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Table listing prices for various commodities such as Flour, Oats, Beans, and other goods.

INSURANCE.

ST. LAWRENCE Marine Insurance Co. of PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND. BOARD OF DIRECTORS: A. KENNEDY, Esq., President.

THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY

FAIR RATES. Prompt & Liberal Settlements. Insurance against Fire effected upon Private Residences, Household Furniture and Farm Properties, &c.

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COOMBS & WORTH, JOB PRINTERS & BOOKBINDERS, 51 WATER STREET, Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

E. G. NELSON, IMPORTER & REPAIRER OF SEWING MACHINES.

Mackenzie & Stumbles, Auctioneers, Commission Merchants, and General Agents.

WILLIAM DODD, Commission Merchant and Auctioneer.

CARVELL BROS., Auctioneers, Commission Merchants, and General Agents.

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REVERE HOUSE, Adjoining the Post Office, ALBERTON, P. E. I.

Transient and Permanent Boarders. Charges moderate. Good Stabling on the premises.

INTERNATIONAL CENTRAL STREET, Summerside, P. E. Island, JOHN MCKAY, PROPRIETOR.

THIS HOUSE, second to none on the Island for beauty of situation, comfort and convenience.

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R. R. FITZGERALD, Agent, Charlottetown, July 27, 1874—6m

POETRY.

MY HOUSE.

I am looking up and down, Up and down, through the town, For a little house to dwell in, A shelter and a post;

Then suddenly I hear A whisper in my ear, "Turn aside from thy seeking, Listen to my speaking;

There is no price to pay, No need to move away, No evil eye can harm thee, No man, nor beast alarm thee;

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. Tuesday, April 4th [Continued.] PURCHASE OF LANDS.

Hon. the President would willingly support any constitutional and practicable measure to overcome the difficulties which surrounded the Land Question.

Hon. Mr. Walker said that before the motion was put he would just remark that he thought the agitation for Branch Railways was confined to Queen's County.

Hon. Mr. Munn said it appeared that Belfast and Wood Islands were to be ignored altogether, but no part of the Island had less accommodation.

Hon. Mr. Bolger would support the clause read with great pleasure, and hoped this session they would see the last bill passed for the settlement of the Land Question.

Hon. Mr. Strong said that the year's rent was taken into consideration when the proprietors were putting in their claims.

Hon. Mr. McGill said that judgement against tenants for rent up to the first of November, 1875, had been given in the County Court.

Hon. Mr. Laird called the attention of the Leader of the Government to the fact that the School Visitors' Reports had not yet been laid upon the table.

Hon. Mr. Richards introduced. Hon. Mr. Richards the member elect for the first district of Prince County, in place of Hon. Herbert Bell, deceased.

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Hon. Mr. McGill, according to notice, asked the Leader of the Government whether a sum of money would be placed in the estimates to make a preliminary survey for a line of Railway between Cape Traverse and the Main Trunk, and between Southport and Murray Harbor.

The Education Law.

Report of Investigation Committee. SATURDAY, 29th April, 1876.

I agree that the Board is too large. I have been a member of the Board about 25 years. I think eleven members too many for a Board.

At one time we had a General School Visitor. I do not think it would do. The Secretary ought to be the general superintendent, and paid better, so as to be able to give up his time to the work.

Endless disputes arise in the school districts which are referred to the Board. The people quarrel about the districts and appeal to the Board.

I do not think one visitor for the Island would be enough, owing to the amount of travelling required. There are now increased facilities; but I do not think one visitor possible.

I cannot account for the apathy of the people. I do not think, as a general rule, the country districts, that they are so much to do with it.

The teachers pay two Roman Catholics, and one Protestant, and that is the reason we thought it satisfactory.

Direct taxation by the Government would be more easily collected, and would do away with funds in districts.

It has been never brought to my notice that children were kept away from school on account of sectarian dissatisfaction.

There is a great deal of difficulty in prescribing books, owing to denominational differences on the Board.

Thompson's History was recommended by a committee of two Roman Catholics and one Protestant.

As regards denominations, I would like to have every parent's views, as to religious instruction, announced as much as possible.

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TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

GENTLEMEN: We, the undersigned, having been appointed by you a committee to examine and report upon the state and condition of the District Schools in the City of Charlottetown.

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SCHOOL VISITORS' REPORT.

The practice of the Board is that as reports are received in manuscript, the report should be printed and then taken up by the Board.

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They ought to have come to the Secretary of the Board for information as to the books taught.

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