

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

OCTOBER 25, 1883.

The Business Outlook.

THE prospect of high prices for the raw products of our farms, is not just now very bright. The reason is "a fairly good crop everywhere." An English correspondent, referring to the English harvest, says that "taking hay, grain, grass, roots, all into consideration, this has been one of those all-round good seasons that would be difficult to excel." Similar reports come from the European Continent and from the American Continent, though it is stated that the crop returns of the Upper Provinces of Canada are rather shorter than they were in the very good years of 1882 and 1881. This is a result which is generally satisfactory—one on which the world at large may congratulate itself and for which it should thank a kind and gracious Providence. Certainly it is not for us to complain if, on account of it, prices rule low, and "the fall trade is dull." Those of our farmers who are in debt will, of course, sell at the best prices they can get, a sufficient quantity of their produce to satisfy the just demands of their creditors; and there will remain on the Island more roots and grain to feed to the stock; and the stock will fetch a better price in the spring or be in better condition for home uses; and the wool will be better and the manure will be better than if the raw produce fed to the sheep, cattle, horses, etc., had been marketed this fall. The advantages, too, of keeping their raw products and converting them into more refined products, such as beef, mutton, pork, horseflesh, etc., will be forced home upon our farmers more closely than they have been; and thus the lesson of the low prices will be beneficial. In the economy of the farm nothing need be wasted—nothing ought to be wasted no matter what the present abundance. Should there remain in the spring, after the feeding-time is over, a balance of potatoes, oats, etc., it is quite possible, in our opinion it is probable, that they may then be disposed of at fairly good prices. So let nothing be thrown away.

It is not likely that the flurry among the business men of Montreal will, at all hurt the interests of the Island. At the worst, it may force down the prices of goods somewhat, and thus result in benefiting the consumers at the expense of the manufacturers and merchants. But the more closely the causes of the "flurry" are inquired, into the less reality there seems to be about them. The facts show that leading firms, who were reported in difficulty, were never in a better position than they are now, and that the difficulties of the leading firms who are in deep water, are merely temporary. A few firms have fallen; but as Mr. Johnson, Manager of the Commercial Agency of Dun, Wiman & Co., of Montreal, says:—

"Most of the stoppages we have seen have been created by the most natural causes—would occur in the best of times and carry but little significance with them—in so far as their reflection upon a community is concerned. If such interests drop quietly out from time to time it is a positive help."

In other words the failures have been largely due to the ignorant, imprudent, over-speculative men who should not be in business at all.

Throughout Canada, as a whole, care seems to have been exercised. Imports have been curtailed all round. According to the *Canada Gazette* they were, for the eight months, from February to September, of this year, \$26,059,000, against \$29,900,000 for the same period of last year. This is an evidence of a conservative policy which will save from any very serious trouble the great body of the business men of Canada, and which, being adopted in conjunction with a rapid increase in the numbers and wealth of our population, will, we trust, ensure a remunerative home market for all the products of our own young and rising factories.

--The death of the Rev. Mathew Richey, D. D., a venerable and faithful Minister of the Methodist Church of Canada, and father of the present Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, is announced. In the year 1824 Dr. Richey came out to British America, and in the following year he entered the Ministry of the Methodist Church. Subsequently he was appointed principal of the Upper Canada College, a position which he held for some years with much acceptance. From 1856 to 1860 he was President of the Eastern British American Conference, and here again he discharged the duties appertaining to his high office, with deserved approbation. Previous to the Confederation of the Provinces, Dr. Richey was stationed in this city, where he ministered to the wants of the Methodist congregation. He was an eloquent accomplished and thoughtful preacher. During his residence here he made many warm and attached friends who will bear of his death with much regret, but who will ever continue to revere his memory. For some time past Dr. Richey's failing health prevented his taking an active part in Church affairs, and on Tuesday last he passed away. There are few who leave a better record than his.

The velocity of a flash of lightning is at the rate of about 288,000 miles per second, and its duration estimated not to exceed the sixtieth part of a second. Therefore when a man proposes to do a thing as quick as lightning, he cannot afford to be all day about it.

Trotting at Upton Park.

The races at Upton Park, yesterday, passed off pleasantly and successfully. Two races—the gentlemen's driving and four-year-olds—were completed, but the free-for-all did not fill. In the gentlemen's driving four horses started, viz:—Mr. William Groom's br. m. Belle Bunting, Mr. William McKie's br. h. Dean Swift, Mr. A. N. Large's g. g. Hopeful, and Mr. S. R. Stumples by s. Honest John. From the beginning it was evident the contest for first money was between Belle Bunting and Dean Swift. They were well matched, and though Belle won in three straight heats, she could not afford to make a mistake, as Dean kept at his wheel and threatened the go-by several times. The race for third place, between Hopeful and Honest John, was gamey, and although Hopeful took third position twice, Tom was proud to capture it in the second heat, after a very sharp contest. The time in this race—considering the horses were not fitted and the heavy track—was very good. The first and second named horses trotted admirably. Bell during the three heats did not break once, but trotted as steady and faithfully as the best trained of animals, while Dean showed himself to possess splendid style, easy gait, and a level head during the race.

In the four-year-old race three horses started, viz: William Scott's bk m. Nellie Scott, Mr. Wallace Rodd's g m. Minnie Grey, and Mr. Geo. Nuttall's b m. Minnie Mack. It was sharply contested by Nellie S., and Minnie Mack. They proved themselves to be very superior four-year-olds, by so gamely fighting throughout the race for first place. In the first heat Minnie Mack led from the start, and was closely followed by Nellie S., with Minnie Grey a few lengths behind. On the home stretch Nellie was sent under the whip, passing under the wire neck-and-neck, with Minnie Grey third. This was declared a dead heat. The next two heats were trotted admirably. Nellie S. led from the start and trotted both with Minnie Mack in close pursuit, without a break. The driver of Minnie Mack at the finish entered a protest that Nellie S. was a five-year-old, but it was proven she was only four. She was then declared winner with Minnie Mack second. Nellie S. is a King Bird, sired by Stewart's King Bird, St. Peter's Road. She is a fine four-year-old, and very creditable to her owner, Mr. Scott.

At the close of the race the spectators after a free drive over the course dispersed in the best of order.

Lord Lansdowne.

THE NEW GOVERNOR GENERAL—A BRILLIANT RECEPTION AT QUEBEC.

His Excellency the Marquis of Lansdowne, arrived at 8.45 on Tuesday morning, from the steamship "Circassian," in the Government steamer "Druid," and landed at the Queen's Wharf. There they were received by a guard of honor composed of "A" Battery. He was driven to the library of the Provincial Government buildings, where the inaugural ceremony took place with the customary eclat. The walls were hung with bunting and the throne was covered with crimson cloth and surmounted by a canopy. Behind the single seat placed upon the dais were the crests and mottoes of the Lorne and Lansdowne families. In the centre of the room was placed a long table, at which sat the Federal Cabinet ministers, all being in Windsor gold lace uniform, with the exception of the Hon. John Carling and the Hon. Frank Smith. Sir John Macdonald sat at the head of the table. The other ministers sat in the following order: On the right of Sir John—Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, Hon. A. P. Caron, Hon. John Costigan, Hon. Frank Smith and Hon. John Carling; on the other side—Sir Leonard Tilley, Sir H. Langevin, Sir Alex. Campbell, Hon. Mr. MacPherson, Hon. Mr. McEwen, Hon. J. A. Chapleau. At the foot of the table sat Mr. John J. McGee, clerk of the privy council, having in his keeping the great seal of the Dominion of Canada, the minute book of the privy council and the Bible. The seats on the left were reserved for the judges of the supreme court, Sir Wm. Ritchie, chief justice, and judges Henry, Fournier, and Gwynne, all being present. As soon as all had taken their places, Lord Melgund read the commission appointing the most hon. the Marquis of Lansdowne to the governor-generalship of Canada in place of his excellency the Marquis of Lorne. The clerk of the privy council, Mr. John G. McGee, approached the head of the table, with the Bible in his hand, and Sir William Ritchie, chief justice of the supreme court, advanced towards the new governor-general, bowing separately to Lord Lorne and Lord Lansdowne and placed before the latter the oath of allegiance which was then administered. The chief justice subsequently administered the oath of office as governor-general of Canada, and His Excellency the Marquis of Lansdowne took his seat at the head of the table, and subscribed his name to the same, after which the chief justice and all the judges present of the supreme court affixed their names in testimony of the same. The Marquis of Lorne, who had been standing in front of the throne, having performed his last official act as governor-general of Canada, stepped down from the dais, thereby abdicating in favor of his successor.

Our Advertisers.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The Gloucester Election Case.

OTTAWA, Oct. 25. In the Supreme Court yesterday, the Gloucester election appeal, *Comeau vs. Burns*, was dismissed with costs, against Petitioner. The argument in the case of the City of Halifax vs. Walker was then commenced.

A C. P. and G. T. Difficultly Ended

OTTAWA, Oct. 25. The dispute between the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railway companies, regarding the connection of the North Shore Railway with the Grand Trunk via Jacques Cartier Junction Road, having been referred to the railway committee of the Privy Council, the parties interested appeared before that tribunal yesterday, when the Canada Pacific Company yielded the privileges claimed by the Grand Trunk.

The Pictou Branch Railway.

OTTAWA, Oct. 25. Hon. Messrs. Pipes and Fielding, of the Nova Scotia Government, returned from Toronto yesterday. The Federal authorities have submitted in writing their reasons for delaying the transfer of the Pictou Branch.

The Duty on Imported Fruits.

OTTAWA, Oct. 25. The Toronto fruit merchants have been successful in their controversy with the Customs officials regarding the duties on imported fruits.

A \$10,000 Judgment.

OTTAWA, Oct. 25. Judgment for ten thousand dollars has been made against M. Victor Hudon, on his deposits in Montreal, Jacques Cartier, Peoples, and National banks.

Relief Wanted.

LONDON, Oct. 25. A despatch from Teheran says that unless immediate relief is forth-coming hundreds of persons, whose houses were wrecked by the recent earthquake, will die from fever and exposure.

A Horrible Tragedy.

NEW-COMERS-TOWN, OHIO, Oct. 25. Intelligence has just been received of a most horrible tragedy. Albert Finzer, living in Fryers creek valley, near here, murdered his wife and three children and then suicided. Finzer had been very dispondent owing to a doctor having advised him to quit work on account of ill health.

Evacuating Lima.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25. The Chilianians have evacuated Lima, and Gen. Galesais has re-entered the city.

The Explosion at Wilkesburre.

WILKESBURRE, Pa., Oct. 25. Of those injured in yesterday's explosion only three are alive, the others having since died.

Murderous Assault at Pettitcodiac.

PETTITCODIAC, N. B., Oct. 25. A tramp entered the house of Mr. Geo. McCann, yesterday, and made a murderous assault on Mrs. McCann, cutting her throat very badly with a pocket knife. He then fled, and no trace of him has yet been found.

The Haytien Massacre.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25. An official list furnished the local representatives of Hayti by that Government, showed that only thirty persons lost their lives during the massacre instead of fifteen hundred.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, October 25—10 a. m.

Strong winds and moderate gales from the northeast and northwest, cloudy weather with heavy rain clearing in the western portion towards evening.

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CHRISTMAS, 1883.

G. H. HAZARD,

HAS NOW RECEIVED HIS

PRANG'S CHRISTMAS CARDS,

FOR SEASON 1883-4.

Ch'town, Oct. 25, 1883.

CHURCH MEETING.

A MEETING of the members and adherents of the Prince Street Presbyterian Church, Charlottetown, will be held at the Church, on MON DAY, the 29th inst., at 8 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of giving advice to the Trustees in reference to the sale of the Church property.

All members and adherents are requested to attend. D. McNEILL, Sec'y Trustees. Ch'town, Oct. 25, 1883

EXHIBITION WEEK!

WE invite the Citizens and those who may be visiting the Town, during the week of Exhibition, to the inspection of our immense stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS

WE HAVE JUST PLACED UPON OUR SHELVES THE CONTENTS OF

Two Hundred and Sixty Bales and Cases,

OF ENGLISH, AMERICAN, AND CANADIAN,

DRY GOODS,

Comprising everything necessary for Household and General use.

Varieties complete in every Department at the Very Lowest Prices for Cash.

UPWARDS OF

Fifteen Thousand Grain Bags,

And a Large Stock of Very Choice

CHINESE AND INDIAN TEAS,

Wholesale and Retail.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Charlottetown, Oct. 6, 1883

LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS!

W. & A. BROWN & CO.,

HAVE now opened 140 Cases and Bales of New and Fashionable Dry Goods.

100 pieces Ulster Cloths, bought at half price. 100 pieces Mantle Cloth, bought at half price. 1,000 Wool Squares, very cheap.

200 pieces Wineys, 50 boxes Silk Fringe, 30 " Shirtings, 25 " Silk Plushes, 500 " Prints, 50 " Velvetens, 100 " Scotch Tweeds, 30 " Silk Velvets, 50 " Worsted Coatings, 50 " Frillings, 50 " Scarlet Flannels, 300 Jackets and Dolmans.

At twenty per cent less than prices of former years. Also, One Hundred Cases and Bales Canadian Manufactured Goods, Very Cheap.

All Goods we are selling very cheap this Season.

Wholesale and Retail. 60 PIECES CARPET DAILY EXPECTED.

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Ch'town, Oct. 6, 1882.—dy wkly.

GRAND EXHIBITION

The Very Latest Novelties,

OF THE ENGLISH, FRENCH, AND AMERICAN MARKETS,

FOR THE FALL OF 1883.

In Dress Goods, Shawls, Corsets, Trimmings, Mantles, Velvets, etc., Knit Wool Goods, Mantle Cloths, Kid Mitts and Gloves, Laces, Fur Caps and Muffs, Feathers, Flowers, Hosiery, etc.

Mens' and Boys' Ready-made Clothing, at the lowest prices, Worsteds, Tweeds, Pilot and Beaver Cloths, Mens' and Boys' Hats and Caps, Underclothing, Scarfs, etc., very cheap, Parks' Warp, cheap. Cash Buyers can depend on getting bargains in every department, wholesale and retail.

JOHN MACPHEE & CO, ROBERT ORR'S OLD STAND. Ch'town, Oct. 4, 1883.—2aw wkly.

STORM SIGNAL MAST.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 5th November, next, for the erection of a

Storm Signal Mast,

at the Railway premises, Charlottetown, in accordance with a plan and specification to be seen at the office of

H. J. CUNDALL. Ch'town, Oct. 25, 1883.—1w dly pat.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Dawson & LePage, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due and owing by the Implement part of the business will be settled by H. T. LePage, and all the amounts due and owing by the Farm part of the business will be settled by W. F. Dawson.

WM. T. DAWSON, HENRY L. LEPAGE. Ch'town, P. E. I., Oct. 23rd, 1883.—cod w ft

The Agricultural Implement business will be continued by the subscriber, who takes the present opportunity of thanking the numerous customers of the late firm for the liberal patronage received, and solicits a continuance of the same, and will in future, as in the past, use every effort to procure the best Agricultural Implements in the market.

H. T. LEPAGE. Ch'town, Oct. 24, 1883.

LIGHT. LIGHT.

PERSONS who may wish to illuminate their shop windows and stores during the Xmas and New Year's season, should use the McKenzie Rappley Light, now in use at Diamond Bookstore. These burners give double the light that can be obtained from ordinary burners, consuming the same quantity of gas. Orders should be given at the Gas Works early, to ensure their being obtained in good season.

Ch'town, Oct. 23, 1882.—1m cod

LABRADOR HERRING, DAILY EXPECTED.

600 BARRELS per brigt. "Maxwellton." Apply to

DAVID SMALL, Queen's Wharf. Ch'town, Oct. 23, 1883.

BRICK FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber has on hand and offers for sale, about

100,000 BRICK,

which he will deliver at Vernon River Bridge or at his Brickyard.

FRANCIS FINNIGAN, Vernon River, Oct. 19.—2aw wkly 11 pd

FINAL NOTICE.

PERSONS indebted to the undersigned, before the 2nd July last, will take notice that they can settle with me up to the 25th October, after which date the Books, etc., will pass out of my hands.

J. D. McLEOD, Oct. 18, '83.—3i cod wly 11 date

I WANT TO SELL

THE suit of Turkish Par'or Furniture in Tapestry, shown at the Exhibition in this city, to parties wanting the same. A good bargain may be expected.

Call and examine at corner of King and Great George streets.

WM. E. HICKEY. Ch'town, Oct. 13, 1883.

WANTED.

SEVERAL VESSELS, 60 to 150 tons register, to load Prince Edward Island produce for Newfoundland and West Indies.

ALSO, Two (2) Vessels, about 200 tons register, to load for England,—AND one (1) about 250 tons, for United Kingdom or Continent.

Good rates and quick despatch. JOHN F. ROBERTSON. Ch'town, Sept. 26, 1883.—pat eod

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WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

STRAYED—from John Burrows' pasture, about 4 weeks ago, a LIGHT-RED COW, 6 or 7 years old, with top off horns. Any person giving information as to her whereabouts, will be rewarded by SAUNDERS & CAMPBELL. [Oct. 24, 1883.—w

LOST—On 18th inst., at North River Road, a Horse Ring. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at THE EXAMINER Office. [Oct 20

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Nurse-maid to go to Stellarton, N. S. Apply to Mrs. COL. GRAY, Inkerman House. [Oct 19

FOR SALE—A Stewart Cooking Range, in use one year. Good as new. Highly recommended.—H. J. CUNDALL. [Oct 19

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A House-maid, in a small family. Apply at this office. [Oct 17

LET and possession given immediately the two-story Dwelling House, corner of Prince and Fitzroy streets. Apply on the premises to J. FRASER or W. E. DAWSON. [Oct 2

FOUND—At Canoe Cove, Lot 65, a BOAT, about fifteen feet keel, with one mast and sails. The owner can have her by paying expenses and proving property.—NELL McKINNON, Canoe Cove. [Oct 16

FRENCH LESSONS—A Lady wishes to form a French class, for young girls. For particulars apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [Sep 24