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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, DECEMBER 30th, 1878.

Trains Going West.

STATIONS.	No. 1. Express.	No. 3 Mixed.
Georgetown	dp 8.10 am	
Cardigan	ar 8.35 "	
M. Stewart Jun	ar 9.55 "	
Royalty Jun.	dp 10.05 "	
Ch'town	ar 11.40 "	
Royalty Jun.	dp 8.00 am	dp 3.30 pm
N. Wiltshire	ar 8.20 "	ar 3.50 "
Hunter River	ar 9.12 "	ar 4.45 "
Breadalbane	ar 9.30 "	ar 5.03 "
County Line	ar 10.08 "	ar 5.41 "
Kensington	ar 10.18 "	ar 5.51 "
Summerside	ar 11.00 "	ar 6.30 "
Wellington	ar 11.30 "	ar 7.00 "
Port Hill	ar 11.40 "	
O'Leary	ar 11.45 "	
Alberton	ar 11.50 "	
Tignish	ar 12.00 "	

Trains Going East.

STATIONS.	No. 2 Express.	No. 4 Mixed.
Tignish	dp 7.00 am	
Alberton	ar 7.45 "	
O'Leary	ar 8.47 "	
Port Hill	ar 10.05 "	
Wellington	ar 10.48 "	
Summerside	ar 11.40 "	dp 8.45 am
Kensington	dp 2.30 pm	dp 9.15 "
County Line	ar 3.00 "	ar 9.57 "
Breadalbane	ar 3.40 "	ar 10.08 "
Hunter River	ar 4.28 "	ar 10.47 "
N. Wiltshire	ar 4.45 "	ar 11.02 "
Royalty Jun.	ar 5.40 "	ar 11.55 "
Ch'town	ar 6.00 "	ar 12.15 pm
Royalty Jun.	dp 2.55 "	
Mt. Stewart	ar 3.15 "	
Cardigan	ar 4.30 "	
Georgetown	ar 4.40 "	
	ar 6.00 "	
	ar 6.25 "	

SOURIS BRANCH.

Going West. Going East.

STATIONS.	No. 5 Mixed.	No. 6 Mixed.
Souris	dp 7.00 am	dp 4.40 pm
Harmony	ar 7.23 "	ar 5.22 "
St. Peters	ar 8.42 "	ar 5.54 "
Morell	ar 9.13 "	ar 7.12 "
Mt. Stewart Jun.	ar 9.55 "	ar 7.35 "

C. J. BRYDGES, WM. MCKECHNIE, Gen. Sup. Gov. Railways Supt. P. E. I. R. Ch'town, Dec. 27, 1878. p ne ar h pres kea sp sj ap Gi

COMMERCIAL Union Assurance Company, OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

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JOHN MCPHEE, Administrator. Ch'town, Jan. 8th, 1879—2w 2aw

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Ch'town, Nov. 16, 1878—3m

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November 6, 1878.

WAGSTAFF'S HOTEL.

THE Subscriber having fitted up the Hotel formerly known as THE RANKIN HOUSE, in first class style, is now prepared to give comfortable accommodation to Permanent and Transient Boarders. Tourists and others will receive every attention at the Wagstaff's Hotel.
WM. WAGSTAFF.
May 25, 1878

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ENTRANCE BY SIDE DOOR.
Oct. 15—3m

BROADWAY HOUSE, BY MACKENZIE.

THE former "City Hotel," now the Broadway House, Great George Street, opposite the Catholic Cathedral, is now open for Permanent and Transient Boarders.
The rooms have been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished.
The tables will be supplied with the best the market affords, and fares reasonable.
A Suite of Rooms convenient for a small family, together with board &c., can be had in the Broadway House.
Nov. 23, 1878—1f

RANKIN HOUSE,

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J. J. DAVIES . . . Proprietor (Formerly of St. Lawrence Hotel, Picton).

THIS well-known Hotel is now open under the present management; and, having been newly furnished throughout, it offers every comfort to the travelling public. Suitable Sample Rooms for commercial gentlemen.
Oct. 15, 1878—3m

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CARPETS cut and laid.
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All kinds of Household Furniture made to order, cheap and good.
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Charlottetown, Oct. 26, 1878—



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Sir John MacDonald.

A PARLIAMENTARY SKETCH BY A POLITICAL OPPONENT.

The following is a translation of a sketch by Senator Fabre of the Right Hon. Sir John Macdonald, being the first of a series of Parliamentary sketches which the accomplished Senator is now contributing over the *nom de plume* of "d'Arbois" to *L'Opinion Publique*. It is to be regretted that it is almost impossible in a translation to do full justice to the sparkling and epigrammatic beauty of the literature of "d'Arbois."

"Every man whose gift raise him above the ordinary standard looks up to an idea, which under favoring winds he easily attains, but from which he rapidly falls away under the retrogressive impulse of misfortune. Wood, the sculptor, has grasped Sir John's idea, and has embodied its expression in the splendid bust he has made of him. The bust is admirable. The shrewdness of the model is given to perfection, with ideal shades which the clouds of reality at times obscure. The head lives, thinks, jests. It is the head of a man of all-conquering tact or of a great actor. An actor Sir John undoubtedly is. Graceful and pleasant in bearing, quick and ready in word and action, he acts his speeches as much as he delivers them; he acts them with voice, head and gesture. The inflections he gives to his voice awaken his dormant energy; he warms to his work; the hand ever in motion; gives, as it were a fresh impetus to each shaft as it falls from his lips and imparts to it a two-fold force of irony. Sir John is indeed given to lashing himself, particularly in his opening sentences; but the process seldom fails in its effect; his energies are aroused; the flame bursts and the adversary is scorched. Sir John excels in reply; he is above all brilliant in retort. He is languid at times in stating his case, and rather gropes through his opening sentences; but when he is stung in the fight and has to give back a blow, he is himself at once, and his keen, incisive words, piercing the flesh like a highly-tempered blade, never fail to draw blood. Yet he is too clever and too well versed in the knowledge of mankind to be cruel; his executions are always amusing; they extort a smile even from his gloomiest victims themselves. In view of the prodigious success with which he but yesterday carried the elections, it cannot be safely asserted that Sir John does not know in what direction to look for popularity. He is in truth a master of the art. He constructed, with consummate skill, the engine which destroyed the Mackenzie Administration. From the very first he saw what a tactician could do with Protection, and in so masterly a manner did he cover his troops with that rampart that it was impossible for the Liberals to turn their flank. Like a skilful general, who weighs all the chances, he did not rest satisfied with thus securing his position; he availed himself of all the special advantages which each of the Provinces could afford him, and seized beforehand every pass and defile. However, with all this great stroke of fortune, it is undeniable that Sir John's true ground, the scene of his most brilliant exploits, is Parliament. He knows the House as each of us knows his office. He holds its every clew, big and little. The moment a new Parliament looms above the horizon he measures and gauges it, and quickly sees what he can make of it. He studies its face, and analyses it. He soon discovers those among the newly elected who are to be his constant adversaries, those whom he can use on occasion, and those in fine who will one day bow to his yoke. He is a keen judge of men, but more especially of members. He never could after a first session mark with a red cross those who are never to be his, and with a blue those who will sooner or later belong to him. It is not that he is a sorcerer, but that he is deeply skilled in things parliamentary. He knows the stuff of which each man is made; he knows how far it may be moulded so as to present a splendid courtier, or how far it will remain intractable in the hard granite of a Roman statue. Great men, like good wines, improve as they grow old. If Thiers had dropped off at sixty the world would not have known that he was the most wonderful Frenchman France has produced since Napoleon. Dufaure, despite his eighty years, has recently displayed renewed ardor in his oratorical joust with Fourtou. Fate reserved also for Sir John a brilliant renaissance. It cannot be denied that the recent electoral campaign gave him the most brilliant victory of his career. It equalled, at one stroke if it did not surpass, the happiest of his Parliamentary exploits. To captivate Parliament is a noble thing compared with the conqueror of a whole people. He was not thought to be equal to it, and his gifts seemed better adapted to produce an effect before the House than before the electorate. His old age is crowned with this fresh triumph and after having coquetted with both sides he has led a Dominion captive. How long will the honeymoon last? That is not so easy to foresee. Some say it will depend upon the fidelity with which the groom performs his engagements. It depends, say others, upon the constancy of the one side or the other. But it is of little consequence; this carrying away of a people which has astonished the most shrewd, will not the less remain one of the wonders of our age, and the sparkling, crowning event of an exalted happy career."

The North West Indians.

(Ottawa Free Press.)

The alarm created some time ago by reports of coming disturbances among the Indians of the Canadian North-West, to some extent subsided on the publication of a long letter from Col. McLeod, the Chief of the Mounted Police Force, and now accounts come from Battleford which are even more reassuring. Big Bear, who threatened to bring in 10,000 of a following to interview Lieut. Governor Laird, is now represented to be in a more placable mood and it is thought he will be persuaded to remain at home—at any rate—we are told that the people of Battleford can give a long furlough to fear and troublesome dreams. It seems, after all, that the Indian scare never amounted to very much, and that, at any rate, with wise and prudent management, anything approaching a serious outbreak may be prevented. The observance of the most absolute good faith on the part of the Canadian authorities will, we are persuaded, always avert mischief, and it will be their fault if we have an Indian war on our hands, unless, indeed, new elements of disturbance from the other side of the border line are introduced to mar the good relations now existing.

Agricultural.

THINGS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

(From the American Agriculturist.)

Bran is a valuable food, and it is a fact that in feeding a ton of bran, we can get back a large part of its cost in the extra value of the manure made.

Liberal Feeding is true economy. The aim should be to induce animals of all kinds to eat all they have a good appetite for and digest, by changing food and also changing the methods of preparing it.

The best way of managing manure depends upon circumstances. It may be drawn to the fields and heaped in a pile, or spread at once upon the land, or piled in the yards. But the worst management is to scatter it around in the barn yard and permit it to be frozen or tramped into the mud.

The Geneva Award.

The allotment of the Geneva award is still harrassing our republican neighbors. The following from the *Missouri Republican*, a Democratic organ published at St. Louis, puts the case in its true light—a light which is not at all creditable to the rulers of a nation claiming a front place in the ranks of commerce, where, if anywhere, honor ought to be the guiding star. Says the *Republican*:

"The New York *Tribune* thinks that the passage by the House of the Geneva Award Bill may astonish these British moralists who have been accusing us of dishonesty because the whole sum was not distributed as soon as received. The astonishment is not likely to be as complimentary to us as the *Tribune* seems to fancy, when it is remembered that the total of our claims presented at Geneva, exclusive of the indirect claims, was about \$45,000,000; that we received \$15,000,000, and that at the end of six years we have only found owners for about \$6,000,000, it would seem as if there were still abundant provocation for any amount of profanity on the part of the 'British moralists.' The balance of \$9,000,000 went into the national treasury, where it remains to day, more than six years after the award was announced. We presume it would have remained there forever if the 'British moralists' had not expressed their sentiments pretty freely concerning the business, and if these sentiments had not been sharpened by our undisguised reluctance to meet the assessment levied upon us by the Halifax Commission. Literally shamed into some sort of action Congress now proposes to revive the Court of Alabama Claims for eighteen months, the real aim being, in our opinion, to keep as much of the money as possible, without any special regard to the 'actual losers.'"

The Death-rate of

Our country is getting to be fearfully alarming, the average of life being lessened every year, without any reasonable cause, death resulting generally from the most insignificant origin. At this season of the year, especially, a cold is such a common thing that in the hurry of every day life we are apt to overlook the dangers attending it and often find, too late, that a Fever or Lung trouble has already set in. Thousands lose their lives in this way every winter, while had *Boschee's German Syrup* been taken, a cure would have resulted, and a large bill from a doctor been avoided. For all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, *Boschee's German Syrup* has proven itself to be the greatest discovery of its kind in medicine. Every Druggist in this country will tell you of its wonderful effect. Over 950,000 bottles sold last year without a single failure known.