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**THE DAILY EXAMINER.**

AUGUST 5, 1879.

**A Challenge.**

The Patriot wishes to convey the impression that the Opposition wish for a Parliamentary inquiry into the working of our road system. We know this is mere pretence. Our contemporary realizes by this time, at least, in some measure, the danger of playing with edge tools. Not long since he found fault with the manner in which certain repairs were made to Victoria Bridge, Crapaud, by the present Government; and thereby called attention to the fact that a glaring fraud was practised by somebody, in reference to that work, under the late Government—a fraud, by the way, which neither he nor his masters have ever attempted to explain. He next raised a sickly sensation about the awarding of the meat contract for the Poor House and Lunatic Asylum, and thereby provoked disclosures in reference to the supplies of food to the poor and insane, under the benign sway of his masters, everything but creditable to the parties concerned. His next theme was kerosene oil. In an evil moment he charged the Commissioner of Public Works with paying extortionate prices for kerosene oil. The retribution was swift. Before the sun had gone down on the day he made the charge, it was hurled back in his teeth, and the charge of "extortion" fastened upon a prominent member of the late Administration, with the still more damaging revelation that the late Government had displayed the grossest favoritism in making their kerosene oil contract, passing over the tender of J. D. McLeod, Esq., although his offer was 12 cts. a gallon less than the price which they agreed to pay.

We now challenge the Opposition to ask for an inquiry into our Road Systems, past and present. We promise them a good time of it. They will find, in the management of our Road System, under Davies and Stewart, much that will resemble the supply of inferior meat to the poor and insane, at \$6.80 per 100 lbs., the buying of kerosene oil at 40 cts. a gallon, or the discrepancy of \$4.00 per thousand in the price of deal for Victoria Bridge.

**Government Appointments.**

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, in Council, has been pleased to make the following appointments:—  
 Mr. Samuel S. Peterson, to be Assistant Registrar of Deeds.  
 James Easton, Charles Owen and Alexander J. Macdonald, Esquires, to be Conservators of the Common of Georgetown for one year, in terms of the Act 6th Victoria, Cap. 27.

**Lyons Mystery Solved.**

As two boys—Lavis and Lutes—who pursue the fishing business, were going up Souris River in their boat, on their return from the fishing grounds, on the evening of Friday last, August 1st, they discovered, floating among some seaweed, the body of the unfortunate Edward Lyons, who mysteriously disappeared in October last. The finding of the body fully exonerates the Willis family from the foul slanders with which they were charged. The money supposed to be about his person when he disappeared was all found in his wallet. A jury was summoned before Dr. McIntyre, Coroner, when a verdict in accordance with the above was returned. The body was found near the spot where the saddle on which he rode was found, shortly after his disappearance.

**Quirk's Bakery.**

It is not necessary to call attention to the advertisement in another column. Nor is it necessary to introduce to the business public of this Island, John Quirk, Esq., the well known, enterprising proprietor of the City Steam Bakery. But perhaps all do not know that Mr. Quirk has one of the best establishments of his kind in the Dominion, and that he is prepared to supply the wants the eating community with bread, of all kinds, to almost any extent. If our Island wholesale and retail merchants would patronize him more than they do, instead of going abroad to get the refuse of foreign bakers, it would, perhaps, be better for the digestion of their customers. One of the lessons of the times is to encourage home enterprise, to encourage home manufactures. We hope to see by Mr. Quirk's largely increasing sales, that our people are profiting by the lesson.

**Civic Election.**

The election for a Mayor and Five Common Councilmen took place in this city to-day. The following is the result up to four o'clock:—

MAYOR.	
Dawson.	DesBrisay.
Ward 1.....	21 41
Ward 2.....	39 47
Ward 3.....	27 15
Ward 4.....	60 30
Ward 5.....	52 14

COUNCILLORS.	
Ward 1—Murphy.....	No Opposition.
Ward 2—Byrne.....	do
Ward 3—Davy.....	34 Rogers.....10
Ward 4—Lawson.....	68 Chappelle. 20
Ward 5—Hooper.....	63 M. Allan. 8

**THE VICE-REGAL VISIT.**

**Preparations in Moncton.**

THE Moncton Times says:—  
 "His Excellency the Governor General and H. R. Highness will be met at Moncton by the Local Government and it has now been decided that the address of the French people of New Brunswick will be presented here. All this involves a delay of the distinguished visitors at this point and our citizens should at once take steps to make their stay agreeable. The time is short, but an earnest effort made at once will be all that is required. The societies which did so well before, might again come to the front and assist in honoring our gracious Queen, in the person of her Representative, and her beloved daughter."

**PREPARATIONS IN ST. JOHN.**

The "Sun" reports:—  
 "Work on the arches throughout the city was prosecuted vigorously up to a late hour on Saturday, and will be resumed with spirit this morning. The weather has so far proved most favorable for outdoor work, and every advantage has been taken of it by the decorators.  
 The merchants of King street have at last put their shoulders to the wheel, and will erect a pointed Gothic arch across the street from Hall's bookstore to McCafferty & Daly's corner.  
 Preparations are being made at the Public Hospital, as it is understood the Princess Louise will visit that place.  
 The Intercolonial will on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week issue tickets at Halifax, Pictou, Point du Chene, Campbellton and intermediate points, to St. John, at a first class fare, good to return until Thursday the 11th inst.

**PREPARATIONS IN CHARLOTTETOWN.**

The Government have given the Firemen \$250 towards the erection of an arch and a display of fireworks, torchlight procession &c.  
 The Government also assist the Volunteers in erecting an arch at the Drill Shed.  
 The Oddfellows will erect an arch on Queen Street near their Hall.  
 It is understood that the Princess will open the new Asylum on Saturday, the 16th inst.  
 A general meeting of the Fire Companies of this City will be held at the Hook & Ladder House this evening, at 7½ o'clock, to make arrangements to consider the best means of erecting a Fireman's Arch, having torchlight procession, &c., &c., in honor of the Vice-Regal visit. A full attendance is solicited.  
 For the information of the Committees appointed to let and superintend the erection of arches in different parts of the city, we may remark that tenders were called for at Fredericton and St. John, N. B., for that purpose, and that splendid arches are being erected in those cities, under contract, at a cost of from \$50 to \$100 each.  
 The Government will erect a "Grand Stand" in front of the Province Building, on which the children attending our public schools will stand and sing.  
 Work on Pownal Wharf is being pushed forward.  
 By the way, has the Mayor forgotten to give notice of the citizens' meeting ordered by the Council to be held on Wednesday evening?

THE Steamer Carroll arrived from Boston at 2.30 this afternoon with freight and the following passengers:—Rev. J. H. Jones, Misses Maggie McLean, Kate Livingston, Mary Livingston, Mary Ross, McQuarry, Ada Irving, Maggie, Kiley, Annie McDonald, Henderson, Flora Bell, Mary McPherson, Lillie McDonald, Hazlet, Hannah Brennan, Annie McCarry, Annie McDonald, Messrs. T. Swan, J. D. McEwen, S. Donnelly, C. J. Grills, John J. Frazer, G. C. Woller, Jacob Elseffer, Mrs. G. C. Woller, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. James Horne.

PASSING by the Province Building this forenoon, our attention was attracted by a heap of journals, laws and parliamentary papers lying on the ground in front of the steps. They had been sent from Government House in charge of a teamster who dumped them in the position in which we saw them. We have no space for the remarks of the Government Engineer and Provincial Auditor upon the mental capacity of the unfortunate teamster.

THE moonlight excursion in the Southport last night was well patronized. During the voyage a programme consisting of choice music by the Band of the 82nd Battalion, interspersed with dancing, was carried out. The excursion was pleasant, and the party returned home shortly after midnight.

GENERAL GRANT, it is said, has been astonished in China. He finds the Celestials are improving with extraordinary rapidity, and believes they will astonish the world within the next fifty years.

Mr. Chappelle will protest against the election in Ward 4 on account of informalities.

THE Government steamer Napoleon III, called at this port last evening on the way from the Magdalen Islands.

**The Tea Party To-morrow.**

TO-MORROW—Wednesday—a grand Tea Party will be held at St. Dunstan's College in aid of the Convent of St. Joseph, Pownal Street—a really charitable institution. The preparations for this tea party have been most extensive, and it is the aim of the energetic committee of young ladies who have the affairs in hand, to make it the best ever held at St. Dunstan's College. Amusements of all kinds—cricketing, quoiting, dancing, swinging, bowling, etc.—will be provided and those who attend will no doubt enjoy a pleasant day's amusement, as well as a palatable tea. At 9 o'clock to-morrow morning the members of the Benevolent Irish Society, St. Patrick's T. A. Society and St. Stephen's T. A. Society, in regalia, will assemble at St. Patrick's Hall. They will then form a procession, headed by St. Patrick's Band, and march to the Railway Station where they will embark for the tea grounds. Those who do not go by train will find teams at all points of the city, ready to convey them to and from the grounds at a small fare.

**Accidents in Souris.**

At 11 o'clock on Friday, 1st August, inst., a man named Thomas Sweeney, belonging to one of the Provinces, in the employ of Pierce Doyle, Esq., in the quarry of the Souris East Breakwater, was badly injured while blasting. The fuse "hung fire," and Sweeney, thinking a second one necessary, had just reached the fuse to replace it when the charge went off and blew him about twenty-five feet into the sea. The largest piece of stone, 18 inches square, followed and fell on his thigh breaking it. He was carried to the hospital where Dr. Muttart attended to his injuries. He is doing very well.

At 2 o'clock the same day and at the same place an accident of exactly the same nature, happened to a young man named Jerome Campbell, from Mount Stewart. Campbell escaped with one of his eyes "banged up" and a quantity of powder blown into his face. In this case no stones were thrown by the blast, which was the cause, in all probability, of his life being saved. Campbell will be ready for work again in a few days.

FIREMEN, don't forget the meeting at the H and L House this evening.

A SMALL attendance at the market to-day. Prices the same as on Friday.

BEECHER lectures in the Drill Shed on Friday evening next.

**HOTEL ARRIVALS.**

**RANKIN HOUSE.**  
 August 5.—John C. Donaley, Montreal; Hon. John O'Connor, Ottawa; Mrs. John O'Connor and two daughters, Ottawa.

**SEA-SIDE HOTEL.**  
 Aug. 1.—Thomas Hyles, Hamilton, Ont.; Roger Foster, New York City; Miss A. M. Wyatt, Oberlin College, Ohio; M. Fehen, Bowmanville, Ont.; Miss Stairs, Halifax, N. S.; Miss M. A. Stairs, do.  
 Aug. 2.—Dr. L. P. Taylor, Charlottetown; Mrs. Dr. Taylor, do; Mrs. Benj. Heartz, do; Miss Matthew do.

**Births.**

At Charlottetown, the 4th inst., the wife of Robert F. DeBlois, Esq., of a son—still-born.  
 At Moncton, on the 1st August, the wife of William McFarlane, of a daughter.

**Died.**

At the "Point DuChene House," Point DuChene, N. B., on Saturday, the 2nd inst., of paralysis of the brain, Mary E., beloved wife of Peter Schurman, Esq., aged 59 years.

**BOGARDUS RIFLE GALLERY**

**PISTOL RANGE,**

26 & 28 Great George St., Ch'town.

**\$1,000**  
 in Cash and Property Prizes, of from ONE to FIVE DOLLARS each, for the best shooting.  
 Range from 70 feet downwards.

July 26—  
**J. CARROLL, Manager.**

**For Sale by Public Auction.**

ON WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of August next, at 12 o'clock, noon, at Lord's Wharf, I will sell by Public Auction, the fast-sailing American

Schr. "Julia Franklin,"

Of 71 tons Register, with all her apparel, tackle, furniture, etc. This vessel is copper-fastened and built of white oak. Also on the same day and place, the

Schr. "Margaret Jane,"

Of 65 tons register, will be sold. This vessel is in good sea-going order, and ready for immediate use. Both vessels are now lying at Lord's Wharf, and can be inspected by intending purchasers.

THOMAS CASELEY,  
 Administrator.  
 Ch'town, July 25, 1879—eod pat

**Brick Building for Sale!**

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE that valuable property known as

"McCrath's Brick House,"

situated nearly on the corner of Queen and Sydney Streets. This property is one of the best business stands in the city. The house is three stories, fitted for shop and dwelling. If not sold by private sale before 1st of September next, it will on that day be offered at Public Auction. Terms easy. Title guaranteed. For full particulars apply at office of Reddin & McDonald, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

RICHARD REDDIN.  
 Aug. 2, 1879.—eod tsale

**Salt! Salt! Household Furniture.**

**FOR SALE,**  
**1,000 BAGS LIVERPOOL SALT**  
**I. C. HALL,**  
 Grafton Street.  
 Ch'town, Aug. 5, 1879—5i pat 2w

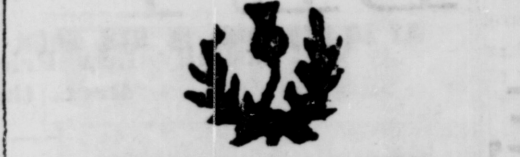


**BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY.**

THE MEMBERS of the above Society are requested to meet in St. Patrick's Hall, on WEDNESDAY morning at 9 o'clock, sharp.

By order,  
**FRANCIS P. McCARRON,**  
 Secretary.  
 Ch'town, August 5, 1879.

**Gathering of the Clans!**



**IN HONOR OF THE VICE-REGAL VISIT.**

THE GREAT ANNUAL SCOTTISH GATHERING of the Clans of P. E. Island, under the auspices of the Caledonian Club, will be held on

**FRIDAY, the 15th inst.,**

on the Grounds near the Railway Crossing, at St. Peter's Road, about a quarter of a mile from Charlottetown.  
 By arrangement with the Superintendent, Railway Excursion Tickets, at specially reduced rates, as per handbills, will be issued on the 14th and 15th, good to return till the 16th, inclusive.

Steamboat arrangements as follows:—  
 Steamer Heather Belle will leave Brush Wharf at 3.30, and Halliday's Wharf at 4 o'clock, a.m., on the day of Gathering—returning, will leave Charlottetown at 8 p.m. Return tickets, 30 cents. All tickets issued on Thursday, 14th, will be at Excursion rates, and good to return on 15th, at 8 p.m.

Steamer Heather Belle will also leave Mount Stewart at 7.30 a.m.; returning, will leave Charlottetown at 3 p.m., on 15th inst. Return tickets, 30 cents; from Cranberry and Hickey's Wharves, 20 cents.  
 Steamer Southport will leave Shaw's Wharf at 7 a.m., on 15th inst.; returning, will leave Charlottetown at 6 p.m. Return tickets, one fare.

For Prize List, Railway Fares and all other particulars, see handbills.  
**N. J. CAMPBELL,** | **A. A. McDONALD,**  
 Secretary. | President.  
 Ch'town, Aug. 1, 1879—2w

**DOMINION EXHIBITION**

at Ottawa, 22nd September.

A FEW COPIES of the Rules, Regulations and Prize Lists for the above exhibition have been sent to the Hon. F. Brecken, as one of the Commissioners for this Province. Full particulars can be had on application to Mr. SIMON W. CRABBE, in Charlottetown, who has kindly consented to afford all possible information.  
 Aug. 4, 1879—

**YACHT "CARITA."**

BY AUCTION, NEXT THURSDAY, August 7th, at 12 o'clock, noon, at Peake's Wharf, No. 1, the fast-sailing pleasure Yacht Carita, well finished and found in every respect with good cabin accommodation. Length of keel about 30 feet.

A. MCNEILL, Auct'r.  
 No. 11 Queen Street, Aug. 4, 1879—3i

**THE Grand Reception!**

I SHALL OPEN, IN A FEW DAYS, A Splendid Lot of EVENING FLOWERS, Areophanes, Satins, Kid Gloves, &c.,—SUITABLE FOR—EVENING RECEPTIONS.

All requiring the RIGHT ARTICLE will be well satisfied by waiting their arrival.  
**JAMES DESBRISAY.**  
 Aug. 2—4i

**SALT. SALT.**

**2000 BUSHELS**  
**Cadiz Salt**  
 FOR SALE BY  
**I. C. HALL,**  
 Grafton Street.  
 August 1, 1879—1wk

**AT AUCTION at my Sale Room, Queen Square, tomorrow,**

**Tuesday, the 5th instant,**

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK.  
 1 Handsome Walnut Bedroom suit (6 pieces) with marble top Sink and Dressing Case, Bedstead, Chairs, Tables, Wash Stands, Parlor and Shop Stoves, Union Cooking Range, &c., &c. Also, 1 Cottage Piano (nearly new.)  
**WILLIAM DODD,**  
 Auctioneer.  
 Ch'town August 4, 1879.

**SUMMERSIDE DRIVING PARK.**



**ONE DAY'S RACING.**  
**Dean Swift vs. Look Out.**  
**\$50 A SIDE.**

A GRAND TROTTING MATCH will take place at Summerside Driving Park, on

**Saturday, 9th August Next,**

Between R. Steele's stallion "Dean Swift" and C. Wescott's black gelding "Look Out," for \$50 a side. Mile heats, three in five, to harness.

On the same day, and at the same place, a purse of \$22 in three divisions will be given for four-year olds. This race to be half mile heats, three in five.  
 Horses will start at 2 o'clock, sharp.  
 Entrance of four-year olds must be made on the grounds before starting of the match race.

**CHARLES WESCOTT.**  
 Charlottetown, July 31, 1879—sj

**VALUABLE PROPERTIES**

**On Mount Edward and St. Peter's Roads.**

I WILL SELL, at AUCTION, on the Premises, on

**Wednesday, the 6th inst.,**

AT 12 O'CLOCK,  
 The following Valuable Properties, slightly situated on the St. Peter's and Mount Edward Roads, within ten minutes' walk of the City:—  
 Plot No. 9, 90x160 feet, on Mount Edward Road.  
 Plot No. 15, 60x64x84 feet, on St. Peter's Road.  
 Plot No. 40, 63x150 feet, on St. Peter's Road, with a comfortable Two-Tenement Dwelling-House thereon.  
 Terms at Sale.

**WILLIAM DODD,**  
 Auctioneer.  
 Aug. 2—3i

**MAIL NOTICE.**

MAILS for Great Britain will be closed at 10 o'clock, p. m., on THURSDAY in each week, to be forwarded via Rimouski, and also on MONDAY, the 4th and 18th inst., at 4 o'clock, a. m., to be forwarded via Halifax.

Mails to be forwarded via Summerside and Shediac and also for all places on the route to Summerside and in Prince County, will be closed daily at 5.30 o'clock, a. m., also for Summerside direct, at 5 p. m.

Mails to be forwarded via Steamers to Pictou will be closed every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 5 o'clock, a. m.

Mails for Georgetown and Souris East, and all places on those routes, will be closed daily at 6 o'clock, a. m.  
 Post Office open from 8 a. m., till 9 p. m.  
**A. A. MACDONALD,**  
 Postmaster.

Post Office Charlottetown, }  
 Aug. 2nd, 1879. }

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

**WANTED.**—A GENERAL SERVANT in a small family. Apply at the EXAMINER OFFICE. Aug. 5—1i

**TO LET.**—A TENEMENT HOUSE situated on Kent street, next door to Dr. Creamer. Apply to MRS. OFFER, Queen street. [aug1—1i]

**GAMES.**—Lawn Tennis, Croquet, etc., cheap, at JOHN NEWSON'S, July 28 1879

**SPECIAL NOTICE.**—A Good Cook wanted. Apply to H. COOMBS.

**TO LET.**—The Two-storey HOUSE on King Street, lately occupied by Mrs. Dewar as a Boarding House. Enquire on the premises.

**WANTED TO RENT.**—A Cottage containing 7 or 8 rooms, and situate in a good locality. Apply at the EXAMINER OFFICE. [july15]

**TO BE LET.**—A COTTAGE, situated at the corner of Kent and West Streets, West End, lately occupied by Lieut. Bolton, R. N. Apply at the Office of Messrs. Sul, Iivan & Morson, Solicitors. [july 15, '79]

**Shop to Let.**—One of the best Business stands in the city, in Newson's Building, opposite Post Office; lately in the occupation of Robert Brown. Possession given immediately. Apply to JOHN NEWSON. 12 1/2