

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

SEPTEMBER 10, 1884.

More Light.

The range lights now at St. Peter's Bay do not give entire satisfaction; and it, we believe, is the purpose of the Department of Marine and Fisheries to remove the lamps and reflectors at present in use there.

The Department have also in contemplation the erection of range lights at Big Mimiungash.

The range light now on Sandy Island, in Cascumpec harbor, has been done away, and in its stead range lights are to be put up at the head of Cascumpec harbor, so that there may be a direct guide for vessels entering the harbor from the outside bar.

A new light-house has been erected on Cape Egmont. It shows a fixed red light, which will be visible from West Point, on the one hand, and from Sea Cow Head on the other, and will be of great advantage to navigators of the Straits.

The Scott Act Proclamation.

THE Canadian Gazette, received this morning, contains a proclamation which directs that a poll shall be held in Charlottetown to determine whether or not the order in Council authorizing the enforcement of the Scott Act shall be revoked.

"Now Know Ye that We do hereby and by virtue of the authority vested in Us by the said Act and Order in Council, proclaim and declare that on Thursday, sixteenth day of October next, a poll will be held in the said city of Charlottetown for taking the votes of the electors for and against the said petition.

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The exports of the Island for 1882, in quantity and value, were:— Sugar, 38,322 hhd. \$314,283 Rum, 22,742 puns, 295,645 Coffee, 66,238 cwt. 135,535 Pimento, 76,022 cwt. 112,817 Dye Woods, 34,532 tons, 103,034 Fruit, 124,260 Tobacco and Cigars, 104,581 lbs. 14,357

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No reason or cause is assigned to show why "your petitioners" desire the revocation. The reasons and causes will, we presume, be made known for the information of electors, before the poll is held.

The advantages which will follow the legalization of the liquor traffic will, no doubt, be enlarged upon; and the benefits derived from the traffic by this community and by the world, will be set forth in eloquent terms.

Let us have a fair open discussion of the question at issue; and then let it be decided in favor of those who are strongest in good reasons. It is hardly

necessary to add that the columns of THE EXAMINER are open to all who may desire to make their views on the subject known to the public,—provided that the letters be not too long, too stupid, or personally offensive.

It appears that the honor of inducing the British Association to hold a meeting in Montreal is due to Captain Pim and Sir Richard Temple.

Postals Savings Bank in Canada.

(Moncton Times.)

At one of the meetings of the British Association, an interesting paper on the Post Office Savings Bank system of Canada was read by Mr. J. Cunningham Stewart, chief of the department at Ottawa.

The Postal Savings Bank is an institution peculiar to the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario, those in the Maritime Provinces, though usually operated in connection with the post offices, being distinguished by the name "Government Savings Bank."

Thus it will be seen that farmers are the most numerous class of depositors in the Postal Savings banks, and their average of deposits is also the highest, they having more than one-third of the total amount on deposit.

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Annexation of Jamaica.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Tall Wheat.

DEAR SIR,—I had the pleasure yesterday of having a trip to the country, and a very great pleasure it was. The grain crops are, in general, very heavy. I paid a visit to the farm of John Sharp, Esq., Square Grove, Lot 19, and saw there an extraordinary field of wheat. It was well filled and ready to cut.

Yours, etc., CHARLOTTETONIAN.

According to the St John Telegraph, there is a heavy freight traffic on the Inver-colonial Railway at present, about all that the road can handle.

Sir John and the Ladies.

The following correspondence, enclosed to the Editor of the Montreal Herald, speaks for itself:—

WINDSOR HOTEL, Sept 4. Mrs. Hallet begs to forward to the Editor a copy of a memorial sent to Sir John Macdonald by lady members of the British Association, on the subject of the extension of the franchise to women.

BRITISH ASSOCIATION.

Montreal, Sept. 3rd, '84.

TO THE RIGHT HONORABLE SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD, K. C. B., etc., etc. Sir,—The undersigned ladies, who are interested in the movement in the United Kingdom for the extension of the Parliamentary franchise to women, desire to express their earnest thanks to you for having introduced provisions for enabling women to exercise the franchise in the Electoral Bill which you have on behalf of the Government, submitted to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada.

They beg to assure you of their high appreciation of the just and generous spirit which has actuated you in proposing this measure of political justice, and of the great interest with which its progress has been followed in the mother country, and they trust that your efforts to secure the political enfranchisement of women may be speedily crowned with success.

(Signed) CLARA E. L. RAYLEIGH, (The Dowager Lady Rayleigh.)

New Competitors in the Field.

The following facts taken from Broad-street will convey some idea of the intensity of the competition which the United States and Canada are meeting in the English market for meats and dairy products:—

"Australia and New Zealand promise to be the only serious competitors with this country in the English market for the supply of fresh meat. The direct shipment of beef and mutton, especially the latter, from the Antipodes to Great Britain, has attained large proportions, and is susceptible of indefinite development.

"But these are not the only heads under which the Australian colonies are competing with the United States in England. Butter and cheese are being shipped on a considerable scale from New Zealand to the London market.

"The services of the celebrated Jersey Bull "Bell's Centennial," No. 7,977, American Herd-Book, can now be had at the stable of T. A. McLean, Esq., near Esdale Foundry, for \$2,000. Now is the time to get milking stock, as he will likely be in Charlottetown but a short time.

Watering Horses.

1. When is the proper time to water a horse used for riding or driving? In this neighbourhood they give water immediately after a feed, which I cannot think is correct.

A New York paper says of the death of Mrs. Edison, wife of the famous inventor: The scene during her last moments was truly pathetic. Mr. Edison standing close to the doctors, who checked off the last beats of the pulse as the heart flickered, waited heroically for the fatal moment, when the physician folded the motionless arms across the bosom and tremulously said: "She is beyond all human aid."

The Bonanza millions are destined to enrich Italy, and Miss Eva Mackay becomes Princess Colonna. She could hardly have chosen a more ancient or more honorable family, and there is a certain fitness in the idea that the wealth of the New World is destined to repair the fortunes of that stately Roman house, whose patronymic is a synonym of all that is patriotic and princely.

LAND SALE.

TO be sold at Public Auction, on the premises, on King Street, opposite the Post Office, Charlottetown, on Friday, the 17th day of October next, all that valuable property, with dwelling house thereon, on the south side of King Street, having a front on said street of about thirty-four feet, and running southerly by parallel lines sixty-three feet, with a sight of way from said street for horses, carts, trucks, etc.

TERMS—One-third cash at sale, the balance to be secured by a mortgage of the premises, bearing six per cent interest.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. McLeod, Morison & McQuarrie.

SARAH MCKINNON. Ch'town, Sept 9, 1884.

FULL LINE OF McCormick's celebrated

HULL CUTS AND CONFECTIONERY, at R. K. BRACE'S, [Sept 10/3m]

KING'S COUNTY

EXHIBITION,

1884,

WILL BE HELD AT

GEORGETOWN,

—ON—

Wednesday, the 1st October, instant.

All entries at the Drill Shed must be made before ten o'clock a. m., and for the Cattle Show at eleven o'clock a. m., on Exhibition day.

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor will open the Exhibition at the Drill Shed at one o'clock p. m.

Admission to Show Grounds and Drill Shed, each time of entering, twelve cents; children under twelve years, six cents; horses and carriages twenty-five cents.

Tickets will be sold at the Market House and at the gates.

Restaurant on the Grounds. Passengers and Exhibits will be conveyed to and from the Exhibition at one first-class fare.

Commissioners appointed to the several departments will please be on the grounds early.

For Rules and other particulars, get Prize Lists by applying to the Commissioners for King's County Exhibition, at the Post Offices throughout the County, or at the Secretary's Office, at Centigan.

GEORGE F. OWEN, Secretary King's County Exhibition, Centigan, Sept 9, 1884—31 wy w p her 31

Pure Bred Stock.

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AUCTION SALE.

STEAM BOILER, TANK, ETC.

TO be sold by Public Auction, on Monday, 16th of September, inst, at 2 o'clock, on the site of the Old Post Office, the following articles:—

- 1 Tubular Steam Boiler 4 x 12 ft., (25 horse)
1 Large Hot water tank,
1 Iron Tank, Boiler Plate,
3 Vault Doors and Frames,
2 Cast Iron Columns (13 1/2 feet by 8 inches,)
1 Force Pump,
Lot Steam Piping and Heating Coils,
Quantity of Malleable Iron in bars,
Lot of Cast Iron, Sashweights, etc.,
Lot of Galvanized Iron Conductor Pipe,
Quantity of Dressed Freestone,
2 Black Walnut Bookcase Frames,
Window Frames, Sashes and Glass.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. Sept. 8, 1884—her pres jour lin

OYSTERS!

FRESH Belgoe Oysters, at the "BLIOU" RESTAURANT, Great George Street, near Beales Corner. Ch'town, Sept. 8, 1884.—3in.

BEEHIVE FELT.

THE Subscriber offers for sale at prices to suit the times:—

- 100 rolls Beehive Felt (genuine),
100 rolls Diamond Felt,
100 rolls Tanned Paper,
50 rolls Dry Sheathing,
50 brls. Roofing Pitch,
2 tons White Lead,
Boiled and Raw Oils,
Turpentine,
200 kegs Nails,
100 boxes Glass.

SIMON W. CRABBE, Sign of the Stove, Walker's Corner Ch'town, Sep 4—2w 2w 4i

Portland Cement.

Received per Moselle: 20 barrels Portland Cement, 60 brls. Sheet Iron.

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BARGAINS.

I AM selling the balance of my Furniture saved from the fire of the 20th ult., at J. D. McLeod's corner, Queen Street, at a reduction of from twenty-five to fifty per cent, below usual prices.

JOHN NEWSON, Ch'town, (Mavon)

CONSIGNMENTS SOLICITED.

R. O'DWYER,

Commission and General Merchant

FOR SALE OF P. E. I. PRODUCE.

289 WATER STREET,

St. John's Newfoundland.

In connection with the above is Captain English, who is well known in P. E. Island, who will take special charge of all consignments, and will also attend to the chartering of vessels for the carrying trade of P. E. I.

The firm is one of the oldest and most reliable in Newfoundland. Returns guaranteed to be prompt and satisfactory. Parties wishing to procure Labrador Herring should send their orders in time.

Sept. 6, 1884.—till 31st dec. '84.

ASSURE IN THE

Sun Life Assurance Company.

THOMAS WORKMAN.....President. R. McAULAY.....Manager.

Table with financial data: Capital \$500,000, Deposit with Dominion Gov't 56,000, Assets 1,173,440, Surplus to Policy Holders 550,000, Reserve Fund 626,307, Assurances in force 10,147,615, Annual Income, about 273,000

The Sun is a Home Company, investing all its funds in Canada, and has thus a special claim on Canadian assurers.

It is a strong and prosperous Company, with large and well-invested assets.

Its rates are low and its profits to Policy Holders large, and equitably divided.

The Sun alone issues an absolutely UNCONDITIONAL POLICY. Great care is taken in the selection of risks, but when a policy is once issued the money is paid on simple proof of the death of the assured, no matter how, or when, or where. The only condition is the payment of premiums.

The Sun has not one Contested or Disputed Claim on its Books.

The Sun issues the Most Liberal Straight-forward, and Untechnical ACCIDENT POLICY in existence.

Any information concerning Assurance will be cheerfully given, personally or by letter, on application to

H. SUTHERLAND, Halifax, Manager for Maritime Provinces; Or to S. M. BENT, Agent for P. E. Island. Ch'town, Sep 5—6i wy 3m

NOW OPENING

AT THE

London House

OUR NEW STOCK OF

FELT, FUR AND SILK HATS.

GEO. DAVIES & CO. Ch'town, Sept 5.

LONDON

HOUSE.

THE Subscriber offers to let a most desirable two-story House, on Fitzroy Street, nearly opposite the residence of William Brown, Esq. It contains twelve rooms, besides kitchen, and has been papered anew and painted inside and outside this summer. There is also a Stable, Coach-house and Garden attached.

DONALD FERGUSON. July 7, 1884

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

FOR SALE—A Horse, five years old, together with Wagon and Harness, nearly new. Apply to James Dorsey, Queen St. [sep 10 3i]

LOST—In this city, a few days ago, a narrow Silver Broochet. The finder will please leave it at this office, and be rewarded. [sep 9]

WANTED—A smart boy as an Apprentice to the Printing Business. Apply at the office of THE EXAMINER. [sep 8]

FOR SALE—A New Schooler of about 15 tons. Apply at this office. [sep 8 '84]

A Gentleman (formerly of P. E. I.) wishing to select his winter quarters would be glad to hear of vacant rooms through E. L. Lydiard, Esq., Customs Broker, Charlottetown. [sep 8, '84. 1w.]

A FEW BOARDERS may be accommodated, at moderate rates, by applying to Mrs. Mellen's, next door to Methodist Church, Sydney Street. [sep 3 1w pd]

A CLERK with some experience in a Grocery Store will find employment by addressing P. O. Box 51. [sep 1]

WANTED—A COOK. Apply to Mrs. DeBlois, Devonport Cottage, Charlottetown Royalty. [aug 28]

WE will give exclusive sale at and near Charlottetown, of our Entire Wheat Flour, to a dealer who will push it. Covered by patent. Basil sold. We guarantee 100 lbs. more bread to the barrel than any other flour.—FRANKLIN MILL CO., 38 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill. [aug 21]

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RENT MILLS and other choice brands family Flour for sale by Henry Beer, Office and Warehouse, Water Street, near Ferry Wharf. [may]

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Peoples' Cemetery.

THE grounds of the above Cemetery have been laid off ready for interment. The Directors of the Company have determined to offer at Public Auction, at their Cemetery, St. Peter's Road, a number of their choicest lots, on Saturday, the 13th instant, at five o'clock, p. m.

This sale will afford an opportunity to those who desire to make a selection.

JAMES M. SUTHERLAND, Secretary. Ch'town, Sept 6, 1884.—till sale.

FLOUR. FLOUR.

125 brls. CHOICE PATENT, 375 brls. SUPERIOR EXTRA, for prompt delivery at Charlottetown or Summerside

20 brls. No. 1 PILOT BREAD, 10 brls. THIN FAMILY,

FOR SALE BY

J. A. CHIPMAN & CO.,

Corner Pownall and Water Streets, Ch'town, Sep 5.

TO SHOEMAKERS

JUST RECEIVED and ready for sale, a new Stock of Shoe Findings, etc., consisting in part of,—

SHOE TOPS, in Balmorals, Elastic, Rifles and Kip Balmorals.

C. D. FRONTS, Clarence, and Grafts. Also a choice lot of French Calf, in skins.

This Stock has been specially selected in the English Market, and is very superior.

M. McQUAID, Lower Queen Street, Sep 3—t

HARD COAL.

JUST RECEIVED, per schooner Isaac Burpee,

300 Tons Anthracite Coal,

Chestnut and Egg Sizes. Orders left at CAPT. J. HUGHES, Water Street. Ch'town, Aug 26.

FOR SALE.

2,000 bushels Fishery Salt.

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