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BE leave to acknowledge thanks to the public generally for the very liberal patronage extended to them since commencing business, and intimate that they have on hand a large and select stock of material for the manufacture of Sleighs, etc. They have recently received photos of all the latest prize sleighs of the Ottawa Exhibition. Parties requiring new sleighs would do well to call at their factory and examine before ordering elsewhere.

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Ch'town, Oct 27th, 1879.

Mortgage Sale.

TO BE SOLD by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of FEBRUARY, 1880, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale in an Indenture of Mortgage dated the eleventh day of April, 1878, and made between Stephen Weeks, of the one part and Edward Jarvis Hodgson, and Henry Jones Cundall, of the other part—

ALL that tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being on Lot 87, in Queen's County, in the said Island, bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the southeast angle of a tract of land the property of James Orr, on the north side of the road leading from Charlottetown to Princetown, thence (according to the magnetic north of 1764) north for the distance of 47 chains or until it meets the old division line between lots or townships numbers 21 and 67, thence east 11 chains and 13 links, thence south to the said road, thence following the various courses of the same westwardly to the place of commencement, containing 50 acres of land a little more or less.

ALSO—All that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being on township number 67, aforesaid, bounded as follows that is to say: Commencing at a strike or post fixed on the northwest side of the great western road leading to Princetown, at the western boundary of James Harrison's farm, thence running on said boundary north 58 chains, thence west 11 chains and 25 links, thence south to the said road thence following the various courses of the said road eastwardly to the place of commencement, containing 50 acres of land, a little more or less.

ALSO—All that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being on township number 67, in Queen's County, aforesaid, bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at the rear line of land in the possession of Samuel Sellick, at the distance of 6 chains and 75 links west of the division line of townships numbers 21 and 22, thence north 87 chains, thence west 5 chains and 45 links, thence south 87 chains, thence east to the place of commencement, containing 47½ acres of land, a little more or less.

ALSO—All that other tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being on township number 21, in Queen's County, aforesaid, commencing at the rear line of farms fronting on the Princetown road, at the southwest angle of 58½ acres of land in the occupation of James Sellick, thence north 87 chains, or to the south boundary line of land in the possession of Alexander Ross, thence west, 29 chains, and 94 links, thence south to the first mentioned line, thence east to the place of commencement, containing 261½ acres of land a little more or less, together with all rights and appurtenances thereto belonging.

For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. HODGSON & McLEOD, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

Dated this 5th day of December, A. D. 1879.

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Dec. 5, 1879—aw fri

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And a large line of Woollen Goods, of every description, all of which they intend to close out within the next five months. This is a bona fide sale. Come one, come all, and see for yourselves.

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Dec. 14.

MAILS for Great Britain will be closed at 10 o'clock, p. m., on THURSDAY in each week, to be forwarded via Picton, for Canadian mail, steamers leaving Halifax every Saturday.

Mails to be forwarded via steamers to Picton will be closed after the 22nd inst., on every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY, at 5 o'clock A. M., until close of navigation.

Mails to be forwarded via Summerside and Shediac will be closed at 5.30 A. M.; also for Summerside direct at 2.30 P. M., and for Georgetown, Souris and places on those routes at 2 o'clock A. M., daily.

Post Office open from 8 a. m., till 9 p. m. A. A. MACDONALD, Postmaster.

Post Office Charlottetown, }
Dec. 12th, 1879.

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A. A. McLEAN. D. C. MARTIN.
June 18, 1879.—ex2aw

Valuable Property for Sale.

TO BE SOLD, all that part of Town Lot No. 74, in the first hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown; having a front of 67 feet, Dorchester Street, and running back 80 feet, together with the buildings thereon erected.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. HODGSON & McLEOD Charlottetown.

Sept. 18, 1879.

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SECOND EDITION

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

DECEMBER 12, 1879.

THE Pennsylvania coal companies have agreed to reduce the production during December.

THE Customs' Department at Ottawa have seized a lot of American furniture, entered under value.

ONE wing of the Bellevue Hospital, N. Y., was burned on Saturday, and three children were burned to death.

A PUBLIC meeting will be held at Bonshaw, Thursday, the 18th December at two o'clock to discuss public questions of a local character.

A FARMER named James Wilson has discovered coal on his farm in Huntley, Ont. It has been tested and found to burn well.

SIR WM. BOXALL, the eminent painter and ex-director of the Royal Academy, and Wm. Bentinck, fifth duke of Portland, are dead.

PREPARATIONS are being made for the reception of Mr. Farnell on his arrival in New York; the programme includes a mass meeting and a banquet.

THE blood-curdling story telegraphed from St. Louis that two lions which escaped from the London circus had eaten a man and two little girls, turns out to be a cruel hoax.

MAYOR TOBIN, of Halifax, in introducing D. Banks McKenzie, when he lectured on "Father Mathew" a few nights ago, claimed a consanguinity to the deceased Apostle of Temperance.

LAST week the remains of a young man, who died recently of typhoid fever, were interred in Hull cemetery, Ottawa. A day or two after it was discovered the body had been stolen.

LORD TENNENDEY, K. C. B., Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, well remembered in this country in connection with the Treaty of Washington, is to marry the widow of Mr. Henry Rowcliffe, Q. C.

DURING a dispute in a hotel at Waterford, Ont., on Wednesday night, M. Donly, of St. Thomas, brakeman on the C. S. Railway, was stabbed by Wm. Lewis, an employee on the same road, and died instantly. Lewis was arrested.

ON Sunday morning last, the farm house of two brothers, Richard and William Needham, in London (Ont.) township, was entered by masked burglars, who stole \$500 and clubbed the two Needhams so mercilessly that both will probably die.

THE gold excitement has been continually growing stronger at Madoc, Ont., ever week, and on the 9th it reached a fearful pitch when the news came that a very rich find had been struck at what is commonly known here as the Dale, Starlock & Harrison mine. The find is estimated to be worth from \$70,000 to \$80,000. From one pan of dust there was washed an ounce and a half of pure gold.

AN Ottawa despatch says that "in consequence of the overcrowded condition of the Halifax and Prince Edward Island penitentiaries, the Minister of Justice has ordered the removal to Kingston of thirty convicts from the former and nine from the latter institution. Mr. Moylan, Inspector of Penitentiaries, left this evening for the Maritime Provinces to superintend the removal. The non-completion of the Dorchester penitentiary is assigned as another reason for the transference of the convicts."

MURDER OF A MOUNTED POLICEMAN.—THE sensation of the hour at Ottawa is the murder of the Mounted Policeman Grayburn, who was the first policeman killed in the Northwest by Indians. It is learned from an official communication, received from Col. McLeod by the Interior Department, that the bullet passed from the back through the policeman's shoulder blade and penetrated the lungs. The bullet was from a running-fire Winchester rifle. A trooper writing to Ottawa says that Grayburn was murdered by the Crowfoot band of Blackfoot Indians.

A WOMAN residing in St. Jean Baptiste Village, near Montreal, determined to prepare a dinner that could not fail to satisfy the most fastidious epicure. With this intent she procured two turkeys, and placed them in one pot to boil, watching them closely during the early stage of the process. She was, however, obliged to leave them for a few moments and on returning, proceeded to turn them to make them boil more rapidly. Thinking that one of them felt rather soft, she took it out. Imagine her unutterable horror at finding that one half-boiled turkey had disappeared, and in its place her old fur cap had been trembling in the seething water. The thief is still at large, and the property—where is it?

THE Patriot is hasty in contradicting statements in the shipping and local columns of the EXAMINER, which are usually correct, as for instance the item regarding the clearance of the "General Grant" from Souris. The facts are that the "General Grant" was loaded and cleared by Matthew, McLean & Co., and then the cargo was purchased by Capt. Robert Anderson. The Patriot is exceedingly ungrateful in this respect, considering that it, with all the other papers, is indebted to the EXAMINER for nearly every item of news—local or otherwise—which it publishes. We have not complained that credit is rarely given THE EXAMINER. We have, without a murmur, permitted our competitors to partake freely of the facts we daily provide; and we consider the conduct of the Patriot in the last degree ungrateful.

Correspondence.

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

To the Editor of the Examiner.

SIR:—As burglaries and larcenies are now nightly occurrences, it will be next in order for the thieves to make a raid on the police station. Such a thing, I presume, could be done with equally as much success as that which attended the recent robbery of the market cellar. It would be a terrible thing if the citizens awoke some morning and discovered that one or two of our efficient policemen were carried off during the previous night. I am strongly convinced that such an undertaking could be effected without the thieves ever being detected, judging from the vigilance and fine detective ability displayed by those *vide arabe gentlemen* for the last few weeks. Should such an unfortunate circumstance occur, it will, no doubt, be "hushed up," as was done in a certain case not long ago.

It is said that there is no kegs of tobacco in the station just now, to be identified, otherwise the public would be furnished with an item of news something similar to that of some months ago, in which it was reported that a certain thief was successful in obtaining his winter's supply of *tobac*. Of course, there were no policemen on duty just then, or he would never have escaped with his booty.

Yours, etc.,
WATCHMAN.

Nuisances.

For the information of supervisors, overseers and the public generally we publish Section 43 of the Road Act of 1879:—

43. "It shall be in the power of each Overseer of a precinct, or Supervisor of a district, to order the removal of any obstruction, the opening out or the closing up of any drain, ditch or watercourse which has been wrongfully opened out or closed up, or the abating of any nuisance in the highways within his precinct or district; and for each such violation of this Act, the person or persons causing such obstruction or nuisance, shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding twenty dollars, or in default of payment to be imprisoned for a period not exceeding thirty days, and if the person so violating the provisions of this Act, does not remove such obstruction and repair and amend such damage, or abate such nuisance within three days thereafter, he shall again forfeit and pay the like sum of twenty dollars, or in default of the payment thereof, be imprisoned for a like period not exceeding thirty days, and so on, in like manner, until such obstruction be removed, damage repaired or nuisance abated, as the case may be; the said fines and forfeitures to be sued for and recovered before any Justice of the Peace in the County; should any person or persons so violating the provisions of this Act not be known, the Supervisor in the district where the same shall have happened, if the incumbrance be saleable shall, unless sooner claimed, after three days' public notice, sell the same and apply the proceeds in repairing such roads; if not saleable, he shall cause the same to be removed, and the person employed by him shall be allowed therefor, according to the time he is employed, a sum commensurate with his services, in the discretion of the Supervisor, and to be paid by order upon the Commissioner of Public Works."

The Vanity of Life.

[Dryden.]

When I consider life, 'tis all a cheat,
Yet, fooled with hope, men favor the deceit,
Trust on, and think to-morrow will repay;
To-morrow's falsest than the former day;
Lies worse; and, while it says we shall be blest

With some new joy, cuts off what we possess,
Strange cozenage! None would live past years again,

Yet all hope pleasure in what yet remain,
And from the dregs of life think to receive
What from the first sprightly running could not give.

THAT story of the man who did not detect the butter when he was blindfolded is exploded. The judges say: You volunteered to blindfold your eyes and judge of the quality of two grades of butter submitted to you. We drew two tubs of Townships and six of Kamouraska, and in only one case was your decision wrong. The statement that you exhausted your vocabulary of names of different grades of butter is, like the whole article, absurd and spiteful.

ANOTHER GOLD MINE SOLD FOR \$18,000.—Mr. E. F. Crouch, the enterprising American, who recently purchased the Rose Gold Mine at Montague, has just made another purchase, that of the "Temple Mine," lying adjacent to the west of the other. The price we learn on reliable authority, is \$18,000. This looks as if Mr. Couch means business in gold mining, and shows further that a shrewd "live" American sees money in an enterprise which our own people have scandalously neglected for years.—*Ho. Herald.*

SERIOUS FLOODS and inundations are reported from Hungary.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

Toronto, Dec. 12, 10 a. m.

Winds mostly westerly to northerly; cloudy cooler weather with areas of rain or snow.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13th., 1879
SUN RISES, 7.41 | HIGH WATER, 10.51 pm
SUN SETS, 4.08 | FULL MOON 28, 0, 3.1 m