

A SUGGESTION.

Sir,—As no other stock can be improved on the Government Stock Farm, I suggest that the Premier Peters stock it with 5,000 cats and 5,000 rats.

CULLODEN RELICS.

At a sale in Inverness, recently, of Culloden furniture and relics, a dining table used by Prince Charles was sold for £392.

MESSAGE TO MEN

Proving that True Honesty and True Patriotism by Still Exist. If any man who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthfully, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood.

LE ROI MINE.

Mr. S. D. Scott, writing from Rossland to the St. John Sun, says: This mine has paid in dividends over \$400,000, at the rate of \$25,000 a month.

PROVINCIAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Prize Meeting. At Kensington range to-day the scene is decidedly animated. The fine weather has attracted a large number of volunteers who are entering enthusiastically into the different competitions.

LIEUT.-GOVERNOR'S MATCH.

Table listing names and scores for the Lieut.-Governor's Match, including Reg Stewart, Bandsman, C.A. \$10.00, J Longworth, Lt Col, C.A. \$9.00, etc.

BANKER'S MATCH.

Table listing names and scores for the Banker's Match, including Geo Blue, Pte, 6th 82nd, \$8.00, Wilfred McDonald, Sgt, 6th 82nd, \$7.00, etc.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

I. O. O. F.—Meeting of Court Avondale tonight at 8 o'clock.

THE WEATHER.—Fresh to strong easterly and southerly winds. Showery weather.

NOTICE.—All persons owing for poll tax had better attend to the same, as after the 15th day of August executions will be issued.

S. O. E. EXCURSION.—Be sure and attend the Sons of England Excursion to New Glasgow on Monday next, tickets only \$1.25 return.

A NEW J. P.—The Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint James McNeill, of St. Catherine's, a Justice of the Peace for Queen's County.

THE ACADIAN.—The Steamer Acadian of the Dobell Line arrived here last evening from Montreal and sailed at 5 o'clock this morning for St. John's, Nfld., and Sydney, C. B.

MOONLIGHT.—A pleasant sail with music on the water at the moonlight excursion by Charlottetown Lodge on the steamer Jacques Cartier, next Monday night. Don't forget it. Tickets 25 cents.

POLICE COURT.—A number of young men for fighting on Upper Great George and Euston Streets on Saturday night last have been given an opportunity of explaining the matter before the Stipendiary Magistrate on Saturday next.

I. O. F.—The High Court of the I. O. F. will meet at Summerside, tomorrow and Friday. On Friday evening a lecture will be delivered in the Market Hall by the Rev. Alex. McGillivray, of Toronto, editor of the Independent Forester.

A YACHT IN PORT.—The steam yacht Eugenia, of the New York Yacht Squadron, and owned by Mr. Gazette, of Philadelphia, came into port last evening. She is bound for the Restigouche but will probably remain here for a few days.

THE ST. ANN'S TEA.—The date of this tea, Wednesday the 18th inst., should be remembered by all who wish to avail themselves of a chance to visit one of the loveliest portions of the Island. An enjoyable day will be spent by all who attend this tea party.

RACES AT HALIFAX.—The race programme for the races at the N. S. Provincial Exhibition to be held at Halifax from September 28th, to October 1st is as follows: First day: 2:35 class; running race for Maritime Province bred horses, 1 mile; 2:25 class; running race for ponies; running race for truckmen. Second day: 3 minute class; Free for all; 2:35 class for pacers; running race for ponies; running race, open to hackmen. Third day: 2:20 class, 2:45 class. Entries close on September 11th, except for 2:45 class which close August 16th. Further particulars may be obtained on addressing Mr. J. E. Wood, Secretary, Halifax.

I. O. O. F.—The following members of the I. O. O. F., left this morning for Pictou, N. S., where they will have the honor of exemplifying Lodge work before the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Lower Provinces: C C McNeill, J J McKinnon, W E Strickland, John T Martin, Daniel Morrison, William Small, John McNeill, George Chandler, Thomas Goodwill, Philip Bridges, Fred W Prowse, Fred Seiple, Trevor Waller, Robt Rattray, George S Pearson, J S Nelson, Benjamin Bremner, Alex McRae, A J Houle, James Waddell, W A Hawley, Frank Muncey, W C Whitlock. It is expected that there will be a large attendance of Oddfellows from the provinces. The Lodge opens tomorrow, and will probably be in session a couple of days.

AT REST.—The funeral of the late Mrs Osborne, wife of Rev. Dr. Osborne, who died at St. Eleanor's on Thursday morning last, took place at St. John's Church, St. Eleanor's, Friday afternoon, the funeral services being conducted by Revs. H. F. Dixon and T. H. Hunt, M. A. The pall bearers were Messrs. H. C. Gillis, David Rogers, Summerside; Wm. Andrew, Wm. T. Hunt, John Craswell and Hubert Compton, St. Eleanor's. The deceased lady was of a most amiable disposition, and was greatly beloved by all who enjoyed the pleasure of her acquaintance. She leaves a sorrowing husband, four sons and three daughters, who have the sincere sympathy of their many friends throughout the province.—Journal.

WEDDING AT ST. ANDREW'S.—The very prettiest wedding in this vicinity, for several years, took place at St. Andrew's last Tuesday, the contracting parties being Miss Janet McDonald, daughter of the late Joseph McDonald, St. Andrew's, and Mr. James H. McDonald, son of the late Joseph McDonald, "Garaballa." The ceremony was performed by Mgr. McDonald, assisted by Rev. D. F. McDonald, uncle of the bride. The church was beautifully decorated with roses. The marriage took place at 9 o'clock, a. m., a great many friends and relations of the bride being present. A grand dinner at the home of her mother was followed by a pleasant drive to Pisiquid, supper and dancing galore. The bride was dressed in grey silk and was attended by Miss Ellie Sullivan, St. Peters, Mr. John McDonald, Pisiquid, stood up with the groom. We wish Mr. and Mrs. McDonald a long, prosperous and happy life.

Two cases of English tweeds and worsteds now opened direct from London. New patterns and beautiful colorings.—D. A. Bruce.

Two cases gent's Furnishings opened to-day at D. A. Bruce's.

SECOND WEEK THE CROWDS

That thronged our Blouse Department last week will no doubt be larger this week, as we have added other lines. They are all broken lots at broken prices.



All Blouses formerly sold at 85c. to \$1.10 at the clearing price of 60c. All Blouses formerly sold at \$1.25 to \$1.40 at the clearing price of 90c.

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THE EXAMINER OFFICE. QUEEN STREET

Druggists' Early Closing

We the undersigned druggists of this city, hereby agree to close our several places of business, at 9 p. m. every night, excepting Saturdays, until the end of Sep

GEO. E. HUGHES, A. W. REDDIN, Wm. R. WATSON, JOHNSON & JOHNSON, REDDIN BROS., S. W. DODD. The above goes into effect on Monday evening, Aug. 9th.

TENDERS

Tenders for the construction of a brick and stone church, to be erected at Mount Carmel, P. E. I. for Rev. P. P. Arsenault, will be received up to August 23rd 1897, at the Architect's office. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the undersigned's office. R. P. LEMAY, Architect. Ch'town, Aug 10—dy246 pat

Advertisement for bicycles: Rather than carry over a few Bicycles we will sell them at next year's prices. ALSO REFRIGERATORS DODD & ROGERS

PERSONAL

Premier Peters has returned to town. Geo. Stanley, of Stanley Bros., arrived in Ireland yesterday morning. Mr. H. V. Buntain, of Peake Bros. & Co., has gone to Chatham for a holiday. Mr. Art Saunders, of the Anglo-American Telegraph Company's staff, is off on his holidays, which he will spend on the Island. Mr. Hildy Duchemin leaves tomorrow for Quebec, where he will spend a few days in the interests of Mr. James Barrett, Miss Borden, daughter of Hon. F. W. Borden, Minister of Militia, is spending a few weeks on the Island. She is at Miss Moore's, Poplar Terrace. Mr. Isaac Auld, formerly of P. E. I., now of Boston, accompanied by Mrs. Auld has been making a tour of the B. I. Provinces, including the Beautiful Annapolis Valley and across the Bay of Fundy to St. John, thence to Prince Edward Island, where Mrs. Auld is now making a visit to her parents.—Guardian. The house of Mr. John McKinnon, Canoe Cove, was struck and considerably shattered, both outside and inside. Mrs. McKinnon was stunned by the shock, and was senseless for a considerable period of time. Queen Hotel: W P Allen, Mont cal; G L Hanson, Truro, N.S.; L T Holland, St. John; Mr and Mrs Nairn and two daughters Toronto, Ont; Mrs C Owen, Geo'town; Mr McDonald and wife, Jacksonville, Florida; Miss Alice McDonald, Boston; I L Hawkins, Quebec; J R Rattery, Alberta. Revere Hotel: George B McNutt, Darnley; Murdoch McLean and wife, North Wiltshire; Sheriff McDonald, Montague; Miss Williams, New York; Daniel Robertson, Brudenell; W L Poole, Montague Bridge; James Robertson, Bonshaw; D Wedlock, Stanley Bridge; Mrs Wheeler and child, Bangor. Hotel Davies: Wm McKie, F Coffin John S McKenzie, W A Bailey and wife, J S Handrahan and wife, Mrs M H Norfolk, Mrs H W Dormier, S F Floyd and wife, Miss Marjorie Henderson, Miss Jennie Dormier, Jack Norfolk, Jessie Floyd, Thomas Short, F Kestenes and wife, Miss McIntyre, Boston; Mr and Mrs T Henry Ashby, Mrs Charles Bockin, Miss M J McCahan, Miss E B McCahan, W J McCahan, Frank Halpin, Miss Annie S Beck, Miss A M Stephens, Mr and Mrs Isaac Schelieter, Master Schelieter, Miss J L Ritter, Mrs C Shudt, Mr and Mrs B H Gadbury, W S Stockton, Philadelphia; J McKenzie, Baffale; Mrs Martin, Dundas; I C Hall, Hotel Acadia; H E Ellis, St John, N. B.; D F McDonald, Montague; G E Broadfield, Toronto; Mr and Mrs Wm McIntyre, St John, N. B.; John MacKenzie, Halifax; Mr and Mrs T Crawford and Master Crawford, Phila; John D Burns, Thos Douglas, R F Merlio, Halifax; James Rodger, Montreal; J D Chapman, L W Higgins, St John, N. B.; A F Morrow, Lynn, Mass.

During a fire in the Northwestern elevator at Chicago one day last week an explosion occurred, which resulted in four persons being killed and a number injured.

It is rumored at Ottawa that the Laurierites who remain at the Capital have carried on their work of destroying the civil service and especially of superannuating capable officials to make places for grit heelers, to such an outrageous extent, that the Governor-General has called a halt, and recently returned a batch of superannuating orders in council unsigned.

Advertisement for Royal Baking Powder: Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious. ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

RACES AT AVONDALE.

There will be a race for horses in the 2:38 class and a green race at Prairie Track (one of the best tracks on the Island), Avondale, Lot 49, on THURSDAY, August 19. A liberal purse will be provided. Refreshments on the grounds. Admittance 20 cents; boys half price; ladies free. Races will begin at 1 p. m. sharp. Entries will close August 15th at 6 p. m. If the day is not favorable the races will be held on the Saturday following. JOSEPH FRASER, Avondale, Lot 49.