

## MISCELLANY.

## THE REFORMER.

All grim, and soiled, and browned with tan,  
I saw a strong one, in his wrath,  
Smiting the Godless shrines of man  
Along his path.

The Church, beneath her trembling dome,  
Essayed in vain her ghostly charm.  
Wealth shook within his gilded home  
With pale alarm.

Fraud from his secret chambers fled  
Before the sunlight bursting in.  
Sloth drew her pillow o'er her head  
To drown the din.

"Spare," Art implored, "yon holy pile;  
That grand old time-worn turret spare?"  
Meek Reverence, kneeling in the aisle,  
Cried out "Forbear!"

Grey-bearded Use, who, deaf and dumb,  
Groped for his old accustomed stone,  
Leaned on his staff, and wept to find  
His seat o'erthrown.

Young Romance raised his dreamy eyes  
O'erhung with paly locks of gold;  
"Why smite," he asked, in sad surprise,  
"The fair, the old?"

Yet louder rang the strong one's stroke—  
Yet nearer flashed his axe's gleam:  
Shuddering, and sick of heart, I woke  
As from a dream.

I looked. Aside the dust-cloud rolled.  
The Waste seemed the Builder too.  
Upspringing from the ruined Old,  
I saw the New.

'Twas but the ruin of the bad—  
The wasting of the wrong and ill;  
Whate'er of good the old time had  
Was living still.

Calm grew the brow of him I feared:  
The frown which awed me passed away,  
And left behind a smile which cheered  
Like breathing day.

Green grew the grain on battle plains:  
O'er swarded war-mounds grazed the cow:  
The slave stood forging from the chains  
The spade and plough.

Where frowned the fort, pavilions gay,  
And cottage windows, flower-entwined,  
Looked out upon the peaceful bay  
And hills behind.

Through vine-wreathed cups, with wine once red,  
The lights on brimming crystal fell,  
Drawn, sparkling, from the rivulet-head  
And mossy well.

Through prison walls, like heaven-sent hope,  
Fresh breezes blew, and sunbeams strayed;  
And with the idle gallows-rope  
The young child played.

Where the doomed victim in his cell  
Had counted o'er the weary hours,  
Glad school-girls, answering to the bell,  
Came crowned with flowers.

Grown wiser for the lesson given,  
I fear no longer; for I know  
That where the share is deeply driven,  
The best fruits grow.

**THE GRAVE.**—It buries every error—covers every defect—extinguishes every resentment. From its peaceful bosom spring none but fond regrets and tender recollections. Who can look down upon the grave of an enemy, and not feel a compunctious throb, that he should have warred with the poor handful of earth that lies mouldering before him?—IRVING.

**WINTER.**—Winter, which strips the leaves from around us, makes us see the distant regions they formerly concealed; so does old age rob us of our enjoyments only to enlarge the prospect of eternity before us.

**GRAMMAR.**—John, parse "Girls are lovely."  
Girls is a common noun, third person, plural number and objective case.  
Objective case?  
No, nominative case.  
Nominative to what verb?  
I don't know, sir.  
Well, what follows Girls?  
John Dickson followed our girls what we've got to hum, last Sunday afternoon.  
Oh! young man! Well, I should suppose they were in the objective case.

No, sir-ee! when I seed 'em, I should think they was in the possessive case, for he was huggin' 'em like thunder.

**THE JAW BONE OF AN ASS.**—A young fellow eating some Cheshire cheese, full of mites, one night at a tavern, exclaimed, "Now have I done as much as Samson, for I have slain my thousands and tens of thousands." "Yes," answered one of the company, "and with the same weapon—the jaw bone of an ass."

## Building Lots for Sale.

**THE** Subscriber offers for sale three BUILDING LOTS, situate in Georgetown,—two of these Lots front on the Main Street, 30 feet, and 55 feet to the rear; the other fronts on the Common, immediately adjoining, 32 feet, and runs back 60 feet. This property is too well known to require further description. Also—An Eight Acre LOT on the reserved Land in the neighbourhood, and within ten minutes' walk of the Town. This Lot is all cleared, and in a good state of cultivation.

If the above Property is not disposed of before the 19th of July next, it will then on that day be put up at Public Auction. Georgetown, May 6. pd.

## RAINBOW.

**THIS** beautiful and well-bred Horse RAINBOW is rising three years old, stands full 16 hands high, was got by "Columbus," and for splendid action, high spirit, size, and beautiful symmetry, is admitted by all who have seen him to be unrivalled in Prince Edward Island. His dam, owned by the Subscriber, stands 16 hands high, is well proportioned, possessing great strength and activity, high spirit, and is admitted to be a first-rate animal, and not to be excelled as a breeding Mare by any on Prince Edward Island. He is of the Greenick breed, and from the same Mare as the Superior Horse ISLANDER, formerly owned by Mr. McKie. He will be allowed to cover but a limited number this season. He will stand regularly once a fortnight at the following places.—Commencing at Sutherland's Head of St. Peter's Bay, on Monday and Tuesday the 15th and 16th May; at Souris Harbour on Thursday and Friday the 18th and 19th May; the remainder of the time at the Subscriber's. Terms, Cash, £1 each Mare, and good Notes of hand, payable in October next, £1 2s. 6d., not including Groom's Fees. Further particulars known by application to John Coffin, Groom.

DANIEL FLYNN.

Bay Fortune, May 1st, 1848.

## Packet between Bedeque, P. E. Island, and Shediac, N. B.

**THE** Schooner OREGON, JAMES WALSH, Master, will sail every week during the ensuing Season, between the above named places, leaving Heard's Point Wharf at 12 o'clock noon, every Thursday, and Green's Wharf the same evening at 9 o'clock P. M., or after the arrival of the Stage from Charlottetown; and leaving Shediac about 10 o'clock, A. M. on Mondays. Small parcels taken charge of at 7d. each. All commissions attended to at 5 per cent. Luggage, parcels, &c. not called for on the arrival of the Packet, will be left in charge of William J. Taylor, at the Summer-Side Hotel, Green's Wharf, Bedeque.

FARE.—Cabin Passage 7s. 6d.; Forecastle 5s., N. Brunswick May 1.—Gaz. 4w.

## Summer-side Hotel.

**THE** Subscriber begs to inform Travellers, and the Public generally, that he has recently opened a House of Entertainment at the Wharf, Green's Shore, Bedeque. The House is spacious and well adapted for the purpose. He therefore hopes to give satisfaction, and merit a share of public patronage.

WILLIAM J. TAYLOR.

May 1, 1848.

## Administration Notice.

**ALL** persons having any claims on the estate of the late THOMAS IRWIN are requested to present them to the Subscriber within eighteen months from the date hereof, and all those who stand indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment. Persons holding Mathematical Instruments or Books, belonging to the said Estate, are requested to hand them over to the Subscriber.

DONALD McEACHARN, Sen.

Savage Harbour, May 1, 1848.—2w Administrator

## JEREMIAH McCARTHY, ENGINEER AND BLACKSMITH;

**RETURNS** his sincere thanks to the Inhabitants of Saint Peter's Bay and the Country in general for their liberal support since he has commenced business, and trusts that by assiduity and good workmanship to merit a continuance of their favors. He begs leave to inform them that he has opened his new establishment at St Peter's Bay, immediately adjoining the premises of Mr. Martin McInnis, and next door to Mr. Roderick McLean

## ALWAYS ON HAND:

CARRIAGE MOUNTING, SPRINGS, AND PATENT AXLES AND EDGED TOOLS, BROAD AND NARROW CAST STEEL AXES—WARRANTED OF THE BEST MATERIALS, IRON PLOUGHS, IRON HARROWS, AND IRON SUFFLERS, DRILL PLOUGHS.

Bell Hanging neatly done, Brands neatly cut, Trusses for Rupture made on an improved principle, Guns altered in first rate style, and all kinds of Smith's work finished in the best style on reasonable terms.

## Treasurer's Office, Jan. 10, 1848.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all Treasury Notes now afloat or in circulation, which have from time to time been issued from the Treasury of this Island, under and by virtue of the several Acts or Laws of this Colony, authorising the issue of Treasury Notes, are called in; and all persons holding the same, are required to present them at my Office for the purpose of having them exchanged for Notes of new and improved design, in the terms of the Act, 10 Vic. Cap. 12.

By Command,

J. SPENCER SMITH, Treasurer.

Days for Exchange, Mondays and Thursdays during Office hours.

## To the Tenantry on Townships Nos. 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, and 66,

THE PROPERTY OF CHARLES WORRELL, Esq.

**THE** undersigned intimates that he has received instructions from the Proprietor, to inform such of his Tenantry as have delivered Grain to him in payment of Rent, since the first day of January last, and who may be in want of Seed, or who may be now suffering from scarcity of Food, that the said grain is now ready for re-delivery, at his stores at Morel, at the same prices at which they received credit in account with him at the time of delivery; and no demand will be made upon them for payment of the said Grain, until within a reasonable time after the Crops of the present season are harvested.

THEOPHILUS DESBRISAY.

Charlottetown, April 24th, 1848. 2w

## ALLIANCE

## Life and Fire Insurance Company, LONDON.

CAPITAL FIVE MILLIONS STERLING

**POLICIES** continue to be issued and renewed at my Office.—Attendance daily. The Company do NOT take Assurances on Buildings or their Contents, in which CAMPHIN is used.

GEORGE BIRNIE.

Agent for P. E. Island

Charlottetown, Nov. 13th, 1847.

## NOTICE.

**THE** Office Containing the Standard Weights and Measures, is kept in Great George Street, at the Store of John F. Clark & Co.

P. G. CLARK,

Assayer of Weights and Measures.

February 26th

## A CARD.

**AS** the Subscriber has decided upon remaining in the Island he will resume his practice in the various departments of his profession; and will again appear as Counsel in the Courts of Law and Equity.

CHARLES YOUNG.

Terrace, Charlottetown, Aug. 7.

## SALADIN.

**THIS** entire thorough bred Horse, now 6 years old, will stand for the season, commencing on the 21st April, at Spring Park Stables, on Fridays, Saturdays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays of each week, and at the Stables, Upton, near Poplar Island Bridge, on Mondays and Thursdays.

TERMS—Cash, £1 15s each mare; and good notes of hand, payable in October, £2.

Good accommodation, at moderate charges, may be had for mares at Upton, the residence of the owner.

STEPHEN RICE.

Upton, 27th March, 1848.

## The Young Islander.

**THIS** handsome entire Horse, 4 years old—

Got by McGee's black Horse ISLANDER, out of Mr. Grubb's thorough bred Mare,—will keep Charlottetown Market every Saturday, and will stand at Mrs. Grubb's Farm the remainder of the week, during the Season. He is of full bone and remarkably fine action. Terms £1. each Mare—(not including Groom's fees,) payable in November next.

JOHN THORN.

Charlottetown, 17th April, 1848.

**NOTICE.**—All persons indebted to the Subscriber are hereby notified to pay their respective accounts on or before the first day of July next. If not settled then, payment will be enforced.

April 24.

J. D. P. COLES.

## The Old Establishment Revived. GUN AND LOCK-SMITH BUSINESS.

**TOOLE & TAYLOR** beg leave to inform the inhabitants of Charlottetown and the Island in general, that they are carrying on the above business in all its Branches, at the Old Establishment, next door to Mr. John Jury's, Sen. Kent Street, where work can be done on the most moderate terms and at the shortest notice.

Bell Hanging neatly done—Brands neatly cut, and Trusses for Rupture made on an approved principle. Guns altered in first rate style.

December 11, 1847. 6m.

## £50 Reward—Incendiarism.

**WHEREAS**, some evil disposed Person or Persons, did on the night of Thursday the 16th day of December last, set fire to the Dwelling House of John W. H. Hadley, situate in Georgetown, whereby the said Premises were consumed, and the Out-house partially damaged. The above reward of £50 will be paid to any person or persons on conviction of the offender or offenders.

On behalf of the Alliance British and Foreign Life and Fire Insurance Office, London.

GEORGE BIRNIE,

Agent for P. E. Island.

## Wanted to Charter.

**WANTED** immediately to charter a vessel measuring from 40 to 90 tons burthen, to perform two or three trips between St. Peter's Bay and Newfoundland. The usual price will be given. For further particulars apply to the Subscriber, (if by letter post paid) at the Five Houses Mills, Bay Fortune Road.

JOSEPH SMITH.

St. Peter's Bay, April 24, 1848.

**WE**, the undersigned, have appointed MOSES HAYES our Town Crier during the present season.

H. W. LOBBAN,

A. H. YATES,

W. H. GARDINER.

April 18.