

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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Rum and Taxes.

Onto has a "Scott Law," as it is termed, which differs from our "Scott Act" considerably, but seems to give great satisfaction to the tax-payers of that State. The Law provides, together with other necessary and wholesome regulations, for a high-priced license system. Retailers of malt liquors pay \$150 for license, and the retailers of spirituous liquors pay \$200 to \$250. Within a few months the income from this source has become very large, and has so far eased the burthen of municipal taxpayers of the cities especially, that they are greatly pleased. Previous to the passage of this law, the liquor interest of Ohio paid nothing in the shape of taxes either municipal or State. This Law was passed by a Republican Legislature and opposed by the Democrats. The State election for Governor and other officers is to be held in a few days. The Scott Law is the great point at issue between the two parties. Judge Headley, a brilliant speaker, is the democratic candidate for Governor, and Judge Foraker is the Republican candidate. Every day since the canvass began the Republican chances have increased in consequence of the satisfactory manner in which the Scott Law is working. Leading Democrats admit that they will lose the election, and it is asserted that the liquor sellers will be divided on election day, as the more respectable ones find that the high prices paid for their licenses result beneficially to themselves, as the lower groggeries are shut up by hundreds. It is greatly to the benefit of temperance and society generally, to have these low groggeries closed, and the holders of the high licenses are as anxious to have these low places closed as are the active temperance people. The prohibitionists of the Ohio have however nominated a prohibition candidate, and they and the Women's Temperance Union hope to carry the "Second Amendment," as it is called, and they say the prospect is very good. This amendment proposes that all property used for the manufacture of beer or fermented liquors, will cease to be of a legal value. A court of justice will not enforce the collection of a bill from the wholesale liquor dealer, against the retail liquor seller, and the latter cannot collect money due for drinks. Nor will the man who rents his building to be used as a grogery be able to collect rents therefor. The consequence will be that capital will not risk money in a business that can give no legal security; and what will be the result? It will outlaw the liquor traffic. So argue the prohibitionists; but in the meantime the Scott Law is working admirably by making the traffickers in intoxicants bear a large share of taxation, and thus relieve in a great measure the burthen of the guilt. God-fearing citizens, have heretofore, had not only to pay their share of taxes for legitimate objects, but also to pay a large extra share for jails, court houses, poor houses, magistrates and police, all principally needed on account of the liquor traffic. The Scott Law makes rum pay its own bills and a little more.

The exports for September for Queen's and King's Counties were as follows:—

	Colonial	Foreign	Total
OATS.			
Colonial—21,696 bus.	\$6,943.00		
Foreign—5,481 bus.	1,775.00	\$8,718.00	
POTATOES.			
Colonial—550 bus.	\$ 116.00		
Foreign	944.00	1,060.00	
LOBSTERS.			
Colonial—1,058 cases	5,290.00	5,290.00	
MACKEREL.			
Colonial—canned, 100 cases	450.00		
" " in barrels, 442	4,440.00		
Foreign—in brls, 2,995	29,774.00	34,214.00	
Fish, other kinds,		21,992.00	
CANNED MEATS.			
Colonial, 21 cases,	105.00	105.00	
WOOL.			
Colonial,	1,112.00	1,120.00	
OYSTERS.			
Colonial,	160.00	160.00	
BARLEY.			
Colonial,	346.00	346.00	
SHEEP AND CATTLE.			
Colonial,	52.00		
Foreign,	753.00		
Horses—Foreign, 64,	1,390.00	2,195.00	
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Colonial,	1,278.00		
Foreign,	53,147.00	60,425.00	
Eggs.			
Foreign—147, 178 doz,		25,924.00	
Total,			\$161,909.00

Under the present Colonial trading licenses for vessels no correct account of exports can be had to the Provinces of the Dominion.

The naturalization of Chinese came to an abrupt termination on the 5th inst. when Chong Nom appeared before Judge Yerkes and was refused his papers, in spite of his compliance with all requirements of the regular naturalization law. The judge's action was based upon the 14th section of the Act of May, 1882, restricting Chinese immigration. That section provides that hereafter no State court or courts of the United States shall admit Chinese to citizenship. After hearing this decision Judge Arnold made an order revoking the papers which he granted on Thursday to Chong Ree.

Challeme Lacour, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, has advised that the full text of President Grevy's apology to King Alfonso be officially published, and that leaders of the demonstration in Paris against the King be punished.

The Dominion and Centennial Exhibition.

FIFTH DAY.

THE CATTLE PARADE.

This forenoon there was a parade of all the prize horses and cattle. It was a great credit to the Maritime Provinces and to Canada. Many were the exclamations of delighted spectators as the procession passed around the ring.

CATTLE.

There are on exhibition, 93 Shorthorns—2 Herefords, 21 Devons, 14 Polled Angus, 9 Norfolks, 1 Holstein, 125 Ayrshire, 143 Jerseys, and 192 grades. Total, 600! The largest and best lot of cattle ever brought together in the Maritime Provinces!

Perhaps the most wonder is expressed with respect to the big oxen from Nova Scotia. One of these huge brutes weighs 2,530 lbs.; the other 2,190 lbs.;—together 4,720 lbs. The group of six fat cattle exhibited by Messrs. Blake Brothers of this city is much admired, and each one of the group is good for a prize. Mr. Bridges fat cow is excellent in her class, and the heifers shown by Messrs. F. Dewar and F. Gates are decidedly the best on exhibition.

None of the pure bred exhibits of stock are so much criticised as the Jerseys. Their admirers are numerous, influential and enthusiastic; those who do not admire them are many and practical. Independently of their comparative value to the farmer, the exhibit of Jerseys is splendid of its kind. A breeder from the Northern States, who is present, says that he has not seen a finer assortment this side of Connecticut; and he has attended many of the best shows. The Jersey fanciers in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia have certainly great reason to be pleased. Perhaps the proudest man in St. John to-day, is the winner of the prize for the best herd of Jerseys.

Next to the Jerseys, in point of numbers, stand the Ayrshires; and they are rightly or wrongly regarded by a large majority of practical farmers, as the best breed for this country. It is held that not only do they give good rich milk in abundance, but that, when their usefulness as milkers is good, they make excellent beef, and are hardier and thrifter than almost any other breed of cattle. The exhibit of Ayrshires is a fine one; and it is pleasing to note that in the face of a very sharp competition, the Island has had the honor of carrying off a number of the best prizes.

Concerning the exhibit of shorthorns we cannot do better than quote the "note" made by the judges at the close of the competition:—

"We confess to be much delighted with the quality, symmetry and large proportions of the animals, not a few of which would be a credit to any Old Country show yard. It is abundantly clear that the soil and climate of the northern provinces are well calculated to produce and maintain a very high standard of home stock, and we are gratified to find that the people of these provinces are alive to the advantages they possess. We would suggest to some exhibitors, to whom the remark applies, that it is not desirable in the interest alike of milk and fecundity to over-feed the breeding animals, and we desire to impress upon all breeders the high importance of using the best sires obtainable.

J. P. SHELDON,
W. W. FAWCETT,
CHAS. E. BROWN."

Mr. Compton's splendid bull was ruled out of this class because his pedigree (which is known to be pure) could not be traced. Here are a few of the judges remarks, as quoted from their books, on shorthorns from the Island:

HORSES.

The show of horses was also the best ever seen in the Maritime Provinces; and it is noteworthy that, although the other Provinces were exceedingly well represented, the Island Province, from its exhibit of 37 horses, drew 33 prizes. "Barrister" and his progeny were greatly admired. Mr. A. Essay sold his yearling colt got by "Barrister," weighing 1137 lbs., for \$150, and the Hon. Lauchlan McMillan sold his draft mare, with foal got by "Barrister," for \$300. Mr. Thomas Kennedy, of Lot 48, was offered \$400 for his first prize mare, and we are glad to report refused the offer. Challenger, Brown Stout, the Pickering horse, and the Carver horse all showed to great advantage. There was a very close competition in the carriage horses class. The splendid three-year-old stallion, shown by Messrs. Lea and McMillan were greatly admired; but smaller and less shapely horses with better pedigrees captured the leading prizes. Blood tells in the stock yard as well as in more aristocratic localities; and we are obliged to acknowledge that in the stock yard, at least, it is not right that blood should tell. Had "Hernando" been on the ground he would have been more than a match for any of them in pedigree as in points; and would undoubtedly have carried off the first prize in his class, and also the sweepstakes. Prizes were awarded for every foal from the Island.

Additional Prizes.

CATTLE.

Fat cow or heifer, Blake Bros., Charlottetown, 1st and 2nd.
Steer, 4 years and under 5 years old—Blake Bros., Charlottetown, 1st.
Pair Steers, 3 years and under 4—Blake Bros., Charlottetown, 1st.

Steer, 3 years and under 4 years—Blake Bros., 1st.
Cow, 5 years old and upwards—A. L. Bridges, Charlottetown, 1st.
Cow, 3 years old and under 5 years—C. W. Strong, Charlottetown, 1st; Blake Bros 2nd.
Heifer, 2 years old and under 3 years—F. Dewar, Lot 48, 1st; F. Gates, Charlottetown, 2nd.
Heifer Calf—J. Dewar, Lot 48, 1st; B. E. Wright, 2nd.

GRAIN.

Wheat (white spring)—Thos Bullman, Rustico, 2nd.
Oats (white)—Thos. Bullman, Rustico, 2nd; A. E. Dewar, 3rd.
Oats (black)—Thos. Bullman, Rustico, 1st; J. T. Ferguson, St. Peter's Road, 3rd.
Barley—Alf. Baswall, Lot 49, 3rd.
Beans, white field—Geo. Robertson, Queen's County, 3rd.
Beans, horse—Joseph Stretch, Long Creek, 1st.
Red Clover Seed—John Dewar, Lot 48, 1st; Pacific Pieno, New Glasgow, 2nd.
White Clover Seed—Pacific Pieno, New Glasgow, 1st.
Alsike Clover Seed—Pacific Pieno, New Glasgow, 1st.
Mangel Wurtzel Seed (long red)—John Robertson, St. Peter's Road, 1st.
Beet Seed (long blood)—John Robertson, St. Peter's Road, 1st.
Parasit Seed—John Robertson, St. Peter's Road, 1st.

ROOTS.

Potatoes, Compton Surprise—Geo. Tweedy, North River, 1st; Jas. Howard, jr., West River, 2nd.
Burbank—John Stewart, Lot 48, 2nd.
Greatest variety—J. Howard, Jr., West River, honorable mention.
Turnips, Purple Top Swedish—Chas. J. Hazard, Charlottetown, 2nd.

NON-ENUMERATED.

Oatmeal—Henry Coombs, Charlottetown, commended; R. E. Bagnall, New Glasgow, highly commended.
Pot Barley—Henry Coombs, Charlottetown, discretionary prize recommended, (rule 36.)
Butter Firkins—Henry Coombs, Charlottetown, recommended for medal or diploma.

HOME AGAIN.

As soon as the parade was over, preparations were made for the return home; and this was very successfully accomplished. Hardly one of the animals received a scratch either going or returning; and they all looked as well when they got home as when they went away.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.

The sentiment of every exhibitor from the Island is that in kindness, and courtesy, the Commissioners, in charge of the Exhibition could not be surpassed. Every reasonable want was anticipated or satisfied the moment it was made known. We have not yet heard the first word of complaint, but rather a general acknowledgment of the kind attentions received.

The management of the railway and the steamers, too, was excellent. The ability of Captain Evans and his officers, was never put to a better test than during the past week. The best evidence of their care that could be adduced is contained in the fact, that though the weather was often stormy, there was not a single accident—hardly a scratch—to man, woman or beast.

THE FUSILIERS BALL.

The Ball given by the 62nd Fusiliers at the Clarendon Hotel this evening was a brilliant social event. Among the guests were:—The Misses Haviland, Mrs. Geo. D. Longworth, Miss Bella Richards, Mrs. J. A. Matheson, Lieut. Governor Haviland, Mr. W. A. Brennan, Mr. John A. Matheson, Mr. Geo. D. Longworth, and Mr. C. D. Rankin.

NOTES.

Messrs. Blake Brothers sold their exhibit of fat cattle to a St. John dealer at a handsome figure.

It is remarked that more drunkenness was apparent at the Summerside Exhibition than at the Exhibition in St. John—though the number of persons in attendance was as one to one hundred!

Provincial Educational Institute.

The Provincial Educational Institute met in the hall of the Upper Prince Street School to-day. The Superintendent of Education, D. Montgomery, Esq., occupied the chair, and on the platform were Messrs. Seaman, Dunbar, Rev. J. Burwash, and others. There were in all about 120 teachers in attendance, more than half of whom are females. After the appointment of several committees, it was moved, seconded and carried unanimously, that Rev. J. Burwash and Rev. K. McLennan be elected honorary members of the Institute. The chairman, in putting the motion, referred in fitting terms to the services done by both these gentlemen to the cause of education. Before the morning's programme began the Superintendent announced that the lady teacher who had promised to give an exhibition lesson had subsequently concluded not to do so, and therefore this part of the proceedings must necessarily be omitted. The Rev. J. Burwash was then called upon and after having thanked the association for the honor they had done him, in electing him an honorary member of the Institute, the rev. gentleman read an interesting and instructive paper which he illustrated by several simple experiments. Professor Burwash divided his lecture into four heads, viz., Mineralogy, Chemistry, Botany and Physiology, first taking up the subject of Mineralogy. He showed how the science of Mineralogy taught the pupil to observe and think for himself. Then he showed the difference between several specimens of minerals, their difference in color, in hardness and general formation. The subject of Chemistry was next taken up, afterwards Botany, and closing with a reference to Physiology. The rev. gentleman desired to show how easily an outline of all those branches could be taught to the children of our common schools, and what an immense amount of good would flow from it. Prof. Burwash was listened to with great interest by those present, and it is to be hoped that something tangible will spring from his practical remarks. The morning session closed at one o'clock, and the afternoon session opened at three o'clock, p. m. The first paper was read by Mr. T. A. LePage, on the use of "Shall and Will." Also a paper by Prof. Caven. To-night there will be a public meeting.

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

At twenty per cent less than prices of former years. All Goods we are selling very cheap this Season.

Wholesale and Retail. 60 PIECES CARPET DAILY EXPECTED. W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Ch'town, Oct. 6, 1882.—dy wkly.

Prince Edward Island Soap Works.

THE Trade can now be supplied with our different brands of SOAP. We fell confident that we can furnish goods (in the lines we manufacture) EQUAL IN EVERY RESPECT to anything produced abroad, in both QUALITY and PRICE; and, believing that we can satisfy all purchasers of GOOD LAUNDRY SOAPS that such is the case, we unhesitatingly ask the patronage of the purchasing public.

Orders Taken at King Square House. BEER & SONS, Proprietors.

Ch'town, Sept. 27, '83.—2w eod wkly 6m.

TEA. TEA. EXCELLENT QUALITY.

OUR NEW TEAS are warranted to give extra good satisfaction. WHOLESALE & RETAIL. BEER & GOFF.

Ch'town, June 4, 1883. 2w wly

IMPORTANT SALE

Valuable Household Furniture BY AUCTION, ON THE

MARKET SQUARE, On Tuesday next, 9th Inst., AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK,

THE BALANCE OF Household Furniture, LATELY CONTAINED IN THE FRANKLIN HOUSE,

viz:—Parlor and Bedroom Suits, Carpets and Oilcloths, Baseburners and other Stoves, Crockery and Cutlery, Curtains and Poles, Toilet sets and Mirrors, Pier Glass, Hat Rack, Lamps, Pictures and Books, and various other household requisites.

TERMS:—Cash before delivery. CAMPBELL & RAYDEN, Auctioneers.

Ch'town, Oct. 6, 1883. W. W. WELLNER,

HAS RECEIVED his Fall Stock of the following Goods, viz:—

GOLD AND SILVER Waltham, Elgin, & Geneva Watches GOLD & SILVER JEWELRY.

Electro-Plated Ware. AMERICAN CLOCKS,

Gold Plated Sets, Brooches, Bar Pins, Earrings, Bracelets, Necklets, Lockets, Watch Chains, Seals, Scarf Pins, Shirt and Cuff Studs, Collar Studs, etc., etc. Spectacles and Eyeglasses, Vases, Lusters and Mantle Sets.

The above goods comprise a fine assortment in each line, and calculated to suit all customers in patterns and prices.

W. W. WELLNER, 81 North Side Queen Square, Ch'town, Oct. 5, 1883.—2in s&m wkly 2i.

MUSIC.

MISS BAYNE, graduate of Professor Doane's Musical Academy, Halifax, wishes to receive junior pupils for instruction in Pianoforte.

Address:—Rev. Donald McNeill, Prince Street. Charlottetown, Oct. 3, 1883.—eod tf.

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Land for Sale. ONE hundred and fifty two and a half acres. For particulars apply to

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GRAIN BAGS.

10,000 2 & 3 Bushel Bags, JUST RECEIVED.

LOWEST PRICES TO FARMERS AND SHIPPERS. WEEKS & CO. Ch'town, Oct. 3, 1883.

TO SHIPPERS

Starch and Canned Goods.



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The well-known Clipper Barkentine "ETHEL BLANCHE,"

400 tons Registered, classed 10 years A1 in English Lloyd's.

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FOR LIVERPOOL, Carrying Lobsters, Canned Meats, Starch, and other products of the Island.

Parties wishing to secure room will please apply at once to the owners, PEAKE BROS. & CO.

Ch'town, Oct. 3.—3aw 1f

OLD BONES.

HIGHEST PRICE paid for old bones, in large or small lots, delivered at John Newson's Furniture Factory. JOHN NEWSON. h'town, Aug. 17.—2m

JOB PRINTING of every description executed with neatness and despatch at the EXAMINER JOB PRINTING ROOMS, cor. Water and Great George Streets.