

Neebing Hotel.

THAT Senator Haythorne should have cited the "Summerside Land Sales" and the "Golden Shipyard" to prove the Kaministiquia Land Job and the Neebing Hotel purchase honest and pure transactions is very remarkable.

In the speech which we quote below Senator Kaulbach handles our Senator pretty roughly. But had he known all the facts with what effect could he not have retorted.

"My hon. friend from Prince Edward Island (Mr. Haythorne) talks of the Neebing Hotel—that shadow of a substance of nothing, that rickety, ramshackle shed—as a building to shelter travellers and accommodate guests. It amounts to nothing at all; it is absurd and ridiculous to call it a hotel.

"Hon. Gentlemen—hear, hear. "Hon. Mr. KAULBACH—If the hon. gentleman had followed that injunction he would not have fallen into the mistake he did during the whole of his speech. If he would confine himself more to facts, he would deserve the respect which we all desire to show for one who occupies so high a position in this House.

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Q. That was at what time? The latter part of November, 1874.

Q. Did Mr. Davidson show you any map that he had of the railway reserve there? He did. He came in and showed me a map. It was colored the same as the plan, exhibit "A."

Q. Did he say where he got the map? He said he got it from Ottawa.

Now, let us look at Mr. Savigny's evidence. We find in this report the following:— Q. In negotiating the sale of those lands sold to Davidson, had you any conversation about the best place for the terminus? It all had been settled then.

Q. What time was that? It was in 1875 or '76.

Q. Was that the time he showed you the plan? No. He showed me the plan in the fall of 1874, or the winter of 1875.

Q. Have you that plan in existence? I have not got it; he kept it.

Here we have the evidence of two witnesses to show that Davidson had a plan of the site of the railway terminus in the fall of 1874, by means of which Oliver, Davidson & Co. were enabled to secure the lots which they afterwards sold to the Government; and we have the evidence of Mr. Clark that Mr. Davidson informed him he had got his information from the Premier. It is true, Mr. McKenzie and Mr. Davidson deny that, but the facts remain that Oliver, Davidson & Co. bought up the lots before the valuers were appointed, and made an enormous profit out of them.

The Hanlan-Morris Race.

PITTSBURG, June 19.—The Hanlan-Morris boat-race is the chief topic of conversation in all circles to-day, and all sorts of speculations are indulged in as to the probable result.

Large parties are arriving from neighboring cities, and it is probable that an immense concourse of people will witness the race. The hotel accommodation is already at a premium, and orders for rooms are pouring in from all quarters.

The recent rains have rendered the river universally high, and logs, fallen trees and other driftwood are floating down stream in large quantities. The current to-day was from five to six miles an hour; but should no rain fall between this and Thursday it is likely that there will be a slower current, and little or no driftwood to contend with during the race.

The men will row down the centre of the river from the starting buoys to profit by the swift current and hug the shores closely on the return in order to take advantage of all the inshore eddies. In this Morris, who is thoroughly acquainted with the river, will have a manifest advantage as he has pulled over the course so often that he knows the peculiarities attendant upon every stage of high and low water.

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(Special Dispatch to Examiner.) PITTSBURG, June 21. In the scull race yesterday, Hanlan won—beating Morris by four boat lengths.

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Just as the applause was over a youth in the gallery, carried away with the intensity of the acting, cried out, "It's all right now, Smith; he's gone."

Correspondence.

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To the Editor of the Examiner:

Sir,—I have just read Mr. Richard Weeks' letter in this evening's paper, respecting the dear old butter women and their butter being so soft; and I do think that his suggestion to rise the Big Donald tower is a very contracted idea. If that be raised which is altogether too high now, it would only accommodate about one-fifth of the dear old ladies, saying nothing about the meat men that he speaks of.

Let the Market Committee procure a few cents worth of ice from I. C. Hall, and furnish each dear old lady with ice for the short time they have to remain in the market (it being only about two months the ice would be required), it would be much better than raising the tower, which has cost now too much for all the good it or Big Donald will ever do; and let the dear old ladies occupy the Hall, as was originally intended—and keep the market folk from the cellar.

I remain, your, &c., Q. R. S. Ch'town, June 20, 1878.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Sir.—Passing down the Main street yesterday I saw the sprinkling cart at work. A lady standing near by said quite audibly, "Shoot that sprinkler; is that the best that can be got up?" Hearing the remark made me curious enough to examine the affair; and, sir, as well as I can remember from a hasty examination, it is about as follows:—

There are two large wheels, a kind of body, with a pair of crooked shafts, on top of which is placed an oblong cask, tub or puncheon. Immediately in the rear is placed a horizontal pipe, having three sides of an octagon, fed by two pipes from the tub, which is acted upon to let off or shut down the supply of water by a powerful lever of rare ingenuity. Altogether there can be no doubt but what it is a masterly piece of ingenuity and skill. To see the water shooting from those little perforations that are about the size of the holes that would be made from a discharge of snipe shot fired at it. Then this canopy of sprinkles covers such a space at a time. I think it must spread over a distance of seven or eight feet from the force that the water comes out in, and our streets being about sixty feet wide a whole street can be sprinkled in about eight drives, allowing each drive to cover about eight feet. Now, this is a great improvement on the garden sprinkler for streets, so that the woman who said yesterday "Shoot that sprinkler" must have been a grumbler or a dyspeptic. Because she had been away to other countries and seen sprinklers that would throw the water thirty-five to fifty feet wide, she imagined that ours was no good. But I hope she don't calculate to have things in this poor city like they are in other rich cities.

There is a better cart than what our present one is, made the same way, only the tail pipe is a half circle instead of an octagon, and it is reasonable, for when the water rushes into the tail pipe it passes the holes on the straight part and rushes with double force at the angles; but if the pipe was half a circle the water would not have any obstruction. Another thing that won't pay is hauling the water from Spring Park; and, as there is plenty of salt water handy, get a one-horse power on the wharf, elevate a rough, tight tank, and pump the water into it by the horse; then bring your tub alongside and man-fashion go to work. It is well known that salt water is slower to evaporate than fresh, and therefore is better adapted for damping streets.

I am, Sir, yours, Go AHEAD. Ch'town, June 21.

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Baby Carriages. JUST ARRIVED, another Lot of those very cheap CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES, at H. COOMBS. June 21, 1878—3i

The Clifton Meeting. To the Editor of the Examiner. Sir,—Seeing that you had no reporter at the Clifton Meeting, I purpose giving a truthful synopsis of the same. A large number of electors were present from every part of New London, and adjoining settlements. The day was fine, and everyone (Hon. P. Sinclair alone excepted) was anxious to hear Messrs. Campbell and Stewart, on Local matters, and to have a dish of "Dominion Politics" to finish up with by way of dessert.

On the appointment of Hon. Senator Montgomery to the chair, Wm. Campbell, M. P. P., came forward, and, in strong tones, made his indictment—vs. our Local Government—in many counts. He condemned their every action in unmeasured terms. He severely criticised their Tax, Ballot, School, Poll and Registration Acts. On having disposed of all the above Acts, and their consequences, &c., he launched himself forth on the great, vast subject of our "New Lunatic Asylum Building." On this subject, I can only bid you imagine how he killed the Government and Stuart Mill, as my pen fails to give an explanation equal to the task.

During the whole of his address he was most attentively listened to, and often cheered, and seemed really to have the full confidence and support of the people all through.

A motion was then made to give the Dominion representatives, Messrs. Pope and Sinclair, a hearing. When Mr. Sinclair came to the front and begged to decline, as it would be mixing our local and Dominion politics, and he did decline just then. Mr. Pope was loudly called for, and he ascended the platform amidst cheers. It is very evident that Mr. Pope is the champion of the field. He spoke 1 1/2 hours earnestly and ably. He was most attentively listened to throughout, and made a masterly speech, giving a full account of his doings at Ottawa, to the entire satisfaction of the large audience present with but few exceptions (among these were the Brown boys at Stanley, who at times noised away.)

Mr. Pope was followed by Hon. P. Sinclair, who spoke at great length, in his usual (apparently) honest style, in justification of not only his, but his party's general legislation, &c. He referred to the "steel rails," and said it was only a slight mistake, and was not intentional squandering on the part of his Leader. He also referred to the Trade Question. And like too many of his friends said, that the consumer paid the duty on all goods taxed—a very doubtful theory, I presume. We farmers don't believe this piece of policy, although advanced by Mr. Sinclair; as we contend that the farmers of this Island lost 15 cents per bushel on all the potatoes we shipped to the United States in 1876—which was no small loss. We certainly hold that we paid that duty into the United States Treasury out of our pockets, as our traders could have paid us 55 cents per bush, without a tariff or duty, and have as good gains as to pay us 40 cents

and pay the other 15 cents duty to the United States.

The Hon. Mr. Brecken being present, was interviewed by a large number of electors from this section of the country, desiring that he (Mr. Brecken) would allow himself to be put in nomination in connection with the Hon. J. C. Pope. He was proposed by George Mallet, Esq., seconded by Geo. B. McKay, Esq. Mr. Brecken then came to the front, and addressed the meeting in an able and eloquent manner, touching on the general topics of interest, and dealt some telling blows at Mr. McKenzie's unwarrantable actions as Leader of the great and the grand brigade of Reformers. Mr. Brecken's nomination took well, and he will be taken as Mr. Pope's colleague, with every prospect of success.

I remain, &c., "Epoch." New London, June 19, 1878.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Sole Leather. 60 ROLLS, CONTAINING 600 SIDES, No. 1 & No. 2. BEST AND CHEAPEST IN THE MARKET. CARVELL BROS. Ch'town, June 21, 1878—pat in th tu fr 3w

Prince of Wales College. THE Midsummer Examination of the Classes in the Prince of Wales College will take place at the College Building, in Charlottetown, on TUESDAY, the 25th June, instant, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m.

The parents of the pupils, and others interested in the Institution, are respectfully invited to attend. J. LONGWORTH, Hon. Sec'y, &c. Ch'town, June 21, 1878—

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SHINGLES! BY AUCTION, ON Tuesday next, the 25th Inst., at six o'clock, p. m., on Peake's No. 3 Wharf, 130 M. CEDAR 50 M. SPLIT PINE (SHINGLES! Usual Terms. FENTON T. NEWBERY & CO. June 21—pat 21 ne li

CARD. MISS ROBERTS (formerly pupil of Mr. R. Watson, Royal Academy of Music), begs to inform the ladies of Charlottetown that she would be happy to receive pupils for instruction in Music at her residence, head of Pownall Street. Reference as to capability may be made to Mrs. Bayfield or to Mrs. Penney, of this City. Charlottetown, June 21, 1878—cod

"THE LAW SOCIETY." THE Annual Meeting of "The Law Society of Prince Edward Island" will be held at the Law Library in the new Law Courts Building, in Charlottetown, on TUESDAY, the 25th day of June, instant, at the hour of eleven o'clock, a. m. F. L. HASZARD, Sec'y. Charlottetown, June 20, 1878—

THE FANCY SALE St. Peter's Church Sewing Society will be held in the Y. M. C. A. HALL, WEDNESDAY, the 10th JULY. STRAWBERRIES, ICES, &c. Music and Readings in the evening.—Doors open at 2 p. m. Admission 25 cents; children 10 cents. Ch'town, June 17—sw pat.

For Sale or to Let A NEW COTTAGE, situated on Pleasant Street, containing eight rooms, with Stable and Coach-house attached. For particulars, apply to P. C. KELLY, 127 Upper Queen St. Ch'town, June 17—3i sod

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TRADE SALE.

We will offer by Auction, on Saturday, the 22nd June, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK:

20 chests TEA, 5 casks KEROSENE OIL, 30 boxes SOAP, 50 boxes Toilet SOAP, 50 doz. BROOMS, 50 doz. BUCKETS, 50 boxes CLOTHES PINS, 4 doz. BUTTER FIRKINS, 100 reams WRAPPING PAPER, 10,000 PAPER BAGS, 30 packages TWINE, 50 doz. SHOE BLACKING, Boxes Coffee, cans Pepper, Cinnamon, Ginger, Mustard, Allspice, Cream Tartar, Boxes Pearl Blue, Potash, Axlegrease, Bbla. Lamp Chimneys, boxes T. D. Pipes, Matches, &c., &c. MACKENZIE & STUMBLES, Auctioneers. Ch'town, June 19, 1878—dy pat

RECEIVED TO-DAY NEW Worsted Coatings (CHOICE PATTERNS) AT KING SQUARE HOUSE Tailoring Department BEER & SONS. Ch'town, June 18, 1878.

A GRAND Temperance Demonstration AND PUBLIC TEA WILL BE HELD On the Beautiful Grounds of VICTORIA PARK MONDAY, JULY 1st.

ALL the Temperance Societies throughout the Island are invited to attend. Tea on the tables at 2.30 p. m. Tickets, 25 cents; children under 12 years, 15 cents. ENTERTAINMENT in the Market Hall at 8 o'clock, p. m.—Admission, 15 cents; reserved seats, 25 cents. Railway Fares for the day will be 1 cent a mile. W. W. BEER, Ch. of Com. J. W. HODGSON, Sec'y. Ch'town, June 18, 1878—

Bremner Bros. HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING New Stock! —NAMESLY— CHROMOS & ENGRAVINGS, from 5 cents \$1.50. FANS! FANS! entirely new styles. WALLETS & POCKET-BOOKS a choice variety. BASE BALLS & BATS, RUBBER BALLS. PHOTO FRAMES very handsome. and a choice stock of other goods in the Stationery & Fancy Goods' Lines. BREMNER BROS. June 18—pat 1w 3aw ne li

MASONIC PIC-NIC! Under the Auspices of St. John's Victoria, and King Solomon Lodges, ON MONDAY, JUNE 24. Hunter River.

SPECIAL TRAIN will leave Charlottetown at 10 a. m.; returning, leave Hunter River at 7 p. m., arriving at Charlottetown at 8 p. m. TICKETS for Return Trip, 60 cents—to be had at Railway Ticket Office. AMUSEMENTS of various kinds will be provided. Favorable arrangements have been made with Mr. John Bagnall to provide Refreshments at reasonable rates. The Brethren and friends from the western parts of the Island will join us at Hunter River. No pains will be spared to make the day enjoyable to all. SIMON W. CRABBE, Chairman, J. McKECHNIE, Secretary. Ch'town, June 18, 1878—