

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY
FARMERS' EXCURSION
 Harvesting operations in the Canadian Northwest are now in progress.
On August 18th
 Low rate Round Trip tickets will be on sale from all C. P. R. Stations in New Brunswick.

Winnipeg	Regina	\$30.00
Deloraine	Moose Jaw	
Antler	Yorkton	\$35.00
Estevan	Prince Albert	
Bancroft	Calgary	\$40.00
Mooseomin	Macleod	
Hamiata	Red Deer	
Swan River	Edmonton	

Tickets will be good for second class passage only in each direction and good to return until November 16th 1900. Stoppers will be allowed on application to Conductor at Wolf River, Ont., Dryden, Ont., and intermediate stations, at Winnipeg, at any point west thereof. Free Colonist Sleepers on all trains.
 A. J. HEATH,
 D. P. A., C. P. R.,
 St. John, N. B.

New Herring

Just received 25 barrels prime Labrador Herring (warranted). These Herring are not very large, but you prefer flavour and quality to size these are the Herring to buy. We have just received also some large fat Cape Breton Herring. We can supply them in pairs, 1/2 bbls. 1/2 bbls. and by the dozen, also in barrels for the wholesale trade.

For the Preserve Season

We have just received 50 dozen reserve Jars in glass and stone which will be sold low to clear out the lot.

Raspberries.

Orders filled for Raspberries by the pair.

R. F. Maddigan & Co
 Lower Queen Street.

Eclipse Picnic.

The ladies of Mount Stewart, viewing the necessity of improving the sidewalks in the village, intend holding a mammoth picnic on

SATURDAY, 18th Inst.

There will be a well stocked saloon, tea tables, dancing booths, swings, bowling alley and other amusements of a very attractive nature.

Nothing will be left undone to make this picnic the outing of the season. Everything will be provided to please the taste and fancy of an epicure.

The grounds selected for the occasion is but a stones throw from the river, where the speckled beauties abound in profusion. So if picnics are not in your line, arm yourself with fishing rod and spend a pleasant while angling in the placid waters of the Hillsboro.

A special train will leave Charlottetown at 1 o'clock local, stopping at intermediate stations, and will leave Mount Stewart on return at 7 o'clock. Return fare 45 cents. Intermediate stations in proportion.

W. A. CHEVERIE,
 Secretary.
 Mount Stewart, Aug 6th, 1900.
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WE WANT HOUSEKEEPERS



To come in and look over our groceries. Our stock is fine and fresh and guaranteed to be satisfactory. We keep everything in our line that is necessary

For Housekeeping

The prices, well, we want you to see them when you are looking at the goods. Their cheapness will surprise you.

Driscoll & Hornsby
 QUEEN STREET.

Liberal - Conservative Electors of West Queens.

A convention of the Liberal-Conservative electors of the Riding of West Queens will be held in the Benevolent Irish Society's Hall, Kent Street, Charlottetown, on Thursday, the 23rd day of August, instant, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating a candidate to contest the riding, at the forthcoming Dominion Election.

The conveners of the different polling districts will please have delegates from each poll in the riding appointed to attend and to vote at the convention.

P. BLAKE,
 Convener.
 C. R. SMALLWOOD,
 Secretary.

THE DAILY EXAMINER

AUGUST 14, 1900.

CAUSES OF EXPANSION.

This morning organ of the Government is at pains, just now, to abstract from the Canadian Year Book certain figures showing that Canadian trade has expanded within the past three years.

The real causes of this expansion are: (1) the trade of the world at large has been particularly active in the past three years; (2) the Conservative government opened up the great Northwest of Canada by means of the Canadian Pacific Railway and improved canals, both of which the gentlemen now in office opposed with all their might, and thus brought the greater part of Canada within the sphere of the world's commerce; and (3) The Liberals now in office have maintained Canada's National Policy, established by the Conservatives in the face of their continuous opposition, though they stood pledged to abolish it when they obtained power.

The men in office riding the Protection horse through the length and breadth of the land make a fair showing considering that the horse was stolen; the Conservatives, who own the horse, would, however, have done much better under the existing favorable conditions.

GOVERNMENT VS. LIBERAL.

MR. RICHARDSON, member of the House of Commons for Leger, Manitoba, was one of those Liberals in Parliament who adhered to the Ottawa platform and the Protectionist principles and pledges of the party which won power in 1896. He—like thousands of Liberals in this province and elsewhere—desired economy in the management of public business, reduction of expenditure, reduction of debt; and he protested in and out of Parliament, against the unprecedented extravagance and corruption which has prevailed under the leadership of Messrs. Tarte and Sifton and Borden and Blair. Though he has not deserted his pre-election Liberal principles, he is now to be opposed in his riding by a Government candidate!

Mr. Ellis, M. P., for St. John, is also attacked by the Government's subsidized supporters because he has taken ground against some of Mr. Blair's indefensible projects.

The Government has, by its reckless faithfulness to the expectations raised through out the country previous to the Liberal victory of 1896, divided the Liberal party in the west and in the east. We venture the statement that there are thousands of Liberals in this province who do not approve the actions of the Laurier-Tarte Government and who sympathize with Messrs. Richardson and Ellis.

AN EXPLANATION NEEDED.

A few days ago Lieut.-Colonel Herchmer was dismissed from the command of the Northwest Mounted Police. Now we hear that the position has been given to Superintendent A. B. Perry, although there were three other officers senior to him. One of these was the second in command, Lieut.-Colonel McIlree, age fifty-one, thirty years in the force, a man who rose by force of merit, from the ranks. Superintendent Gagnon has been in the force eight years longer than Perry, and was made a Superintendent two years before Perry, and Superintendent Deane has been a year longer in the force, and was appointed a year earlier. But all these gentlemen—not to speak of Lieut.-Colonel Steele, who is now in South Africa—have been passed, and Mr Perry has been given the office and the honor over their heads. Commenting upon this case the Ottawa Journal says:

"The Government owes an explanation to the country for the promotion of Major Perry over his seniors. A weakness and curse of the British army, as the present campaign in South Africa has shown, is the officering of an army by social or monetary or political 'pull' rather than by military merit. As a rule, the best officer is certain to be the soldier who rises from the ranks by merit. Do we intend in Canada to make our defence force a matter of business in which merit shall tell as it should and generally does in any other business, or do we intend to copy the 'pull' style? If the latter is not the case in the promotion of Major Perry over the heads of other officers let people hear the reasons why he is better than his seniors."

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Nine Victoria crosses have already been awarded for gallantry on the part of the British soldiers in South Africa.

—It has been well remarked that the corn business, from which the farmers of this province have suffered so much, is a blunder which any man with business knowledge would have avoided.

—The Montreal Gazette remarks that the Conservatives have the start in anti-election activity, and the start counts in such a case. The early word leaves an influence that the second comer has to remove before he can begin to do any good.

—Hon. Senator Ferguson will address a public meeting of electors to be held at Moncton, New Brunswick, on Friday evening next. Opposition to the Tarte-Laurier government is active all along the line.

—This has been a record-breaking year for the California orange crop. The yield will, it is thought, be about 4,500,000 or 14,500 carloads. The total investment in California orange groves now amounts to \$44,000,000. No doubt the McKinley government will claim the credit for great prosperity in California. Whether the people will give them the credit is another matter.

—It is not wonderful that the Guardian's restless about the EXAMINER's charge of gross misrepresentation on its part; for the charge is true and is the talk of the town. That the Guardian should desire a night service more than the lower rates on day telegrams, needed by the people at large, is but natural. The notable fact is that while Sir Louis Davies has failed to secure either, though he might have easily have obtained both, the Guardian has not a word of regret or censure in so far as he and the Government are concerned. Instead, it has rebuke and gross misrepresentation for THE EXAMINER which is battling, as ever, on behalf of the public.

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A MEETING

Of the Liberal Conservative Electors of Charlottetown Common, and Royal Y, will be held in the Lyceum on Monday evening the 20th, inst., at 8 o'clock for the purpose of selecting delegates to a meeting of the Liberal Conservative Convention to be held on the 23rd inst.
 SIMON W. CRABBE,
 Convener for Charlottetown Common and Royal Y.



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—ON THE—

Grounds of the C. A. A. A.

—ON—

Tuesday Evening, August 21st

LIST OF EVENTS

1. One-half mile bicycle, (handicap).
2. 220 yards run, (handicap).
3. Hose Reel competition, one quarter mile, open to Firemen.
4. One mile bicycle, (handicap).
5. Drill competition, open to companies Boys Brigade.
6. Relay race, one mile. 4 runners, one quarter mile each, open to Militia Companies.
7. Three mile bicycle, (handicap).
8. Hurdle Race, 120 yards.
9. High Jump.
10. One half mile run, (handicap).

Entry fee—25 cents for each event. Entries to be in the hands of the Secretary at 2 p m on Monday, 13th.

Refreshments on Grounds.

Band of 4th Regiment in Attendance.

Twenty-five cents admits to Grounds and Grand Stand.

B. C. PROWSE,
 President.
REG. STEWART,
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