

tees in the rear of the house afforded, when the most substantial part of the proceedings (the repast) was commenced, and got through in a very industrious manner. This being over, the party scattered through the grounds to amuse themselves in various ways. Dancing was commenced on a pretty large scale in Mr. McQuaid's barn, which, although very spacious, was found to be small, owing to the press of business, and all retired to the grove where it was recommenced in real earnest. Quits, too, were in great demand, and we saw some fine performances in that branch. These, with various other amusements, were continued with very short intermissions till 4 o'clock. A spacious gazebo was erected in front of the grove, which also afforded an agreeable shelter from the parching rays of an excessively hot sun. Amongst those who honored the festivities with their presence, we observed His Worship the Mayor of Charlottetown, the Revs. Messrs. Brady, V. G., T. Phelan, J. Phelan, St. Dunstan's College, and J. Cummings; the Hon. Registrar of Deeds, &c. &c. Shortly after 4 o'clock, the signal for departure was given, and the happy party were collected near Mr. McQuaid's house, when the thanks of all present were tendered to that gentleman for his kindness and hospitality, to which he made a suitable reply, and concluded by expressing his joy at the excellent manner in which everything was arranged and conducted, and, so far, brought to conclusion, he was a member of the Society, and would earnestly recommend Irishmen of all persuasions to join it, especially as its object was the relief of our indigent fellow creatures. Mr. McQuaid's remarks were received with applause. The Hon. Mr. Mooney then came forward and favored the assemblage with a few observations, and concluded by giving in a style, such as few but his Honor can—

"The harp that once thro' Tara's Halls." At its conclusion, Mr. Mooney was greeted with deafening cheers. Similar compliments were then paid to the Rev. Mr. Brady, Mr. McQuaid, and Mr. Mitchell, (President), and the party returned in procession to the wharf, and embarked, and, after a short and pleasant run, arrived in town about 9 o'clock, and marched to the Society's Room, where, having given three cheers for His Worship the Mayor, all separated to their homes, delighted with the pleasures of the day.

The Examiner.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., JULY 27, 1857.

THE SANCTIFIED PRESS

Has rendered itself more than usually ridiculous by the display of more than its average amount of stupid mendacity, in an article which saw the light on the 15th instant, to the amazement of the laughter-loving public. The burden of the string of nonsense was the advertisement which lately appeared in the Monitor, over the signature of "Duncan Maclean," on the subject of the Islander and Protector offices having closed their respective doors to his vindication of himself from the abuse of the latter journal, and some comments on the exclusion, which appeared in this paper. The writer or writers of the article, in the commencement state a downright falsehood, when he or they assert that the Islander last session recommended that the petitions for the introduction of the Bible into the public schools "ought to be rejected." We must do our utmost to expose the imposture, and declare that no such silliness appeared in the Islander, in connection with the subject; he merely approved of the rejection of a resolution, after the petitions had been received, and the subject matter of them discussed; and we charge, as falsehood No. 2, of the Sanctified Press, that he manifested any "opposition to Protestantism." We have really no language adequate to express our sense of the easy cool impudence with which a few anonymous slanderers assume the right to the representation of all the Protestant feeling of the Island. They talk as if they, persons unknown to the majority of their Protestant brethren, had taken the souls of the whole Protestant population into their holy keeping, and that beneath their priestly control all Protestants must bow. Now, we happen to know a good many Protestants, and some of those not the least intelligent or educated, who resent this as a very insolent impertinence on the part of this Committee of Public Safety who guide the holy paper—who disapprove of any alteration being made in the present system of using the Bible in our Schools, and would remove their children from them if the proposed change were effected. After a mean and disgracefully malicious allusion to what is gratuitously assumed to be the pecuniary situation of the editor of the Monitor, in which Maclean's advertisement appeared, the writer (we will, for sake of brevity, assume that but one goose incubated this egg), sorely in want of a metaphor, and evidently wielding a maiden pen, discourses most admirable fustian in the following style:—"However the objects of such mean attacks (videlicet, being called slanderers, snobs, &c.) have this relief, that such a course is only resorted to by characters a little more than doubtful, and that the names appended to such ebullitions of low malice give not only an explanation, but seal the condemnation of the ridiculous documents, and serve to elevate the walking curiosity from whom they have emanated to a post of contempt in the eyes of an enlightened community." The italics are our own. The writer, like Hudibras,

"Could not open His mouth but out there came a trope."

We have hitherto had the idea that a person sunk into contempt, but this "learned Theban" determines that he shall not be beneath that feeling, so we will perch him not on a post of contempt, but of disgrace, of which the gallows, the pillory, the stocks, and the editorial chair of the Protector are specimens.

We are next treated to the information so very important to the public, that the unknown editors are "not ashamed to show their faces to the public." We do not intend to impute a want of physical courage to the veiled prophets; in fact, judging from the total absence of the sense of shame which, in their editorial career, they have manifested, we shall content ourselves with the gentle intimation, that if they are not ashamed to show the light of their countenances to the public as avowed editors of the Protector, they certainly ought to be. We are told that they are not afraid of the "artillery of the Examiner and Islander combined." They may not be, while they "have the receipt of farnessed and walk invisible." Their present anonymous abuse of men who openly avow their sentiments, while they allow no one whom they may attack to know from whose quiver the poisoned arrow was taken, and so knowing, let him repel the dastardly assault, and send his assailant limping from the field,—indicates such a "love of fair play," and "open and manly defence," that fighting shadows would be substantial warfare in comparison. As Falstaff says of one of his recruits—"he presents no mark to the enemy, a man may, with as great aim, level at the edge of a penknife."

In conclusion, "we say to the Protector, mind your own affairs, and when you do interfere with your neighbours, take care that you have truth on your side." Reader, the above with "Protector" substituted for "Examiner," actually concludes the article we have been noticing!

"Fine words, I wonder where you stole 'em."

"STREET PREACHING."

Under the above heading, the "secret, black and midnight" editors of the Sanctified Press have, in subservience to the political interests of their task-masters, the old oft-defeated Tory party, endeavoured to sow dissension in the hitherto triumphant ranks of the Liberals, by insinuating that the recent foolish and disgraceful assault on Mr. Barker, when preaching on Pownall Street, was the result of an organized conspiracy on the part of the Catholic members of the community. Now, the motive which prompted the writer of the article is so transparent, that we only notice it for the purpose of showing the vile extremes to which politico-religious papers will descend, to carry out party objects. That the interruption was caused by individuals who belong to the Catholic community, we admit with regret, but that it was committed by them, as members of that community, or that the Catholic Church sanctions such proceedings, we utterly and most emphatically deny. As well might the individual offence of the notorious criminal, murderer Tavell, be adduced as proof of the doctrine of the peaceable Society of Friends, of which he was a member—of the late William Palmer, of Protestants as such, and of Dr. Dodd, and a late Bishop of Clogher, as evidence that the system of the Church of England had its foundations laid in the basis of justification for the most atrocious crimes. No Catholic believes that such is the case, and we doubt not that this "tale of fury, signifying nothing," will fail of its artfully concealed object—that of alienating Protestant from Catholic, and arraying in the field of political strife, under opposing banners, those who have hitherto borne the heat and burden of the day in loyal union. Since the foolish interruption to which we have made reference, Mr. Barker has preached in the very heart of the City, on Queen's Square, without the slightest interference on the part of any—Protestant or Catholic; and we trust that, if he affects that style of exercising his lungs, he may, by all means, be indulged to his full scope.

The assertion that the Catholics know not what civil and religious liberty means, is a beautiful comment on the Barons who wrested from the weak and vacillating tyrant, John, the glory of English Law and Lawyers—the world-famed Magna Charta; and we treat with all the contempt which its stupid malignity merits, the assertion, that Catholics wish to treat everything Protestant with derision, &c.

We care not to notice the abuse showered upon Catholics, that article being the staple on which the Sanctified Press relies for its unhalloved existence; nor shall we take more than a mere glance, en passant, at the specimens of elegant composition which the great unknown, whose goose quill, strongly reminiscent of the parent bird, has betrayed his pious zeal into such specimens of English. (alas! no longer undefiled,) that "the notion must be combated and put down, that no man has a right to assault his neighbour." The spirit of the defunct cackler must have felt a sense of shame unknown to its living congeners, including the editorial corps of the Protector, at its once living plumage having come to such "base uses at last."

The writer in a succeeding paragraph asks, with most amusing gravity, "why the Mayor did not at once lay hands on the ringleaders, and call upon all right-minded and loyal men to assist him, and then show the disturbers of the peace, that they could not do so with impunity!" Now if there were many ringleaders, Briareus might have acted as it is said the Mayor ought to have, for it would have required the exercise of more than one pair of hands to have seized many ringleaders at once, but perhaps this effusion may have been the strained effort of the mind of one of the sanctified editors, who, having received in his own proper person great benefit by the imposition of the hands of his bishop at his ordination, has inadvertently considered that imposition of hands by Mr. Mayor Hutchinson might not only convert the peccant opponents of Mr. Barker, but really make the offenders qualified to take their turn at the Editorial department of the eminently Christian Protector. We trust that the Mayor had no idea of selling "the right-minded and loyal men" by calling on them for their assistance, and then show "the disturbers of the peace" that they, (the "right-minded and loyal") could not do so with impunity. The absurd stupidity of the above is really exquisite, and Mrs. Malaprop herself must have stood sponsor at the font for the writer.

As to the prate about "Liberalism with Roman Catholics," the political with the religious element—we can quietly dismiss the nonsense, by referring to the instances, not few or far between, where Catholic influence has returned Protestants to power and place, even in preference to their own co-religionists; and have never manifested the spirit to use their Protestant fellow countrymen for the advancement of their own church, which they do not desire to mix up with political questions, further than has been necessary on various occasions in the world's history, to assert and obtain political equality with their Protestant fellow subjects.

CHARLOTTETOWN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The semi-annual exhibition of the above institution was held on Wednesday, the 15th instant, in the Barrack Square. The show of flowers was far better than we had anticipated, and proved that there is an increasing taste for growing the most splendid varieties both in the house and garden. The strawberries—a variety of the hantbois—would have done credit to any country. We noticed that the cultivation of every species of vegetable, whether of necessity or luxury, is gradually approaching to that perfection which it is so desirable to encourage, as tending to elevate the character of the Island and invite strangers to settle. There is no impediment in the way, but nature on the contrary has afforded every facility that a generous, fertile soil and genial climate can confer, all that is wanting is science and industry well applied. The day was remarkably fine, and there was a good display of beauty and fashion on the ground, and enlivening strains of music from Mr. Lobban's Band added to the other attractions of the scene.

Table listing horticultural items and prices, including Bouquet of Roses, Strawberries, and various flowers.

Table listing produce items like Best Fuschia, Best Chinese Primrose, and various fruits.

Table listing produce items like Best Gooseberries, Best Strawberries, and Best Black Currants.

Table listing produce items like Best Peck new Potatoes, Government House Garden, and various vegetables.

Table listing produce items like Some very fine Cauliflowers, Mr. Bryanton's Rhubarb Stalk, and various other items.

Married.

By the Rev. Charles Lloyd, on Thursday the 24 July, Mr. John Robertson, of Brackley Point Road, to Miss Jane Dewar, second daughter of the late John Dewar, Deacon, Mount Salem, Lot 48.

Died.

Lately at Rusico, Christiana Duncan, the beloved wife of Mr. Andrew Grigg, of this place. At Albion Cottage, Three Rivers, on Sabbath the 12th instant, Mr. George Aitken, aged 78 years.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN. ENTERED. JULY 16—Schr. Saranae, Hutchinson, Pictou; mails and passengers. 17—Curlow, Mattatell, Tatmagouche; boards. Sovereign, Purdy, Pugwash; limestone. 18—President, Condon, fishing voyage; mackerel. Dove, Campbell, Miranichi; slung. 20—Bella, Sprague, Bay Verte; dead. Was Nelson, Silbker, Bay Verte; do. Angedique, Babin, Port Hood; Lincoutre. Bee, M'Fae, Pictou; coal. Bee, Oulton, Bay Verte; dead. Saranae, Hutchinson, Pictou; mails and passengers. Queen of the Isles, Fougere, Sydney; coal. Conservative, M'Fadyen, Shechem; deals. Milo, Melissae, New York; goods. Sarah Jane, Higley, River John; boards. Velocity, Michaux, Bushong; deals. Charles Weldon, M'Lean, Rich-bucton; sundries. 22—Lively Lass, Robertson, Pictou; coal.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. City Clerk's Office, 25th July, 1857. THE City Council has appointed Mr. John Higgins to be Assayer of Weights and Measures for the City of Charlottetown, in room of Mr. John Boyver, deceased. By order, W. B. WELLNER, City Clerk.

CARRIAGES. BY AUCTION, ON SATURDAY, THE FIRST DAY OF AUGUST next, in front of the Subscriber's SALEROOM, QUEEN STREET, at 1 o'clock, 4 very superior New WAGGONS, 2 do GIGS. Terms easy. July 27, 1857. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

FALL 1857. THE REGULAR TRADER SHIP ISABEL, ALEXANDER McDONALD, Commander, will leave Liverpool, England, early in September next, direct for this City. For Freight or Passage, please apply to ANDREW DUNCAN, Esq., 12 Baltic Buildings, Liverpool; or to DUNCAN, MASON & Co. Charlottetown, July 27, 1857.

RACES, RACES. A MEETING will be held at the "Agricultural Hall," on WEDNESDAY EVENING, the 5th of August, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a RACING CLUB, when all friends of the Turf are respectfully requested to attend. Charlottetown, July 27, 1857. Isl.

Freehold Property for Sale in Charlottetown. THE subscriber offers for sale his HOUSE and PROPERTY in Charlottetown, situate on King Street, and adjacent to Prince Street Wharf, and nearly opposite the late residence of John Brecken, Esq., comprising part of Town Lot No. 22, in the First Hundred of Town Lots, and in breadth 44 x 28 feet. The HOUSE, which has a stone-walled cellar, is 36 x 30 feet, with ten well-finished rooms; also, an OUT-STORE in the yard, 40 x 20 feet, two stories high, and a never failing Well of Water.

Another plot of GROUND, adjacent to the above, at a moderate Lease, containing in front 42 x 80 feet; the whole being in good order and condition. If not sold by Private Sale, the whole will be offered at Auction on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of August next, on the premises. Terms may be known on application to Mr. H. W. LOBBAN, or to the undersigned, July 27, 1857. JOHN P. OXLEY.

KERR'S Felling, Dyeing and Cloth Dressing Mills, Middle River, Pictou, Nova Scotia.

THE ABOVE MILLS having been recently fitted up with the latest improvements in Machinery, on a never failing stream of water, the Subscribers tender their services to the inhabitants of P. E. Island, and guarantee, that all orders entrusted to them will be executed in a style not to be surpassed in the Provinces. Particular attention will be given in returning Cloth without delay. Charges as low as the lowest other Mills. AGENTS—W. T. PAW, Charlottetown; JAMES McFARLANE, Georgetown. Middle River, Pictou, July 27. 61 G. & F. KERR.

New Advertisements.

Auction. POSITIVE SALE OF 2,020 ACRES OF VALUABLE TOWNSHIP LANDS ON LOT 3. TO BE SOLD at Public Auction on FRIDAY, the 31st day of July instant, at 12 o'clock, noon, in front of the Colonial Building, Charlottetown, all the subscriber's right, title and freehold interest in and to

2,020 acres of Freehold Land on Lot 3, under Sheriff's Deed, being Plots or Subdivisions Numbers 6 and 16 on said Township, part of which is held by tenants under agreements, &c., and part is in a wilderness state and unoccupied. The soil of the above property is perhaps the finest in Prince Edward Island, and being in the neighborhood of Kildare River and the Sea, it possesses great advantages in point of situation. It will be sold in blocks to suit intending purchasers. For further particulars and terms of purchase money apply at the Globe Hotel, Charlottetown, to July 27, 1857. Dr. WINTER.

Auction. TO BE SOLD by AUCTION, on MONDAY, 10th August next, a portion of that valuable property known as "BIRNIE FARM." It is situate at half mile from Stradford Ferry. It will be sold in Lots from 10 to 20 acres. For plans and particulars inquire of the owner, MAJOR BEETE, or to the undersigned, JOHN BALL. July 27, 1857.

Tea, Spirits, Raisins, &c. TO BE SOLD, by AUCTION, on TUESDAY, the 11th day of August next, at the Ware-house of JAMES PURDIE, Esquire— 5 Puns. Pure Jamaica SPIRITS, 12 Chests choice Congou TEA, 10 Boxes RAISINS, 10 Doz. BROOMS, 10 "BUCKETS. Terms at Sale. A. H. YATES, Auctioneer. July 27, 1857.

Salt, Salt. TO BE SOLD, by AUCTION, on tomorrow evening, TUESDAY, the 28th instant, at 5 o'clock, on Poake's Wharf, just arrived per schr. "Morning Star," Capt. Crisp— 3,000 Bushels Liverpool SALT, in lots to suit purchasers. A. H. YATES, Auctioneer. July 27, 1857.

Notice. I hereby given that the Co-Partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, carrying on business, under the firm of "Thomas MacNutt & Son," at Pictou, is dissolved by mutual consent, to take effect on and after the 20th day of August next, on which day all the property of the said firm will be sold at Public Auction at Pictou, commencing at 9 o'clock, a. m., consisting of their ESTABLISHMENT at said town, VESSEL on the Stocks, LUMBER on hand, GOODS, SCOWS, BOATS, HERRINGS, &c. &c. Terms at sale. Parties to whom the firm are indebted, are requested to furnish their accounts up to that date; those who may be indebted are requested to call and make payment, and those whose accounts are overdue are informed that they will receive no further notice, but will be proceeded against at law. Mr. Charles S. MacNutt is the authorised agent of the firm. THOMAS MACNUTT, H. S. MACNUTT. Pictou, July 20, 1857.

Messrs. STANFIELD & LORD beg to inform the Farmers of Prince Edward Island, that after this date their NEW MILL at TRYON will be ready for Dyeing, Fulling and Dressing Cloth, having spared no expense in fitting up. The services of Mr. Lippincott, of Pictou, being secured as manager, they guarantee to finish work in the best possible manner, on the usual terms. Mr. H. CALBECK, of Sydney Street, Charlottetown, will receive Cloth, and attend to its being forwarded with despatch. Tryon, July 27.

Rare Chance for Speculators. FOR SALE the HULL and SPARS of a Clipper Brigantine, now nearly ready for launching, of the following dimensions:—Length of Keel, 81 feet, do. Deck, 93 feet, Beam, 24 feet, Depth, 14 feet. The above Vessel is building for the Newfoundland Market, but will answer any trade where her size may suit. Apply to CHARLOTTETOWN, July 27. 4w. SAMUEL A. FOWLE.

NEW BOOKS! THE subscriber takes this opportunity of returning his sincere thanks to the inhabitants of the Island generally, for the encouraging patronage they have hitherto afforded him; and would inform all that he has received a FRESH SUPPLY OF BOOKS, of the choicest and most varied description, suitable to the different tastes of the community. He is also prepared to furnish any Book, published in the United States, on the shortest notice. G. W. MILLER. P. S.—The above Stock will be sold cheap, if not cheaper, than any other Books that can be bought in the market. Quality unexceptionable. Prince Street, July 27, 1857. 1m G. W. M.

STRAY COW.—Strayed from the Subscriber's premises on Tuesday last, a Black Cow with a short tail and a white spot on the forehead, and a split in the right ear. Any person giving information which will lead to the recovery of the same, will be rewarded by applying at the "Examiner Office" or to the subscriber, MICHAEL TRAYNER. Charlottetown, 27th July, 1857. (3w.)

Positive Sale. TO take place at the Subscriber's Sale Room, on THURSDAY, 30th day July, commencing at 11 o'clock, a. m., by AUCTION, the following articles, viz:— 15 pieces Dutch Carpets, 200 pieces Ribbon, 4 dozen Rugs and Mats, 49 cards Edging, 9 pieces Flannel, 100 dozen ladies' dress Buttons, 197 pieces printed and checked Delaines, 6 dozen ladies' silk Neck Ties, 2 pieces checked Drills, 69 pieces twilled and rolled Linings, 227 cashmere long Shawls, 102 berge do., 10 pieces Tweeds, A lot of Scissors, Spectacles and Combs, 5 pieces black Cloth, 3 pieces grand Drill, 7 pieces Lustres, 185 Straw Bonnets, 13 pieces Berage & Balzarines, 104 plain straw and dunstable Bonnets, 120 pieces ladies' Muslin, 100 dozen Gloves, French Berage Dresses & Alma Robes, 20 dozen Parasols, 26 pairs Trowsers, 10 dozen Holland Vests. Terms—sums under £10, cash; over £10 and under £50, 3 months; £50 and over, 6 months credit, on approved joint notes. BENJ. DAVIES, Auctioneer. July 20. Isl. & Pro.

Household Furniture, Stock, Crop, Farming Implements, &c. AT "GLEN STEWART." TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, on THURSDAY, the 6th August next, at 11 o'clock, at the residence of Wm. STEWART, Esq., "Glen Stewart," all that gentleman's DRAWING ROOM, PARLOUR, BED-ROOM, PANTRY, KITCHEN AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. Also—His Farm Stock and Farming implements, consisting of a very fine HORSE (Saladin), 3 very superior Milch COWS, Pigs, &c. Cart, Plough, Gig and Cart Harness, Harrows, lot Garden Implements, &c. &c. Also—Standing CROP, in Grass, Oats, Potatoes and Barley, &c. Terms.—£10 and upwards, a credit of three months on approved Notes of Hand. Catalogues, with full particulars, can be had of Charlottetown, July 20, 1857. A. H. YATES, Auctioneer.

Boston Packet. THE Brigantine "GALENA" will leave this Port for BOSTON 1st of August. For Freight or Passage, having good accommodation, apply to CHARLOTTETOWN, July 20, 1857. S. A. FOWLE.