

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

AUGUST 12, 1890.

The St. Clair Tunnel.

Wonderful improvements have recently been made in the method of tunneling. An example of these is shown in the St. Clair Tunnel, built by the Grand Trunk Railway Company between Canada and the United States.

Each shield is circular, 21 feet 7 inches in diameter, 16 feet long, and is built of plate steel one inch thick. It is divided into twelve compartments by means of two horizontal and three vertical stays, which are built up to a thickness of two inches.

Moved by Councillor McCarron, seconded by Councillor Eden, that the prayer of Mr. Ledwick's letter be rejected. Carried on division.

That he contemplates starting and operating a woolen mill for the manufacturing of woolen goods in its several branches, either by himself or in the name of a new company;

On Monday, the 25th instant, for the purpose of defraying expenses incurred in connection with the purchase and repairing of the Building.

On Monday, the 18th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, His Double Tenement Dwelling House, situated on Upper Hillsborough Street, opposite the residence of Lemuel Miller, Esq.

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City Council Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council was held last evening. His Worship Mayor Haviland presiding. All the Councillors were present, except Councillors Hughes and Davison.

His Worship, as Chairman of special committee, reported that he, with a large number of Councillors, waited on the Hon. Sir John Macdonald in the Legislative Council Chamber and presented the address as adopted by Council, which was kindly received and responded to by the Right Hon. Gentleman.

A number of accounts were read and ordered to be paid.

A letter from Geo. Ledwick was read asking the Council to remunerate him for costs sustained re Bertha Woods having a child at his residence.

Moved by Councillor McCarron, seconded by Councillor Eden, that the prayer of Mr. Ledwick's letter be rejected. Carried on division.

Yeas—Morris, Crabbe, Douse, Eden, McCarron and Taylor.

Nays—Byrne and Large.

A letter was read from W. C. Harris jr., informing the Council that earth could be had from his cellar for the filling in of Government Pond, provided city horses and men would haul it. This was, on motion, ordered to lie on the table.

The Mayor presented a letter from Mr. L. H. Davies, re A. F. Tomlins, asking the Council to consider his destitute circumstance and his family.

Moved by Councillor Large, seconded by Councillor McCarron, that the letter referred to lie on the table.

Moved in amendment by Councillor Crabbe, seconded by Councillor Byrne, that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee to report as to a grant or otherwise at next meeting of Council.

Yeas—Morris, Byrne, Crabbe, Eden.

Nays—Douse, Large, McCarron, Taylor.

Amendment carried on casting vote of the Mayor.

His Worship the Mayor presented the following petition:

To His Worship the Mayor and the Common Councilmen of the City of Charlottetown:

The petition of W. D. McKay, of Charlottetown, woolen manufacturer, respectfully sheweth:

That he contemplates starting and operating a woolen mill for the manufacturing of woolen goods in its several branches, either by himself or in the name of a new company;

That he desires to be exempt from taxation upon all property which he or said company may have within the limits of Charlottetown, for the period of five years.

Your petitioner, therefore, prays that your Worship and Council may grant the prayer of foregoing petition, and make an order accordingly.

Yours truly, W. D. McKay.

Charlottetown, Aug. 11, 1890.

On motion, the petition was referred to His Honor the Recorder in order that the Council may obtain his legal opinion in reference to their power of granting the prayer of the petition.

Councillor Byrne presented a tender from Robert D. McLaren, offering \$675 per year for the right of collecting market tolls, which was, on motion, accepted.

A bill was read from James Trainor for boring a hole on the premises of John Bolger, which was considered, and, on motion, ordered to lie on the table.

Moved by Councillor Byrne, and seconded by Councillor Crabbe, that a committee of three members of the Council be appointed to confer with the Water Commissioners for the purpose of fixing the salary they shall receive, and report to the Council.

Moved by Councillor Eden, and seconded by Councillor McCarron, that Councillor Byrne have leave to withdraw his motion. Carried on division.

Yeas—Morris, Large, Eden, Taylor, McCarron.

Nays—Byrne, Crabbe.

Moved by Councillor McCarron, and seconded by Councillor Eden, that tenders be called for supplying the city with 70 tons of Acadia round coal, to be delivered in city vaults. Carried.

Moved by Councillor Morris, and seconded by Councillor Byrne, that the sum of \$200 be granted to Mr. Duncan McLean for his services rendered as City Clerk during the absence of A. H. Macpherson. Carried.

Councillor Byrne gave notice that he would at next meeting of Council move that the sum of \$135 be granted to the water.

Council adjourned.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Original Package Bill.

SIR,—In your issue of Saturday, and under the above heading from Washington August 8, I find the following telegram:

"The President this afternoon approved the original package bill." I have no desire to find fault with you for giving the news as you may have obtained them by telegram, but what does the bill refer to?

In my reading of this case, I find that there were before the House of Representatives, what is known as the Senate bill. The House Committee on the Judiciary proposed an amendment. The Committee supported the proposed amendment by a lengthy report. There was also a minority report, and in connection therewith a second amendment was proposed as a substitute for the senate bill. Now, sir, which of all those proposals has the President, as reported, "approved." Is it in the interest of the liquor traffic or that of temperance, sobriety and morality? Yours truly, JOHN SCOTT.

[We shall have pleasure in affording the information desired as soon as we obtain it. In the meantime it is but right to presume that the President has acted in the interest of temperance, sobriety and morality.]

Palpitation of the Heart.

Dr. Nebo, in *Journal de la Sante*, says that an excessive palpitation of the heart can always be arrested by bending double, with the head double and the hands pendent, so as to produce a temporary congestion of the upper part of the body. In almost all cases of nervous or anemic palpitation, the heart immediately resumes its natural function. If the respiratory movements be suspended during this action, the effect is only the more rapid.

Sir John and Lady Macdonald and Mr. Joseph Pope left Summers yesterday at 5 p. m. by the steamer St. Lawrence which made a special trip. A special train was waiting at Point du Chene to convey the party to Rivier du Loup, at which place they arrived this morning.

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PICNIC AT SOURIS.

THE BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY OF SOURIS intend holding a Picnic on the favorite old Tea Grounds,

On Wednesday, 27th August,

to aid them in raising funds for building their new Hall.

Tables will be supplied with substantial Refreshments, and the Saloons will have all kinds of suitable drinks, etc.

In addition, the Committee have made arrangements for various Games and Amusements, such as Bowling Alley, Slippery Walk, Swings, Sack, Hurdle and Foot Races, and other athletic sports.

Prof. Shuttleworth, of Prince of Wales College, will give an Address on Scientific Farming and Agricultural Education.

A Special Train will leave Charlottetown at 7 a. m. standard, or 8 a. m. local time, connecting with the regular morning train from Georgetown. Returning, will leave Souris at 4.15 standard, or 5.15 p. m. local time. The Georgetown train will be delayed for passengers going back on the special.

Excursion rates from Charlottetown, Georgetown and intermediate stations, good to return the same day, as follows:—

Table listing excursion rates: Charlottetown to Bedford, inclusive... 85c; Tracadie to Lunenburg... 75c; etc.

Return tickets at one first-class fare will be issued from Charlottetown and intermediate stations by regular morning train on the 27th, good to return up to and including 28th of August.

JAMES LANDRIGAN, Secretary B. I. Society.

Souris, Aug. 11, 1890.

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GRAND TEA

—AT— MOUNT HERBERT, LOT 48.

THE Shareholders of Mount Herbert Hall intend holding a PUBLIC TEA at the Hall,

On Monday, the 25th instant,

for the purpose of defraying expenses incurred in connection with the purchase and repairing of the Building.

Amusements will be provided on the grounds in the immediate vicinity, and a good time may be expected.

Tea on the tables at 1 o'clock. Tickets, 25 cents.

If the day should prove to be unfavorable, the Tea will be held on the first following fine day.

ALBERT MUTCH, Secretary.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY BY AUCTION.

THE Subscriber will sell by Auction, on the premises,

On Monday, the 18th inst.,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

His Double Tenement Dwelling House, situated on Upper Hillsborough Street, opposite the residence of Lemuel Miller, Esq.

This sale is positive, as I intend leaving the Island. Terms at sale.

ALEX. GILLIS.

TENDERS FOR COAL.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's office up to noon of MONDAY, the 18th inst., for supplying the City with

70 Tons Acadia Round Coal,

the Coal to be weighed on City Weigh Scales, and delivered in the City Vaults.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk.

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GUARANTEE if after wearing the D. & A. CORSET for 10 days the purchaser does not find that it is the most comfortable and perfect-fitting Corset she has ever worn, it can be returned to the merchant from whom it was bought, and the money will be refunded.

NONE GENUINE unless stamped D. & A. CORSET.

FOR SALE AT PERKINS & STERN'S,

Cheap Dry Goods Store.

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WANTED TO RENT.—About 1st October, a House, containing 8 or 9 rooms, nice situation. Anyone expecting to have such, to let may hear of a good tenant by applying at this office, or writing P. O. Box 497.

"SEMPER OPTIMUS."

Handsome New Art Curtains.

We have just received from New York a Case of the prettiest goods of this class ever imported by us. We have also opened

A SPECIAL BARGAIN

LADIES' GOSSAMERS.

The goods we offer at \$2.25 usually sell for \$3.50, and our \$3.50 line is good value at \$4.00. In MISSES' GOSSAMERS we have an assortment of sizes, and is very serviceable goods.

BEER BROS.

These Goods were bought at a Bargain, and are placed on sale at very low prices to gain your immediate attention.

BON TON BARGAINS.

These Goods were bought at a Bargain, and are placed on sale at very low prices to gain your immediate attention.

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SIR JOHN AND THE SUBWAY.

DURING THE PAST HALF YEAR, notwithstanding the general and widespread dullness in trade, our turnover shows a decided and very pleasing increase, proving that our efforts to please the public are being appreciated.

Never in the past history of our Establishment has our stock been so large, nor have we had such genuine bargains in all lines to offer. We are sure that everyone in need of Furniture, &c., can save largely by dealing with us. This is no idle boast. We mean what we say, and can back it up with facts, figures, prices and goods at all times. Very special bargains in Parlor and Bedroom Suites.

Furniture! Furniture! Furniture!

MARK WRIGHT & CO., Ltd.

Charlottetown, Aug. 12, 1890.

IMPORTANT TO BUYERS!

IF YOU WANT BARGAINS, PROWSE & CO.

CAN GIVE THEM TO YOU IN ALL KINDS OF Dry Goods and Clothing.

They will not be Undersold by any Firm on this Island.

Their Stock having been bought at a Big Reduction on Cost, they will give some startling low prices. VISIT THE CHEAP STORE.

PROWSE & CO.,

Sign of the Lion, 136 Queen Street.

Charlottetown, June 27, 1890.

JOHNSON'S THE GREAT FLUID BEEF, Strength Giver.

The most perfect form of Concentrated Nourishment—STIMULATING, STRENGTHENING, INVIGORATING.

The only MEAT PREPARATION that contains all the STRENGTH-GIVING ELEMENTS OF MEAT.

Palatable as a Beverage; Indispensable in Sickness; Convenient and Useful in Domestic Cooking.

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London House.

Boys' White Aced Shirts, 50 cents each.

HARRIS & STEWART.

Men's Fine Unbleached Cotton Half Hose, worth 40c., selling for 20c. per pair.

HARRIS & STEWART.

Ladies' Light Summer Under Vests, all qualities, from 20 cents up.

HARRIS & STEWART.

Ladies' Waterproof Cloaks, a new lot just received.

HARRIS & STEWART.

Black Ribbon, a new lot just in.

HARRIS & STEWART.

Parasols and Umbrellas.—We have still a well-assorted stock selling at low prices.

HARRIS & STEWART.

Ch'town, July 31, 1890.

Desirable Private Residence FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

I AM instructed by C. B. Chappell, Esq., to sell by Auction, at the Premises, corner of North River Road and Green Street, in the West Common of Charlottetown,

On Wednesday, 13th August,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

His Desirable Property, comprising 2 Acres of Land, large Dwelling House in good order, Outbuildings and Orchard.

The property commands a beautiful view of the city. The House is surrounded by ornamental, shade and fruit trees, and is within fifteen minutes' walk of the Post Office. Anyone wanting a first-class private residence should attend the sale. Terms easy.

R. BEARSTO, Auctioneer.

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Trot at Peake's Station.

THE GRANDEST TROT of the Season will take place at Peake's Station Trotting Park, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th of August, when prizes will be given as usual to all classes.

Any person selling intoxicating liquor on or near the Park will be dealt with as the law directs.

For further particulars see handbills.

ALLAN McDONALD, Peake's Station, Aug. 11, 1890.

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY.

Basket Picnic to Cape Traverse.

A SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAIN will leave Charlottetown for Cape Traverse at 8 a. m. (standard time) on SATURDAY, 16th inst., arriving at Cape Traverse at 10 a. m.; returning, will leave Cape Traverse at 3 p. m. (standard), arriving at Charlottetown at 5 p. m.

Tickets for the round trip, 50 cents. Should the weather prove unfavorable the picnic will be held on Monday, the 18th inst.

J. UNSWORTH, Superintendent.

Railway Office, Ch'town, Aug. 9, 1890.

A GALA DAY'S TROTTING

—WILL TAKE PLACE ON—

Kinkora Driving Park,

—ON—

TUESDAY, AUGUST 19, 1890,

when handsome purses will be given away in prizes to the following classes:—

No. 1.—Open to Green Horses. Purse of \$25 \$12 to first, \$8 to second, \$5 to third.

No. 2.—Open to 4-year olds. Purse of \$20 \$10 to first, \$6 to second, \$4 to third.

No. 3.—Open to 3-year olds. Purse of \$20 \$10 to first, \$6 to second, \$4 to third.

No. 4.—A Free-for-all. Purse of \$25—\$12 to first, \$8 to second, \$5 to third.

Conditions:—Entrance fee, 10 per cent. of purses in cash at time of entry, and the same will close on the 15th day of August, at six o'clock, p. m. No entries will be taken after that date. Five horses to enter and three or more to start. All races to be mile heats, best three in five to harness.

A horse distancing the field or any part thereof shall be entitled to first money only, all trot