

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

APRIL 27, 1883.

Prorogation.

The Legislature was prorogued by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor at three o'clock to-day. The following is a list of Bills passed:—

1. An Act to incorporate the Herald Printing Company.
2. An Act to enable George Tweedy to be admitted as Attorney and Barrister of the Supreme Court of this Island.
3. An Act to authorize the registration of a certain deed therein recited.
4. An Act to protect the manufacture of butter and cheese.
5. An Act to incorporate the Mill View Creamery Company.
6. An Act to incorporate the Montague Hall Company.
7. An Act to incorporate the Trustees of the Orwell Head Church in connection with the Church of Scotland.
8. An Act to further Amend the Public Roads Act, 1879.
9. An Act to incorporate the Eldon Public Hall Company.
10. An Act to incorporate the Trustees of the Summerville Presbyterian Church, and to amend an Act therein mentioned.
11. An Act to further amend certain Acts relating to the town of Summerside.
12. An Act to further amend an Act to incorporate the City of Charlottetown.
13. An Act to further Amend an Act for rendering a written memorandum necessary to the validity of certain promises and engagements.
14. An Act to Amend an Act to commute the Crown revenues of Prince Edward Island, and to provide for the Civil List thereof as well as for certain compensations therein mentioned.
15. An Act to authorize the opening of a Roman Catholic Cemetery near Charlottetown.
16. An Act to incorporate the Inland Steam Navigation Company of Prince Edward Island.
17. An Act to Continue certain Acts therein mentioned.
18. An Act to Amend an Act to prevent Peddlers travelling and selling within this Island without license.
19. An Act relating to the Acts of the Dominion Parliament respecting Insolvent Banks, Insurance Companies, Loan Companies, Building Societies, and Trading Corporations.
20. An Act for the Incorporation of the Peoples Cemetery Company of Charlottetown.
21. An Act to incorporate the St. Eleanor's Cheese Manufacturing Company.
22. The Appeal and Equity Act, 1883.
23. An Act to encourage Coast and River Steam Service, in King's County.
24. An Act to enable the Trustees of the Baptist Church at Charlottetown to sell certain lands.
25. An Act to incorporate the Freetown Hall Company.
26. An Act to further Amend an Act to provide for the care and maintenance of idiots, lunatics, and persons of unsound mind.
27. An Act respecting Georgetown and Common.
28. An Act to prevent the spread of the Potato Bug in Prince Edward Island.
29. An Act for appropriating certain moneys therein mentioned, for the service of the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

The following Bills were then thrown out by the Legislative Council:—

1. An Act to Amend the Public Schools Act, 1877.
2. An Act respecting Bills of Sale.
3. An Act to incorporate the Sisters of Charity.
4. An Act respecting Seduction.

The following is the Speech with which His Honor closed the Session:—

Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly.

The labors of the Session having been brought to a close, I am happy to relieve you from further attendance; and I congratulate you on the diligence and care which you have bestowed upon the business submitted to you.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly.

I thank you for the liberal provision you have made for the requirements of the public service; and I assure you that the administration of the expenditure in the several Departments will be carefully guarded.

Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly.

The various Acts which you have passed will, I trust, under the Divine blessing, result in promoting the interests of the Province. The increasing demand of late years for Acts of Incorporation, by Manufacturing Companies is a most gratifying evidence of the growth of our domestic industries, and I have noticed with much satisfaction that among the Bills to which I have just given my assent, are those providing for the establishment and extension of Steam Communication between our shipping places. I confidently expect that from the measures you have passed, our people will derive material benefit.

I feel assured that in returning to your homes, you will continue to exercise the influence of your position to secure the welfare and happiness of the people of this Province.

Cheap Bread.

The indications are that breadstuffs will rule low for the next twelve months at least, but it is very probable that the present very low prices of wheat and flour will not be maintained in consequence of the wet and backward weather which has damaged the wheat fields of England, and many parts of the European Continent. Europe will not produce as much wheat as she did last year. The surplus wheat—the crop of 1882—held in the United States, is estimated to be some 160,000,000 bushels, which must find a market, and this with the European surplus must make bread a comparatively cheap commodity for a year at least. It is evident that the wheat crop of the United States for 1883 will not equal that of 1882. A leading New York journal has just published a careful review of the crop information collected from all parts of the Union, and finds that the yield will be an average one, unless some unforeseen disaster visits the wheat-fields. We noticed last season that the

first one hundred bags of new flour was received and sold in St. Louis on the 29th of April. The flour came from Arkansas, which seems to be the first State to harvest its grain. Several of the States harvest in May, and others follow in June. Some of the Northern States harvest wheat very little sooner than P. E. Island. Harvesting wheat must, therefore, have commenced in the United States, and as in many of the States the wheat crop is in an advanced stage, a pretty fair conception of the final result for 1883 can be reached by those who study the matter up. Admitting that the European crops of breadstuffs for 1883 will be short, yet the surplus held on this side the water, and the large expected yield in Dakota, and in our own Northwest, which now must be looked upon as a factor in the production of wheat for the world, we have another season of cheap bread before us.

The Shipping Trade.

A Montreal paper has been interviewing the shippers and forwarders at that port on the prospects of trade for the coming season. The result fully bears out the cheering opinions which are prevalent. Rumors were spread abroad that the Allan line had chartered the steamships "Peruvian" and "Sardinian" to the Inman line for the coming season. The manager, Mr. Smith, authorized an emphatic contradiction of the rumor. They expect to have full work for all their fleet to Canada during the summer. The Donaldson company will have an additional new steamer of three thousand tons added to its line this season. The Dominion line will also have a new steamer, the "Oregon" making ten first-class vessels. They expect a share of the immigration, and have prepared their monster vessels for it. There will be three steamers direct between British Burmah and Montreal during the open season in place of two last year. This is a new trade developing in rice for grinding, which promises largely. The Great Western line will have five ocean steamers this season in place of four last year.

Splendid Horses.

ARRIVAL OF PURE BRED PERCHERON STOCK— "PERFECT BEAUTIES."

Messrs. Benjamin Hertz and W. S. McKie have returned from New York, and have brought with them a stallion and two brood mares, selected by them from an importation just made by Mr. Denham, the celebrated stock-raiser of Illinois. They are perfect beauties. The St. John son of the 25th descried them as follows: "A few persons were favored, last evening, with an inspection of two brood mares and stallion which were at Golding's stables on King Square. The animals are Percheron breed, of pure Norman blood and have been imported from France. They came via New York being shipped from London to that port. They arrived in New York on Thursday last, after a passage of 40 days and were brought up to Boston by special train. The two mares are magnificent animals of dark iron grey color, standing over seventeen hands high, weighing together about 3600 lbs. Their names are "Irene" and "Lucretia," they have a splendid action, fine movement, and are bright and gay and run well in harness. The tails and manes of the animals are a perfect picture. The stallion is coming four years old and is a pure black color, with the exception of his near hind heel and a white spot on his forehead. He will make a 1800 lb. horse. When travelling he presents a picturesque appearance, his action is splendid and he resembles in many respects a blood. For the purpose for which he has been purchased he is invaluable. One of the best judges of horses in the city stated, last evening, that they were the best horses that had ever been seen here to his knowledge. They are the property of Mr. Benjamin Hertz and W. S. McKie, of Charlottetown, P. E. I."

The Markets.

OATS—The market in Halifax and St. John are not so good as they have been. Large quantities are arriving in Halifax daily from the Upper Provinces, and are laid down at 48 to 50 cents.

POTATOES—Advises from Boston, Baltimore, New York and Philadelphia, are to the effect that the markets are very dull just now. The break in price occurred in New York, and Boston market is ruled by New York. With a large quantity to go forward from the Island and other Provinces prices must certainly fall. The S.S. "Carroll" is now loading here mostly potatoes.

Eggs are in good demand in Boston. They are quoted now from 18c. to 19c.

PORK—The market for Pork continues firm, and Island packers ought to do fairly well, although the price to farmers has been unusually high this season.

Flour—The market for flour has improved within the last week, and quotations are now 25c to 25c per barrel higher, and still higher prices are looked for. Flour has been lower for the last five months, than for years previous.

Our Advertisers.

A. A. Baldwin & Co. advertise a large stock of lobster packers' supplies, etc. Hon. D. Gordon, Georgetown, offers for sale 2,000 sacks salt, and an assortment of general merchandise. John McPhee & Co. are now opening their large and varied stock of new spring goods, which will be sold cheaper than ever. John Quirk offers to let a three story brick dwelling house, with good stable accommodation, on Prince Street, opposite St. Paul's Church. Messrs. Campbell & Rayden advertise, in another column, 200 tons Gourie mines round coal, now landing ex brig, "Vesta," at Duncan's Wharf, to-morrow, at eleven o'clock. A capital opportunity is thus afforded our readers to get their winter supply of this choice coal at their own price.

Summerside Notes.

Potatoes, etc., are still rolling in. Snow is falling to-day. Winter is loath to go without a parting frown.

Morris & Pillman have dissolved partnership. Mr. Morris remains at the old stand.

The Ocean House is inhabited once more. This time Mr. Patrick Keefe is the proprietor.

The egg business is rushing. The trade has grown to large proportions. It is, in fact, one of our most important exports.

There is a generally expressed opinion that there ought to be a railway siding somewhere at the west end. A dollar for backing a car a few hundred feet is pretty steep.

The "Champion Tailor" (whoever that may be) has opened a court of his own here, and goes for everybody "at your peril." He is a queer stick, but a good tailor. So they say.

The various hotels receive their quota of visitors, on business or pleasure bent. Many strange faces are to be seen. Souris and Tignish meet together, and Charlottetown swells the throng.

The shippers are busy. Mr. Ramsey is building a barque for Captain Richards. Mr. Leturgey is also building a barque. Mr. McMillin a brigantine, and Mr. Dunne a pilot boat. Others will be put upon the stocks shortly.

The knell of the funeral bell was heard here a few morning ago. It was a solemn and impressive sight. The prime of youth and early boyhood, lay together in the embrace of death. The waters gave up a victim, and a child blossomed into immortality. The bodies lie in the Catholic burying ground. May they rest in peace.

Summerside has been all alive for the last few days. The ice has departed for another season. The steamer arrives daily and makes things look lively at the end of the wharf. Business prospects are generally good. Our merchants are opening up spring stock. Wild geese and sea-fowl of every sort soar aloft, and the crack of the rifle makes some of them as still as death. There is quite a traffic in eels, and the boys catch any quality of smelts, and somebody eats them.

A Scott Act, and an assault case were before the Stipendiary Magistrate to-day. In the former case, Jeremiah Noonan was fined \$50.00 and costs. In the latter case two limbs of the law had a somewhat bitter quarrel. The case occupied two or three hours, and afforded an opportunity for legal talent and forensic display. One swore one thing, and the other swore the "tother" thing. The Stipendiary kept them straight, lawyers and all; for it was a case certain, somebody got hit by somebody else; and that somebody else, and all concerned, have to wait for a future day just to know all about the sentence. The whole affair arose out of a Scott Act case, which came off some months ago, or what some called "lies" about it.

The Local journals have opened up their columns with a wonderful amount of generosity for correspondence upon the temperance question. It is a serious and important question, full of immortal consequence to both old and young. To some moderation is dangerous, to intemperance is a miserable ghoul. Touch not, taste not, handle not, is the safest course. It is a pity that the cup both cheers and inebriates. Good cheer is sufferable, but inebriation is death. The brightest intellects have fallen before it. Nelson's body lay in a wine puncheon, and it would be hard to tell whether the wine or the body was the more corrupt. The pen of Edgar Allen Poe flashed diamonds; but the croak of the raven was in his wine-cup—raven black as night in the end. Total abstinence redeemed a John B. Gough! and grasped Francis Murphy from oblivion. The days of Burns, Macaulay, Scott, Byron, Wellington, and a host of others—the good drunk (I)—when people used to get as drunk as lords, are fast vanishing, like a beautiful dream, and the world is growing better, men are growing wiser; the world is reaching a millennium, slowly, but surely; when religion and temperance will be married in indissoluble bonds.—Com. April 25, 1883.

Echoes from Mill View.

"THE EXAMINER" has a larger circulation in Mill View than any other paper.

The firm of Smith & Son, carriage builders, Mill View, are turning out a handsome stock of carriages for the present summer. This firm has a well earned reputation for being faithful workmen.

Our enterprising countrymen J. R. Bourke, Jr., is doing a good business here. The manager, W. G. Macdonald, is spoken of as being an honest and trustworthy young man.

Moving buildings and stumping frolics are the order of the day at present among agriculturists.

A grand stumping carnival was held on the farm of John Macdonald, Vernon River, (more familiarly known as "John the Widow") on Monday last. There were about forty workmen, and the stumps eradicated out of more than two acres of primeval land.

The tracks of an unknown animal have been lately noticed in the mud along the road between Seal River and Bourke's Corner. There have been many conjectures as to the nature of the animal, still no solution of the mystery has yet been given.

ALLONS.

Mill View, April 24th, 1883.

Lobster Packers' Stock.

TO ARRIVE, per "Ethel Blanche," from Liverpool,—

- 320 boxes TIN PLATES,
- 1 ton Lamb & Flag TIN,
- 2 tons PIG LEAD,
- 5 cwt. BAR COPPER,

will be sold at a small advance on cost, while landing.

BABBOT'S POTASH.

200 dozen per "Royal Home," from New York.

A. A. BALDWIN & CO.

Ch'town, April 27.—3f 3f

SPRING IMPORTATIONS!
JOHN MACPHEE & CO.

ARE OPENING a large and varied STOCK OF ENGLISH AND AMERICAN STAPLE AND FANCY

Dry Goods, Millinery, &c.,

Ex steamships "Brantford City," Peruvian" and "Prussian," from London and Glasgow.

PRICES LOWER THAN EVER
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

JOHN MACPHEE & CO.,
Jan. 25, 1883—2aw, wkly ROBERT ORR'S OLD STAND.

LONDON HOUSE.
GRAND SPRING OPENING

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

Ex S. S. Prussian, Caspian, Peruvian, Sarmatian and Brantford City,

FROM LONDON AND GLASGOW.

FULL STOCK IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

Wholesale and Retail, at usual Low Prices.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, April 24, 1883.

British Warehouse.
FIRST INSTALMENT

—OF—

SPRING GOODS

JUST OPENED.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Ch'town, April 25, 1883.

FRUIT, FRUIT

WHOLESALE.

NOW ON HAND:

- ORANGES,
- LEMONS,
- DATES,
- FIGS,
- APPLES.

Orders by mail promptly attended to.

BEER & GOFF.

Ch'town, April 24, 1883. 2aw wkly

EGGS. EGGS.

Farmers, Peddlers and Storekeepers will find it to their advantage to bring us their eggs. Liberal prices paid. Cash for goods.

BEER & GOFF.

Ch'town, April 24, 1883.—2aw wkly

SEEDS, SEEDS,

—AT—
BEER & GOFF'S.

Fresh Garden Seeds, Fresh Flower Seeds, Timothy and Clover Seed, Turnip Seed—Carter's Imperial, Champion, Ludwig's Purple Top, Sharp's West, Norfolk, and other choice varieties.

BEER & GOFF.
Ch'town, April 24, 1883.—2aw wkly

COAL.

BY AUCTION,

To-morrow (Saturday), 23th instant, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK,

AT DUNCAN'S WHARF, 200 TONS

Gourie Mines Round Coal, Now Landing ex Brig. "Vesta."

Terms at Sale. **CAMPBELL & RAYDEN,** Auctioneers.

TO LET.

A DESIRABLE DWELLING HOUSE, three-story, brick, with good stable accommodation, on Prince Street, opposite St. Paul's Church. Possession given May 1st.

JOHN QUIRK
April 27.

SALT FOR SALE.

2000 SACKS SALT. Also, a full supply of general Merchandise. D. GORDON.
Georgetown, April 28.—3f wly 5m pd

BOOK DEBTS.

I HAVE handed the books of the Estate of William N. Biggs, McCormack & May, and May, Kelly & Co., to Messrs. McLean & Martin, Solicitors, Charlottetown, for immediate collection. Debts remaining unpaid after 1st May next, will be sued for.

JOHN KELLY, Assignee.
Ch'town, April 26, 1883.—4f may 1

SEED WHEAT.

RECEIVED THIS DAY, from Montreal, White Russian Wheat. Also, in store, Timothy and Clover Seed.

F. L. MACNUTE.
Water Street, April 20.—6f col

For Sale or to Let.

A COMFORTABLE HOUSE, with Stable and one acre of Land, situated near the Mount Edward Road, at present occupied by Mrs. Hatley. Apply to

WILLIAM DODD.
Ch'town, March 29.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—A GIRL for general house-work, in a private family. Apply to Mrs. O'Meara, at the Revue House [ap 26 f]

WANTED—A BOY for General Work. Apply at the R-reve House. [ap 25]

WANTED.—To buy or borrow, the "Nova Scotia Minister," by Thomas Daniel Cowdell; and "Travels in Prince Edward Island," by Walter Johnson, 1824. Any person having either of these works will please give information at this office. [ap 24, dy 3f, wky li]

TO LET—A Dwelling House on Douglas Street, containing six rooms, newly painted and cleaned. Possession given May 1st. Rent moderate. Apply to Patrick Hogan, or James Doyle, Water Street. —ap 24 2w col

FOR SALE—That handsome Cottage, with land attached, situated at St. Avard's St. Peter's Road, just outside city limits, now occupied by the Subscriber. Terms easy. Apply to R. McMILLAN. [ap 27 col and wky 1m pd]

CLERK WANTED.—Wanted, by the 15th May, a Clerk who has had some experience in a Drug Store. Apply at once, by letter, stating terms, to O. B. Wadman, Crapaud. [ap 21 wky tl may 16]

FOR SALE—A first-class Road Sulky, F made by a good builder, is the best in the City, suitable to travel a stud horse with. Also a few sets of Plate Harness to suit the Sulky or Wagon. Apply to W. C. Tice, Boarding Stable, Grafton St., next Fish Market. [ap 20 3f]

HOUSE TO LET—On Hillsborough Street, near King Square, containing eight rooms, with pariet and cellar-kitchen. Possession 1st May. Apply to JOHN BALL. [ap 20]

WANTED—A Man Servant. One who understands gardening and taking care of horses preferred. Apply at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. [ap 19]

TELEGRAPHY.—Ladies or Gentlemen desirous of learning Telegraphy can do so by attending the term commencing the first of May. For further information apply to M. B. McINNIS, Rocklin House. [ap 18 2w]

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A quantity of approved bunches of the following:—Red and White Raspberry Plants, Red, White and Black Currant Plants, Gooseberry Plants (growing) also Strawberries. Apply to MRS. PHILLIPS, Sydney Street, or at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. [ap 12]

TO LET—A Cottage on Pleasant Street, containing eight Rooms, with Coach House, Stable, Pump, etc. Apply to PATRICK KELLY, Queen St. [ap 11 col]

TO LET—A Comfortable HOUSE, on Richmond Street. Apply to M. Stevenson. [ap 11 w]

TO LET.—That handsome and convenient cottage on Weymouth Street (at present occupied by Mr. George McKay), nearly opposite residence of Dr. Beer. Possession in May next. Apply to LONGWORTH & HAZARD. [ap 2]

TO LET—Dwelling House, Out buildings and Garden, on Union Street (west). A suitable tenant will find it to his advantage to make an early application to Jno. Wx MURPHY. [ap 11 f]