



A PROCLAMATION

BY HIS EXCELLENCY

GEORGE DUNDAS, ESQUIRE,

Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Island Prince Edward, and the Territories thereunto belonging, Chancellor, Vice Admiral, and Ordinary of the same, &c. &c. &c.

GEORGE DUNDAS, Lieut. Governor.

WHEREAS His Worship the Mayor of the City of Charlottetown hath, on account of the recent fires which have taken place in this City, and which are supposed to be the work of Incendiaries, expressed to me his apprehension of impending danger from Incendiarism to this City, and his desire that a suitable reward be offered for the detection and punishment of any person or persons who shall hereafter be guilty of any act or acts of Incendiarism: I have thought fit, by and with the advice and consent of Her Majesty's Council, to proclaim, and I do hereby proclaim and offer a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS to any person or persons (not the actual party to the act) who will give such information and evidence as will lead to the discovery, apprehension and conviction of any person or persons who shall hereafter be guilty of any act or acts of Incendiarism.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of this Island, at Charlottetown, in the said Island, this Fourth day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and in the thirty-first year of Her Majesty's reign.

By Command,
GEORGE COLES,
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

MAILS.

New Fall Arrangement.

THE MAILS for the United Kingdom, the neighbouring Provinces, United States, &c., will, until further notice, be closed at the General Post Office, Charlottetown, as follows, viz:

For Canada, New Brunswick and the United States, via Shepian, every TUESDAY and THURSDAY evening, at 8 o'clock.

For Nova Scotia, via Pictou, every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY evening at 8 o'clock.

For Great Britain, Newfoundland, and the West Indies, every alternate MONDAY and WEDNESDAY evening at 8 o'clock, as follows, viz:—

Monday,	Nov.	4	Monday,	Dec.	2
Wednesday,	"	6	Wednesday,	"	4
Monday,	"	18	Monday,	"	16
Wednesday,	"	20	Wednesday,	"	18

Mails for Summerside and St. Eleanor's, to be forwarded per Steamer, will be closed every TUESDAY and THURSDAY evening at 8 o'clock.

Letters, to be registered, and Newspapers must be posted half an hour before the time of closing the Mails.

THOMAS OWEN, Postmaster General.
General Post Office, Ch'town, 30th October, 1867.

STRAY COW.—A stray Red Cow, with a piece off the top of the right ear, about nine years old, has been on my premises for the past three months. The owner is requested to come and prove property, pay expenses, and take her away, otherwise she will be sold at Auction, at my barn, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the second day of January next, an order from a Justice of the Peace having been obtained for that purpose.

RONALD CURRIE.
Nov. 8, 1867.

HOLLOWAY—A FRAGMENT CONCERNING HIS DOINGS.

Professor Holloway is still in the prime of life, though it is now more than a quarter of a century since he perfected his discoveries and gave them to the world. His yearly bills for advertising, taking the average of the past eight years, amount to the sum of two hundred and twenty-three thousand dollars *per annum*, of which about one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars are spent in employing the columns of such journals as have been already established. The balance is used for the creation of special organs in countries not hitherto acquainted with the wonders of the printing press, and for educating and supporting interpreters who accompany his agents and make known the properties of his remedies amongst barbarous and uncivilized tribes which have no written language through which he may address them. These "missionaries of health," as they are called, are chiefly employed in Central Africa and among the Islands of the Eastern Archipelago. In the former place they rendered important service to the late government expedition sent out by England; and it certainly was a galling confession for Capt. Anderson, that, after penetrating into the wild and desolate region as far as he could or durst go, the agents of a private individual should laugh at his official fears, and offer to conduct him "further and yet further, naming the different stations ahead of me which Professor Holloway had already established for the sale of his Pills and Ointment!"

The newspapers, daily and periodical, in which these medicines are regularly advertised, amount to three thousand seven hundred and sixty-five, of which two thousand eight hundred and sixty-three are printed in the European tongues, while the balance of nine hundred and two are divided between the Chinese and Asiatic tongues, (the former very largely predominating) and those other languages in which Mr. Holloway has made himself the pioneer of printing. The management of this mighty machinery of illumination—even apart from its expense—may well appear incredible to ordinary minds; but system and steady business application can reduce apparent impossibilities to order, and under the experienced hands of a host of clerks and linguists, the wheels of this elaborate and complex mechanism revolve with silent and simultaneous precision.

As to the number of those who are annually restored to health by Holloway's medicines, a committee confessed that it could not even approximate the amount with any certainty of correctness. A box of Pills may represent the individual who buys it, or a family of six or eight for whose general use it is procured; so also with a box of Ointment. Again, it may be all consumed—though this is rare—for the cure of one particular disease; or it may cure that, and yet another after that, and yet another, being kept in the house as a family medicine—and of these cases the committee submit they have no means to judge. Again, both pills and ointment may be used conjointly by a single patient, or separately by two; how, then, can an estimate be formed?—*Bostonian.*

STRAY CATTLE.

STRAY BULL.—A stray White Bull has been on my premises for the last six weeks. The owner is requested to come and prove property, pay expenses and take him away, otherwise it will be sold by Auction at my Barn, on Thursday, the 26th day of January next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, an order from a Justice of the Peace having been obtained for that purpose.

PATRICK O'HALLORAN.
Somerville, Lot 51, Nov. 25, 1867.

STRAY BULL.—There has been on the subscriber's premises, for the last three weeks, a black and white BULL, about two and a half years old. Notice is hereby given that said Bull will be sold at Auction, at my Barn, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January next, if not before claimed and all expenses paid according to law.

JOHN SIMPSON.
Hope River, November 11, 1867.

STRAY COLT.—A stray light red Colt, with one hind foot white, rising four years old, has been on my premises for the past six weeks. The owner is requested to come and prove property, pay expenses, and take him away, otherwise he will be sold at Auction, at my barn, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the second day of January next, an order from a Justice of the Peace having been obtained for that purpose.

THOMAS HENDERSON.
Brackley Point Road, Nov. 8, 1867. pd