

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions or statements of our correspondents.

Sisters of Charity Bill.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

Sir,—In an editorial article of THE EXAMINER of the 4th instant, you have endeavored to make it appear that those who were in favor of striking out the clause exempting the Sisters of Charity from all Provincial, Civic and Municipal taxation, were trying to make the Hospital the first property to which it is sought to apply the right principle.

I regret to find you have, in this instance, misrepresented our motives in opposing this clause. The facts are simply as follows:—

A petition was presented to the House in the usual way, praying for an Act to incorporate the Sisters of Charity, and when the Bill was introduced a clause was found in it exempting the body to which they belong from taxation in the following words:—

"So long as the said lands and personal property of the corporate body shall be used for the purposes of a Hospital for the sick and infirm, or an Asylum or Dispensary, or in support of or in connection with any such charitable institution in this Province, the members of the said corporate body and the said lands and personal property shall be exempt from all Parliamentary, Legislative, Civic, and Municipal imposts burdens and taxes."

The members of the House who opposed this clause were not anxious to make the Hospital "an exception to the rule," but to prevent the body who were seeking an act of incorporation (not the Hospital) from being made an exception to the rule.

The Bill now before the Legislature is not for the purpose of incorporating a company simply to manage and maintain a Hospital but to incorporate a body who shall be exempt from all kinds of taxation on their compliance with the above section.

I am not aware of any Church on this Island having embodied in their Act of Incorporation such a clause of exemption as the one now sought for.

Church property in Charlottetown is at present exempted from Civic taxation, not by an Act incorporating these Churches, but by an Act passed at the request of the citizens themselves, "to further amend the Acts incorporating the City of Charlottetown."

I submit that every Christian Church is essentially a charitable institution; at the same time I cannot endorse the extraordinary doctrine that endeavoring to "cure the sick and in pain is doing God's highest work."

I am yours truly, SAMUEL PROWSE.

Charlottetown, April 5, 1883.

Winter Communication.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

The Government having pledged itself to build the branch railway to the Cape this summer, the question comes up at what point on the main line of railway would the public interest be best served by bringing the railway to the shortest route, the straightest route, the most central route, the route which shall produce the greatest amount of traffic, and the one which shall accommodate the greatest number—whether it be the North Wiltshire, the County Line, the Freetown, or any other—is the one which it is the duty of every public-spirited man on the Island to ask for and demand, and the one which our representatives at Ottawa, irrespective of party, should insist on us having.

A great deal has been said and written about the North Wiltshire route. The railway, by running there, would, no doubt, benefit a few along the line; but the benefit would be largely sectional; and it must appear to every sensible man who has looked into the matter, that it is not the route which would most benefit the people of the Island. It has been claimed for the North Wiltshire route that it would be shorter for passengers going from Charlottetown. This is a matter about which there is some doubt. I hear Mr. Allison, the engineer sent down for the purpose of surveying the place, in his report said that a good line could not be got by that route less than twenty-five miles.

If this is so, the route would not be any shorter or more convenient for Charlottetown. However, this is not the question, Charlottetown is not the only place whose interests should be consulted in this matter. In what condition would Summerside, Kensington, and all places west of Hunter River be in, should that route be selected. Supposing a Summerside merchant was sending a carload of produce by the Capes route he would have to first send it to North Wiltshire, the distance being thirty-two miles, thence to the Capes, which is, according to Mr. Allison, twenty-six miles more, which would be a total mileage of fifty-eight miles. Whereas, if the County Line route was taken, he could get it to the Capes in twenty-nine miles, just half the distance. Then again in distributing the goods to the people of the western end of the Island would suffer. If the summer traffic goes by the Capes, which it surely will, the Point Du Chene route would be abandoned, and the Capes route would be the one the western end of the Island would have to fall back on. Charlottetown will still have the Boston boats, and the Pictou boats, and they will not have to use the Capes route for freight to any extent. Summerside and the western end of the Island, if the North Wiltshire route was selected, would be in a very bad position. It, therefore, behoves Prince County to be up and doing, and see to their rights.

Yours &c., PRINCE COUNTY. Summerside, April 4, 1883.

The mails arrived at Cape Traverse at 2.20. They will reach the city this evening, at eight o'clock, by special train.

WARNER'S Safe Kidney Cure, just opening, at FRASER & REDDIN'S. [ap5 2i]

A SPLENDID programme of the Taboucau Picnic to be held in St. Peter's Schoolroom on the evening of the 10th, received will appear to-morrow.

QUININE WINE, the best of spring tonics, fifty cents a bottle.—FRASER & REDDIN'S. [ap5 2i]

GOLD and silver plating of every description done at Brown's. Shop on corner of Prince and Grafton Streets. [Feb 22 3m, wky]

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ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE OF CANADA. [Feb 22 3m, wky]

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Land Carriers.

OTTAWA, April 5.

Dalton McCarthy in the House of Commons, yesterday, moved the first reading of the Bill respecting Carriers by Land. The Act was opposed by Messrs. Oulmet, Abbott, and Girouard, on the grounds that it interfered with Provincial Rights.

Sir Hector Langevin moved the adjournment of the debate.

Relating to Bills of Lading.

Dalton McCarthy's Bill relating to bills of lading, was read a second time yesterday.

Master and Mates.

Hon. Mr. McLellan's Bill respecting masters and mates in inland waters, was read a first time yesterday.

King's County Election Case.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections, had the King's County election case under consideration yesterday. The Committee read the papers received from the Provincial Secretary, and then adjourned until Tuesday next.

Obituary.

NEW YORK, April 5.

Peter Cooper, the great New York philanthropist is dead.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, April 5—10 a. m.

Moderate winds, fine to-day, light rain or snow to-morrow.

BALES, BALES, Grain and Potato Bags, just received at the LONDON HOUSE. [ap5 2w eod]

REV. J. BURWASH will lecture in the basement of the Methodist Church this evening, for the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society.

The steamer "Northern Light" was detained off Pictou Harbor last night on account of heavy ice. She left Pictou at noon to-day with mails.

ST. JACOB'S OIL, Fresh Cod Liver Oil, Handy Package Dyes, at Fraser & Reddin's. [ap4 2i]

I. O. O. F.—Report of Natal Day Committee at Willey Lodge to-morrow night. Also other important business relating to our Natal Day celebration will be brought before the Lodge. A full attendance is particularly requested. By Order of the N. G. [2i]

SPONGES, Soaps, Perfumes, and a full line of all necessities at Fraser & Reddin's. [ap4 2i]

A LARGE number of Communications crowded out of this issue.

Special Notices.

LOTS of Ladies Rubbers just received at Dominion Boot and Shoe Store.

"KENT MILLS"—The best family flour, at Cheapside.—HENRY BEER. [mar 12 16i]

A LARGE lot of Nickel Alarins and Time Pieces cheap, at E. W. TAYLOR'S. [mar 29 2 wks eod]

FERRING.—A few barrels medium quality Herring for sale. Apply to JOHN COOMBS, 18 Queen Street. [ap 3 2i]

A GREAT SHOW of Spring Hats at L. E. PROWSE'S. [mar 30]

Now opening at the London House casks and bales of English Goods received per S. S. "Northern Light." [mar 30]

A LARGE quantity of seed wheat daily expected, direct from Canada.—W. P. COLWILL. [mar 29 6w wy 6i]

FLOWER and Garden Seeds at BEER & GOFF'S. [mar 29]

NINE or ten hundred teapots to be sold cheap at COLWILL'S. [fe 21 3aw wy]

TWO HUNDRED boxes choice Digbys at BEER & GOFF'S. [mar 29]

PLENTY of garden seed of various kinds at COLWILL'S.

The cheapest place on P. E. Island for Trunks and Valises, is at L. E. PROWSE'S. [mar 5]

ONE HUNDRED Barrels Apples, in prime order, at BEER & GOFF'S. [mar 29]

PEAS, BEANS, Beet, Carrots, Parsnip, and Cabbage Seed, in large quantities at COLWILL'S. [mar 29 6 w wy 6i]

A CHOICE selection of Clover and Timothy Seed at COLWILL'S. [mar 29 6w wy 6i]

The great rush for Boots is to the Boot and Shoe Factory. [mar 22]

The only steam sewing machine, and gun repairing shop on P. E. Island, and the only place where you can get every part of a sewing machine or a gun made, is at Brown's shop, corner of Prince and Grafton Streets.

We are selling off our large stock of Crockery at reduced prices, to make room for our new supply in the Spring.—W. P. COLWILL. [fe 21 3aw wy]

BROWN is a man you don't want every day. He says he will defy the inhabitants of P. E. Island to carry him a gun to repair that cannot mend, or make new. Now boys beat me if you can. Shop on corner of Prince and Grafton Streets. [fe 22 3m, wky]

PEARLINE for sale at BEER & GOFF'S. [dec]

A SEWING MACHINE that Brown cannot make work you may just as well throw it away. Shop of corner of Prince and Grafton Streets. [fe 22 3m, wky]

A SPLENDID lot of Rockingham teapots to be sold very cheap at wholesale or retail at COLWILL'S. [fe 21 3aw wy]



Royal Military College of Canada.

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EXTRA GOOD VALUE

AT

Perkins & Sterns.

IN

White Cottons, Grey Cottons, Print Cottons, Grass Cloth Hollands and Ginghams.

A large Stock of Striped and Plain Hessians (all widths).

Damasks, Cretonnes, Furniture Cottons, and Printed Dimity.

Carpets and Oil Cloths, Rugs and Mats, Cocoa and Twine Matting. Remnants of Carpets, very cheap.

See the Above Goods Before Purchasing.

PERKINS & STERNS.

Charlottetown, Feb. 1, 1883.

Dominion of Canada, Province of Prince Edward Island, IN THE SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of an Act of the Parliament of Canada, passed in the forty-fifth year of Her present Majesty's reign, Chapter 23, intitled "An Act respecting Insolvent Banks, Insurance Companies, Loan Companies, Building Societies and Trading Corporations, and of the President, Directors and Company of the Bank of Prince Edward Island, an Insolvent Banking Company.

UPON the application of the Liquidators of the above named Banking Company, and upon reading the petition of Lemuel Cambridge Owen, Charles Colson Gardiner and David C. Chalmers, with the affidavit thereto annexed, filed the twelfth day of February, A. D. 1883, and the order made by me, dated the twelfth day of February last, calling on all parties concerned to show cause, this day, why a second call of ten dollars per share should not be made on all contributories of the above named Banking Company, and the notice signed by the Prothonotary, issued in pursuance of such order, and the affidavit of Leith E. Becken, of the due publication of such notice, and the affidavit of Benjamin F. Messervy, of the due transmission by mail of such notices to all contributories residing abroad, and upon hearing counsel for the said Liquidators, and no cause to the contrary being now shown before me, I DO ORDER that a SECOND CALL of TEN DOLLARS per share be made on all the contributories of the said Banking Company; and I do further order that each such contributory do, on or before the FIRST day of JANUARY next, A. D. 1884, pay into the BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA, at its branch in Charlottetown, in said Province of Prince Edward Island to the account of the Liquidators of the said Company, the amount which will be due from him or her or them in respect of such call, and I do further order that a copy of this order, together with a notice from the Liquidators of the said Company, specifying the amount due from such contributory, in respect of such call, be served on all such contributories by posting the same in a letter, prepaid and registered, in the General Post Office, in Charlottetown, in said Province, addressed to the party or parties contributories at his, her or their last known address or place of abode, or by the delivery thereof severally to the attorney of the party to be served; and I do further order that a copy of this order be published in the Royal Gazette newspaper of said Province, and in the EXAMINER and Patriot newspapers, published in Charlottetown, in said Province, in the daily issues thereof, for two weeks from the date hereof. Dated this second day of April, A. D. 1883

(Signed) JAMES H. PETERS, A. J.

April 4—2w

LOBSTER PACKERS!

THE SUBSCRIBER is prepared to furnish

TIN CANS,

in large or small quantities, well made, at low prices. Parties requiring the same will do well to write

W. F. SHEDD, Pictou, N. S.

March 2, '83.

BAZAAR.

THE Members of the Ladies' Hospital Committee intend holding a Bazaar on July 10th, 1883, in aid of the City Hospital, and contributions will be thankfully received by the following ladies.

- Mrs. Pope, President; Mrs. Mason, Treasurer; Mrs. Connolly, Miss Hensley; "Caven, " M. Macleod; "D. Reddin, Mrs. C. C. Gardiner; "Beaton, " Bagnall; "Sullivan, " J. Peake; "M. Blake, " R. Peake; "Hobkirk, " Strickland; "L. H. Davies, Miss K. Wright; "George Davies, " M. Palmer; "J. Longworth, Mrs. Hughes; "George Macleod, Mrs. Malcolm Macleod, Secretary.

Charlottetown, Jan. 31, '83.—Law wkd

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Household Furniture.

TO be sold BY AUCTION, on

Thursday, 12th inst.,

At 11 o'clock, at the residence of Rev. F. Smallwood, Kent Street, all his Household Furniture, consisting of Mahogany Parlor Suit, Carpets, Pictures, Bedroom Suite, Beds and Bedding, Tables, Washstands, Chestioner, Mirrors, Hall Stove Parlor Stoves, Cook Stove, Kitchen Utensils, Wardrobes, Oil Cloth, Crockeryware, Tinware, Earthen Closet, etc.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Charlottetown, April 4, '83.

SOLE LEATHER.

23 Rolls Logan's Nos. 1 and 2,

JUST RECEIVED.

CARVELL BROS. Charlottetown, April 4.—3i

Sons of Temperance.

THE GRAND DIVISION of this Island will meet in Charlottetown, on Wednesday, the 18th inst., at 11.20 p. m. Public Meeting at 8 p. m.

JOHN J. CHAPPELL, G. S. April 4—11 wky 2i

SCHOONERS WANTED

IMMEDIATELY

TO load COAL for Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, Magdalen Islands, and Gulf Ports. Steady employment guaranteed for the season. No delay and good freights. Apply,

THOS. EVANS, Chimney Corner Colliery, Inverness County, C. B.

HEAD OFFICE—107 Hollis Street, Halifax, N. S.; or Mr. William Koa, hank, Broker, Charlottetown; Messrs. Matthew, McLean & Co., Souris. March 31—1m 2aw

Apples, Apples.

30 BARRELS choice APPLES just received at

A. McNEILL'S AUCTION ROOM. March 28.

Tea, Flour, Sole Leather,

FOR SALE.

100 chests and half-chests prime Congou TEA, 500 lbs. Superior Extra FLOUR, 150 sides SOLE LEATHER.

CHEAP FOR CASH. J. & T. MORRIS. Charlottetown, March 23.—3i

SEED WHEAT

FOR SALE.

250 Bags Canada Fife, SPRING SEED WHEAT, to arrive per S. S. "Northern Light," in a few days. We have imported this kind from Canada the last eight years, and find it is better adapted for our soil and climate than any we have tried.

HORNE, PIERCE & CO. Charlottetown, March 30.—Law wky 4i

New Scotch Bearded Wheat.

100 BUSHELS of this celebrated seed for sale. Apply to

WM. HEARD. Charlottetown, March 13, '83.—2aw wky 2i

MOURNING GOODS.

Fine Wool Cashmeres.

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CRAPES

—AND—

General Mourning Goods,

—AT—

W. A. WEEKS & CO'S,

QUEEN STREET.

COTTON GOODS,

CHEAP.

Every Class Well Represented.

GREY COTTONS, WHITE COTTONS, PRINTS, SHEETINGS, PILLOW COTTONS, SHIRTINGS.

W. A. WEEKS & CO., QUEEN STREET.

TEAS!

New Teas of Choice Quality.

WHOLESALE CHEAP.

W. A. WEEKS & CO., QUEEN STREET.

Sign of the Lion, Queen Street. Charlottetown, March 28.—eod wky

TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned will be received by the Montague Hall Committee up to the 23d day of April next, at 12 o'clock, noon, from parties willing to contract for the building of a H-II at Montague, according to plans and specifications to be seen at Beer & Son's Store, Montague. The actual signatures of two good and sufficient securities to accompany each Tender. The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

R. W. SPRAGUE, Secy of Committee. Montague, March 14, 1883.—dly 2aw wly 2i

WHITE OATS.

THE Highest Cash Price will be paid for well-cleaned Heavy White Oats.

HORACE HASZARD, Lower Queen Street, Charlottetown, Mar. 1, '83.—1m eod

Lobster Factory for Sale

—AT—

TRAGADIE HARBOR.

THE Undersigned offers for sale the above Lobster Factory, with boats, traps and plant, complete, and ready for operating on opening of the season. Also about fifty cords wood at the Factory. This Factory is capable of packing from two to three thousand cases. Lobsters generally large and plentiful. Will be sold at a bargain.

FRED. W. HYNDMAN, Agt. Charlottetown, March 23.—3i

Sale of Surplus Stock, etc.

Horses, Cows, Calves, Sheep, Wagons, Harness, Farm Implements, Flour, Hay, Seed Wheat, etc.

TO be sold by Public Auction, at Clyde Mills, New Glasgow, on TUESDAY, the 10th of APRIL, at 11 o'clock, the following surplus stock, on the farm of William Bignall, Esq., consisting of,—

11 Horses, 3 Mares (in foal), and 8 Colts and Fillies, from one to four years old; 13 well-bred Heifers, 6 fat Cattle, and 10 Sheep. Also 3 Wagons, a lot of Harness, and a large number of Farming Implements. There will also be sold quantities of Flour, Seed Wheat and Hay. Terms at sale. For further particulars see handbills.

GEORGE ANDERSON, Auctioneer. New Glasgow, March 24, '83.—wly 2i

FOR SALE OR TO LET,

THE House and Premises on Upper-Grand George Street, adjoining Mr. James Beales', and well known as Terpsichore Hall. Also for Sale, a superior Mason & Hamlin Organ—9 stops; cost \$225. Will be sold at a bargain. Apply on the premises. E. BURRIS. March 14—2aw wksft wly

MORTGAGE SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale, contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the sixteenth day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, made between Samuel Nosworthy Esq. and Esther Julia Esq., his wife, of the one part, and Thomas Heath Haviland, of the other part, there will be sold, by Public Auction, on Thursday, the seventeenth day of May, next, A. D. 1883, at twelve o'clock, noon, in front of the Law Courts Building, in Charlottetown,—

ALL that tract, piece and parcel of land being the southern half of Town Lot Number Sixty-five, in the third hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at West Street, at the north-west corner of Town Lot Number Fifteen, in the third hundred of Town Lots, aforesaid, thence east along the northern boundary of said Town Lot Number Fifteen eighty-four feet or thereabouts, to Town Lot Number Sixty-six, in the said third hundred of Town Lots, thence north along the western boundary of said Town Lot Number Sixty-six eighty feet, thence at right angles therewith eighty-four feet or thereabouts, to West Street aforesaid, thence south along the eastern side of West Street, to the place of commencement, together with all houses, buildings, rights, members and appurtenances thereto belonging.

For further particulars apply to Mr. Eustace H. Haviland, Solicitor, Charlottetown. Dated this thirteenth day of February, A. D. 1883.

T. HEATH HAVILAND, Mortgagee. Feb. 14, '83.—wed till sale

THE CHAMPION CREAMER!

RECEIVED the First Prize at the Dominion Exhibition at Montreal, 1880. Diploma at the Dominion Exhibition at Halifax, 1881; also First Prize and Tickets of Honorable Mention, and Highly Commended at each of our Exhibitions last year, by His Honor Governor Haviland. The Champion Creamer has been on trial and put to the severest test by a number of experienced dairymen all over this Dominion, and has secured the highest praise for its many good qualities.

Saving of Labor, Sweet Cream, Pure Sweet Butter, Sweet Skin Milk, &c., &c.

His Honor Governor Haviland and James Peake, A. D. C. have kindly given an authority to use their names in recommending the Champion Creamer to the Farmers and Dairymen of Prince Edward Island, also a host of Ladies and Gentlemen, in fact every person that has used them are delighted, and say, be sure you get the Champion Creamer. Send for Circular, mailed free. Parties in want of a Creamer early in the season, first send in their order at once (first come, first served) as we expect a grand rush. It is the unanimous verdict of all who have tried them that the Champion Creamer is the best.

Reliable Agents wanted to travel through the country. R. K. BRACE, Agent for P. E. I. Charlottetown, March 23, 1883.—wly 6m

27 To Country Merchants, a special discount in lots. Call at the Family Grocery, and see sample. R. K. B.

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Farm and Mill Property