

ing broad brims, which loom in the distance like Spanish sombreros. The pranks of these rash visionaries are by the common people mistaken for the deductions of science, and thus religion itself is made to suffer.

The reverend gentleman says, "I cannot be charged with any hostility to the person who at present is at the head of that institution, and that too on the ground of his religious predilections."

Although I consider the public just now to be in anything rather than the proper mood for a calm consideration of the general subject of education, yet since the topic has been forced on me, I shall, at my earliest convenience, return to it.

(FOR THE EXAMINER.)

To THE EDITOR OF THE ISLANDER. Sir,—I noticed in your issue of the 5th inst., an article headed "John Clark;" and as I am supposed to be the individual alluded to by you, I therefore deem it my privilege to reply.

Again, you say, "how do you know that two-thirds of the meeting were from another District?" Did I say so, Duncan? You wish to mystify my statements, as you are in the habit of doing with anything that comes in opposition to you and your party.

The next question you ask is, that "if it be true that you knew nothing of the nature of the meeting until within a few yards of the school house, what induced you to come the remaining 20 or 30 miles from Tryon?"

There must have been something wrong with both head and stomach when you penned those precious lines. Again, you wish very particularly to know something about my cold drive.

When you mention my defeat, Duncan, that is something you have supplied yourself; for I can assure you I met with no defeat. I did my business and came home very comfortably,—having a sufficiency of the needful to comfort my stomach on the road, without doing it at the expense of my head, or by carrying oatmeal and whiskey in my pocket.

And in conclusion, I would beg leave to state, for your information, that we will not "secretly smuggle Lord on the constituency;" but we will openly and manfully beat you and your party by fair and honest means, and keep you a little longer from the offices which you so much desire to grasp,—despite all the snarling and trickery you can possibly adopt.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE EXAMINER. Sir:—In your issue of the 22d inst. there appears a communication signed "Michael McWade," (half Englishman, I presume, as his name betrays,) in which he says, that "in justice to my character, I am obliged to deny emphatically that any seizure has been made of any property of mine."

THURSDAY MARCH.—A trotting match for £10 a side came off on Saturday, on the ice, between Mr. James McLean's brown horse "Menchikoff" and Mr. P. G. Clark's bay horse "Tom," distance six miles. The race was handsomely won by Mr. Clark's horse; and the large number of people gathered to witness the sport, all agreed as to the fairness of the race.

The Examiner.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., MARCH 29, 1858.

PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS.

The past week has been an exceedingly busy one in the House of Assembly—the amount of business despatched being greater than we remember to have seen transacted in the same space of time in any previous Session. We have not room to review in their order and in detail the various matters that came before the House since our last issue.

A Bill on the subject of the Fishery Reserves—the debate on which will be shortly given to the public, and will fully elucidate its principles—also passed the House of Assembly, and received the concurrence of the Legislative Council to-day.

On Thursday evening Mr. Whelan presented a petition, respectfully and numerously signed by merchants of Charlottetown, traders and others, praying for such an alteration in the Bank charter as would enable the Directors of the Bank to suspend specie payments for a longer period than three months in any one year, should the state of the times demand it, so that the issue of paper money would not be restricted as it now is, to the detriment of the community; and that the Bank should be allowed to receive Treasury Warrants and other Government securities in lieu of specie.

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gested by the Hon. Mr. Dingwell, viz: that two hundred acres be the limit to be held by aliens, and he trusted that all the benefits anticipated by the Hon. the President and other supporters of the measure, might be realized.

We trust that the House will give this measure their hearty support, for we can see no reason why, if we accord liberty to foreigners to come among us and do business, we should not allow them to purchase or receive in security, to be their own avowed property, as much as any personal property whatever to which they have as good a right as any class of the community.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

EXCHANGE ROOMS.

CH. TOWN, MARCH 26, 1858. The Steamer Niagara arrived at Halifax this morning. News generally unimportant. House of Commons met on the 12th inst. Conspiracy correspondence with France amicably arranged: rumour of deficiency in the Treasury there, and a new loan required.

New Advertisements.

Entire Horse for Sale. TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, ON WEDNESDAY, the 31st instant, ON THE MARKET SQUARE, at 12 o'clock, noon, THE ENTIRE HORSE "PRIMROSE," rising 5 years old, of a dark grey colour, 15 1/2 hands high, better known as PARSON'S HORSE.

Bargains! Bargains! WITHOUT RESERVE. TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION ON TUESDAY, 13th April next, at 11 o'clock, at the store of Mr. THOS. BROYDERICK, Queen's Street, the remainder of his STOCK IN TRADE, consisting of—

Valuable Real Estate and Business Establishment for Sale. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION on the 4th of MAY next, at the hour of 11 o'clock, noon, on the premises, TOWN LOT No. 24, in the fourth hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, together with the Distillery, Stables, &c., &c. thereon.

Intestate Estate Sale. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Colonial Building, in Charlottetown, on WEDNESDAY, the fifth day of MAY next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, pursuant to a licence duly granted for that purpose by His Honor the Saragatate and Judge of Probate of this Island, bearing date the ninth day of June, 1857, part of the REAL ESTATE which belonged to the late John Anderson, of Charlottetown, master mariner, deceased, intestate at the time of his death, that is to say:

City Marble Works. THE undersigned beg to return their thanks to the inhabitants of P. E. Island, for the liberal patronage they have received since they commenced business in Charlottetown, and have to inform them that they are prepared to carry on their business in future in all its various branches, such as CUTTING, LETTERING AND SCULPTURING HEAD STONES, TOMB STONES AND MONUMENTS; and also all kind of FREESTONE and MILLSTONE work, done to order and on the most liberal terms.

For Sale. THAT valuable Leasehold Property, situate in Grand Tracadie, on Lot 35, containing one hundred and sixty-nine acres, with a valuable Marsh, cutting about six tons of Hay, or thereabouts; Lease for 999 years.

Winding up. THE subscriber intending to close his present business, requests an immediate settlement of all Accounts due him. Those remaining unpaid by 1st May will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection. He will continue to dispose of his Winter's Supply at reduced prices.

N. B.—TO LET, the premises occupied by the above, possession given 1st May. Dawson's Building, Charlottetown, March 29, 1858. In

New Advertisements.

It is a fact that Charlottetown has a fashionable FURNITURE STORE,

WHERE may be found the largest assortment of FURNITURE yet displayed in Charlottetown, which will be sold lower than auction prices, or at any other Store for the same quality of work. D. G. solicits an early call from the county buyers. Retail customers will find him better prepared than ever to supply their wants with new and fashionable Goods, as well as every article belonging to trade.

Notice.

ALL those who stand indebted to the subscriber will please take notice that I am hard up—much in want of cash—and I expect all to pay when their bills are sent in. Some have done so, many have not yet; and I now give them notice that unless they come forward and pay forthwith, I will have their names published in the Mayor's Court. I have but one choice, to sue them, or be sued myself. Please call and save this trouble and expense.

Fat Stock, &c. BY WILLIAM DODD.

BY AUCTION, ON WEDNESDAY, the 31st of MARCH, on the Market Square, at 1 o'clock— 1 Fat Ayrshire OX, 3 years old, 1 Fat Durham OX, 2 years old, 3 Fat WETHERS, 4 Fat EWES, 1 Ayrshire and Alderney COW, 6 years old, an excellent Milcher—to calve immediately, 1 Ayrshire and Alderney COW, 4 years old—to calve the 1st June, A splendid Durham BULL CALF, 5 months old, by the imported Bull "Prince Edward."

Horses, Cows, Sheep, Turnips, Straw, and Farming Implements.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION on Thursday, the 1st of April next, at 12 o'clock, at the Farm of William Swabey, Esq., Upton, North River, about four miles from the city— 1 very good HORSE, 5 years old, 7 superior COWS, 20 SHEEP, pure Leicester, 1 yearling COLT, by Eclipse, 1 thorough-bred Durham BULL, A quantity of TURNIPS and STRAW, Lot of FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &c. &c. Terms—£5, 3 months; £10 and upwards, 6 months; upon approved notes of hand.

Freehold Farm at Auction. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises, on THURSDAY, the 1st of April next, at 12 o'clock, noon, 150 acres of FREEHOLD LAND, situate on Lot 67, about 1 mile from Mr. Haslam's. About 60 acres are in a high state, and 20 acres in a partial state of cultivation—the remainder is well wooded with hard and soft wood. It has a front of 15 chains on the Malpeque Road—is just 25 miles from Charlottetown, and within 5 miles of the excellent shipping harbour of New London. Also, a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE and OUT-HOUSES; and a collection of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Building Lot for Sale. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 5th day of April next, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, all that piece of LAND fronting on Sidney Street, East of Great George Street, and West of Prince Street, being PART OF TOWN LOT NO. 79, in the First Hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, and commonly known as part of the "WELLINGTON ESTATE."

APRIL 6, 1858. Extensive Sale of Household Furniture by W. T. PAW, Auctioneer. THE attention of country dealers is respectfully requested to an extensive Sale of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE to take place at the Store known as the "Aedean Grocery," and next door to McNutt & Brown's, QUEEN SQUARE, manufactured by Messrs. PATRICK HICKEY & Co., at their Steam Factory, Sydney Street, on THE SIXTH DAY OF APRIL NEXT, (Easter Tuesday), at 11 o'clock.

For Sale. TWO eligible TOWN LOTS—(No 1, 1st range letter C; No. 2, 1st Range letter B)—and two excellent PASTURE LOTS, (Nos. 32 and 33)—conveniently situated in the Town and Royalty of Georgetown. There is a snug Dwelling House built on Lot No. 2. For information as to price, &c., apply at the Examiner office, or in Georgetown to March 22, 1858. 3w. pd. THOMAS BYRNE.

Leasehold Farm for Sale. THAT valuable leasehold property, situated at South Shore, Lot 65, now in the occupation of the subscriber, consisting of 75 acres, 40 acres of which are in a high state of cultivation, and the remainder well covered with wood. The Stock will be sold with the Farm if required. There is on the premises a never failing spring of water. Please apply on the premises to JAMES FOLEY, South Shore, Lot 65, March 22, 1858. 3i.

Notice. WHEREAS, James Coles, junr., of Charlottetown, by a Deed of Assignment, dated the 25th February last past, Assigned, and made over to the undersigned, all Sums and Sums of money, debts and demands due and owing to him, whether by Book Account, Notes of Hands, or otherwise. Now this is to request all persons who are in any way indebted to the said James Coles, junr., to come forward and make immediate payment to the undersigned, who alone are qualified to give legal discharges.

Notice. ALL Accounts not settled before the 1st May next will be sued for without fail. March 29. [all pa. 5i.]