D Mason, Miss Coles, Mrs R Young.

FINE ARTS.

Oil Painting, 1st, Mrs George McLeod, city; 2nd, Miss Ethel Palmer, Hon. Mention. Miss Isabel Longworth and Miss Chisholm. Water Color Painting, 1st, Miss E A Mahon, Marshfield; 2nd, F Churchhill, city. Crayon Drawing, 1st, Ernest Mellish, city; Frances Weeks, do. Judges—Thos McKinlay, Prof Caven, Henry Green. Quintal Dry Cod Fish, 1st, Caleb Jordan, Guernsey Cove; 2nd, Henry Davison, city. Quintal Hake, 1st, Richard Jordan, Murray Harbor; 2nd, Caleb Jordan, Guernsey Cove. Case 1 doz Canned Lobsters (flats) 1st, Fraser & McLean, Governor's Island; 2nd, Jas Stewart, Pt Prin. Case 1 doz Canned Lobsters (talls), 1st, Jas Stewart, Pt Prin; 2nd, Fraser & McLean, Governor's Island. Case 1 doz Canned Mackerel, 1st, J A McLaine, St Peter's Bay; 2nd, Chas Longworth, city. Half Barrel Mackerel, 1st, Wm Carpenter, city; John McAulay, Tracadie. Cod Liver Oil (1 quart), 2nd, Caleb Jordan, Guernsey Cove. Judges—F T Newbery, H M Churchill, Donald McKay, Donald Ross.

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Merry Wedding Bells.

St. Mary's Church, Summerside, was this morning the scene of another of those interesting events, so many of which we have had to chronicle of late, and in which the young people are so much interested. We allude to the uniting in marriage of Mr. James Hegun, C. E., of St. John, N. B., and Miss Bertha J. Hunt, daughter of Richard Hunt, Esq., of Summerside. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. F. Lowe, rector, and was witnessed by a large number of friends of the high contracting parties. We wish the happy couple a long and prosperous career.

PARKER-ALLEY.

The Rev. Charles O'Meara, for several years past Rector of St. Paul's Church, was married to Miss Louisa Margaret Hays, youngest daughter of F. W. Hales, Esq., of this city, in St. Mark's Church, Kennington, this morning. The Rev. T. B. Reagh tied the nuptial knot. The newly-married and happy pair left the church amid the congratulations of their friends, in which we heartily join.

PARKER-ALLEY.

On Monday, Mr. J. C. Fremont Parker, of Missoula, Montana, was married at the bride's home by Rev. E. Gillies, assisted by Rev. Campbell, of Wood Islands, to Miss Georgina E. Alley, only daughter of Mr. George D. Alley, of Cardigan Bridge. Shortly after the ceremony the happy young couple took the evening train for Charlottetown on their way to Montana, which place they purpose making their home for a few years. The newly married pair, who were favorites in Cardigan, were followed by the hearty good wishes for their welfare and happiness of their numerous friends and acquaintances. May their joys be untroubled, and may none but bright and silvery clouds shadow their home—COM.

AUCTION.

I AM instructed by H. H. Eldred, Esq., to Sell by Auction, at his residence, Westwood, THURSDAY, 6th inst. at 11 o'clock, a.m.—All his Household Furniture, comprising 2 bed-room sets, 2 Bay, Bedsteads (very hand some), Floor and Hair Mattresses, Parlor and Dining-room Furniture, Turkish Baza, Lace Curtains, &c., &c. Also, 1 Small sail Boat. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. Oct. 4, 1887.

CHANGE OF TIME.

BOSTON STEAMERS. (CARROLL and WORCESTER will leave Charlottetown every THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock, commencing 6th October, Oct. 2, 1887.

DRIVING MARE, BY AUCTION.

AT the residence of H. H. Eldred, Esq., to-morrow, THURSDAY, at 12 o'clock, 1 Splendid Driving Mare, 5 years old. G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer. Oct. 5, 1887.

OXFORD & NEW GLASGOW RAILWAY.

SEE—MINGO ROAD TO PICTOU TOWNS, BRANCH OF I. C. R. Tender for the Works of Construction.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Oxford and New Glasgow Railway," will be received at this office up to noon on MONDAY, the 10th day of October, 1887, for certain works of construction. Plans and profiles will be open for inspection at the office of the Chief Engineer of Government Railways at Ottawa, and also at the office of the Oxford and New Glasgow Railway, at River John, Pictou Co., Nova Scotia, on and after the 1st day of October, 1887, when the general specification and form of tender may be obtained upon application. No tender will be entertained unless one of the printed forms and all the conditions are complied with. By order, A. P. BRADLEY, Secretary. Department of Railways and Canals. Ottawa, 9th September, 1887. sept 15 law

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