TEA PARTY AT MONTAGUE.

This Tea Party came off on the appointed day and it was certainly a splendid success. The sky at early morn wore an unfavorable aspect, but the brightest day at noon is often that ushered in by a clouded sky was truly verified in this case, as by midday the sun shone forth sufficiently bright to still the fears of the fair sex as to the prospect of rain.

The beautiful grounds of Mr. P. Gaul were kindly given for the occasion. The site for the tea tables, Saloon, &c., was admirably chosen on a piece of elevated ground, from which the landscape presented to the view was beautiful in the extreme.

At an early hour the people began to arrive from the surrounding country, and some from a considerable; distance and by the time tea was served there was a large assemblage of persons on the grounds, that it was pleasing to observe represented all denominations. The tea tables were set out with much uniformity and so plentifully supplied with the choicest kinds of cake, that they attracted the attention and won the admiration of all present; and the tea, which is often deficient at occasions of this kind, was such as to please the most fastidious. There was a refreshment saloon on the grounds, where cool and refreshing drinks were vended during the day, which played no unimportant part in the day's proceedings.

The tea being over, the people betook themselves to the various sports set apart for the day's amusement; some shook the "light fantastic toe" in the old and favourite dance, while others took part in the more athletic pastimes—leaping, throwing the hammer, &c. There were two of Her Majesty's war-ships in the Harbor of Georgetown, the officers of which were in attendance at the tea party, and they contributed not a little, by their genial urbanity, to the day's amusement.

It would be unfair to say nothing in praise of the conduct of the people who attended the Tea Party, for seldom do we find the conduct of people characterised by so much good sense as that which characterised the conduct of the people on that; day there was not the slightest approach to a quarrel, and peace and contentment ruled everywhere. Too much cannot be said in favor of those who had the management of the Tea Party, for everything was carefully managed, and they are certainly entitled to the lasting gratitude of those persons for whose spiritual welfare the Tea was originated. The amount realized we were unable to ascertain, but it is sufficiently large, we believe, *to encourage the Catholics of Montague to go on with their good work.*

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A fallen Priest, expelled from the Catholic Church for his great vices, and known to bad fame under the designation of "Father" Chiniquy, has been lecturing in this Island during the past week, in various localities where he was instructed to look for audiences who would relish his abuse of the Catholic Church. In places where the Catholics have an undoubted majority of the population *he did not show his face.* It is stated that one of the objects of his present mission is to raise funds for a College which he says he has established out in Illinois; but we can easily show, and may if time and space permit, show in our next No., that the story of the College is a piece of gross imposition, and that he is a thorough swindler and deceiver, besides being an expelled criminal instead of a convert from the Catholic Church. It was a wretched piece of bad taste and bad judgment to encourage such a fellow here at the present time.

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As the day for the annual "gathering of the clans" appears to be designed for a general holiday, and as many persons might not feel inclined to wade through the dust to the place of gathering, would it not be advisable for the Steam Navigation Company to offer a cheap trip to and from Pictou, to give some of our citizens a chance of escaping one day's dust, and receiving in its place pure air from off the salt water to invigorate them, besides giving them views of other scenery, faces and fashions?—*Com.*

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CALAMITY BY FIRE.—The school-house recently erected on the rear of Lot 61, St. Mary's Road, among a poor people who settled there in the green woods within the last seven or eight years, was, we regret to learn, wantonly and maliciously burnt on the night of Wednesday, the 1st August. We sympathize with the poor people in all their trials, and especially when their earnest endeavors for the education of their children are so very wickedly thwarted.—*Pat.*

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WATERING CART.—John Stumbles, Esq. North Side Queen Square, has at his own expense, (about £40) imported a Watering Cart, and had it in operation several times in front of his own premises, for the purpose of proving to the inhabitants of the City that by procuring four or more such useful carts, they could be relieved of the annoyance and damage caused to goods of shopkeepers, &c., during the summer, by the clouds of dust which will naturally arise "on windy days," from our light, sandy soil. We hope the City authorities will take the hint.—*Pat.*

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COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Aug. 8, 1866.—His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to direct that WEDNESDAY, the 15th instant, be observed as a HOLIDAY at the PUBLIC OFFICES, being the day fixed for the Games of the Caledonian Club.

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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### THE MILITARY DEFENCES OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

TO THE HON. EDWARD WHELAN.

*Dear Sir;*

Will you do me the favour to insert the enclosed communication, addressed to the editor of the *Patriot*, in the next *Examiner*. You will see by Mr. Laird's note, which I send you, that he declines to publish it.

Yours very truly,
W. H. POPE.

Ardgowan, 10th Aug., 1866.

HON. W. H. POPE—

I decline publishing your letter, and therefore return it. I need not explain my reasons here.

Yours truly,
D. LAIRD.

Ch'town, Aug 9, 1866.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PATRIOT.

*Sir;*

In the *Patriot* of the 4th instant you deny the correctness of certain statements relative to the defences of this Island, which were published editorially in the *Islander* of the 27th July last; and treat me, as though I were the writer of these statements, which you are pleased to term untruthful. I presume, therefore, that you will afford me the opportunity, to attempt to defend myself in the columns of the journal in which I am attacked. If you do, I shall endeavour to shew that the *Islander's* views upon the subject of our defences are correct, and that those of the *Patriot* are incorrect.

The *Islander* represented that "in consequence of the threatened invasion of the British Colonies, by bands of Fenian marauders," the Legislature of this Island, last Session (April 1866,) declared, that the "whole revenue" of the Island should be available for purposes of defence.

That the same Legislature, almost simultaneously, specially appropriated to the ordinary services of the Colony the "whole revenue," which it had previously declared should be at the disposal of the Government for purposes of defence.

That the ordinary services and public works of the Colony are carried on while the defences are virtually neglected.

That our preparations for defence are limited to the importation, from Halifax, of three old ship's guns, and to the drilling of a few officers and men, in the vicinity of Charlottetown.

That, for purposes of defence, the ship's guns and the drilling hitherto performed are useless;—that, in fact, nothing has been done for the defence of the Colony, and that the Island is at the mercy of any band of marauders that may think proper to invade it.

The motives which actuated the writer of the article in the *Islander*, which, I understand, has given great offence, are immaterial. It matters not whether the writer proclaimed to the world the defenceless state of the Island for the purpose of affording Her Majesty's Government "an excuse for coercing us into Confederation," or otherwise. The important point is, are the statements of the *Islander* truthful, or are they untruthful?

It is notorious that the Legislature, last Session, placed the "whole revenue" of the Colony at the disposal of the Government for the purposes of defence. It is notorious that in the same Session, the Legislature appropriated for the service of the year 1866, various sums of money, which, in the aggregate, equal an ordinary year's revenue. It is notorious that the public services and works of the Colony are being carried on as though there had not been an extraordinary vote for defences.

The statement that three ship's guns have been imported from Halifax, I believe is not denied. It is not alleged that any other guns have been imported.

If a pinnace, carrying armed Fenians, and provided with a couple of guns, were seen approaching our harbor, could we, without the assistance of the regular troops, prevent the Fenians from landing and plundering the capital? I assert that we could not. Where are the batteries? Where the artillery men to man the guns? Where the Militia or Volunteers to meet the invaders? There are no batteries, there are no artillery men available. There is not an efficient company of Militia or Volunteers in Prince Edward Island. Were one hundred Fenians to approach Charlottetown to-morrow they would be met by about the same number of regular troops now in garrison in Charlottetown—troops sent to this Island a few months ago, not to defend us from foreign invasion, *but to act as a Police—to protect our Jails, and maintain the Queen's authority in the Colony.* If the Fenian force I have named were to land at Summerside, at Cascumpec, at Malpec, at Crapaud, at St. Peter's, at Georgetown, or at Souris, ere men to form a Company of Volunteers or Militia could be got together and equipped, the marauders would have ample time to plunder and destroy in every direction, and to leave our shores without let or hindrance. You ask, "Does the *Islander* call the Volunteer organization of 1859 nothing."—I reply, that in August, 1866, there is not an efficient Company of Militia or Volunteers in the Island. The organization of 1859 lacked discipline, and proved a failure—a most miserable failure.

If it be the fact, that there is not, at this moment, in Prince Edward Island, one efficient Company of Volunteers, or Militia—that our harbors are without the slightest means of defence—and that we are at the mercy of any band of marauders that may think it worth their while to make a raid upon us—surely you do wrong, in contradicting the statement of the *Islander*, that "nothing has been done towards the defence of our hearths and homes."

I accept your own account of the state of our Militia, and of what has been done, since the Legislature placed "the whole revenue" at the disposal of the Government, for purposes of defence. You say:

"It is not quite three months since the Militia Act was passed, and in that short interval over 1000 Volunteers have been enrolled. Between 40 and 60 officers and cadets,—about one-fourth of them from Southport, Lot 48, and the Royalty,—are under military training twice a day. *Measures are being taken to organize the Militia, but considering that that force has not for years past been in existence even on paper, it will require some time to obtain the names of those liable to perform military service and to form them into Companies, Battallions and Regiments.* In the meantime the Military Training School, which is a step in the right direction, was established; and but for the difficulty of procuring competent instructors, branch Schools would have been in operation in Summerside, Georgetown, &c., before now."

On the 14th April, 1866, the Legislature placed the whole revenue available for purposes of defence, because of "the *threatened invasion* of the British Provinces." The invasion then threatened came. British territory was invaded in June last, and the gallant sons of Canada rushed to arms, and repelled the invader—in doing which several Canadian Volunteers fell upon the battle field. Invasion still threatens the British Colonies. What has been done in Prince Edward Island, in order that her people may be able to assist to defend the sister Colonies, or to protect their own hearths and homes? Add to the above extract from the *Patriot* that "Lieutenant Governor Dundas has received from Halifax *three ship's guns*, which are to be seen on Government farm," and the story of what Prince Edward Island has done will be told.

On the 14th April, 1865, all appears to have been "tumult and affright," in Prince Edward Island. In the halls of the Legislature were delivered on that day speeches characterized by eloquence and martial vigor. The Honorable John Longworth, a Colonel of Militia, and a member of the Ministry, appears to have been painfully conscious of the responsibility imposed upon the Government by the vote which placed the "whole revenue" of the Colony at their disposal for purposes of defence. This gentleman is reported to have said:—"Such a vote as we have it in contemplation to make will undoubtedly confer upon the Executive a power so unlimited and arbitrary as must put to the test their wisdom, patriotism, and integrity, in the strongest light and the most public manner; *much indeed, of vital importance to the well being of the Colony will depend upon the manner in which they discharge the great and trying confidence,* which, by that vote, will be reposed in them, &c."

The Leader of the House, (Hon. J. C. Pope), on the same occasion, indicated, to some extent, the course which it was probable the Government would pursue:

"Our chief dependence, apart from what aid and protection may be given us by the army and navy of Great Britain, must be upon our Militia and Volunteers. A Bill having for its object the proper and efficient embodiment of the Militia and the enrolment and arming of our Volunteers under the stringency of due military authority and regulations, is already prepared, and in a day or two at the farthest, will be laid before the House, to be dealt with as they, in their wisdom, may think meet. The placing,—through the operation of this Bill, and by the pecuniary means which the liberality and confidence of this House may place at our free disposal, our Militia and Volunteers upon a proper footing, and at the same time placing one or two gunboats upon our waters, will, it appears to me, be the most effective measures to which we can have recouuse in the face of the danger which threathens us. By these means, we may perhaps be able to afford protection to our out-ports and coasts. The construction of works for the protection of Charlottetown will, perhaps, also be required; and however prudent and careful the Government may be in thus providing for the defence of the country and the capital, the expense will be very great indeed. But if, in effecting it, we should have to take the whole revenue of the Colony, I would not think we had paid too high a price for it."

Nearly four months have passed, and now, you, as the apologist of those who are charged with the duty of providing for the defence of the Colony, tell the world that the Militia for years past has had no existence even on paper, that 1,000 volunteers have been enrolled—(which I presume means that their names have been placed upon paper,)—that between forty and sixty officers and cadets are being drilled—that a military school has been established in the capital,—that military schools *would have been* in operation in Summerside and Georgetown, but for the difficulty of procuring instructors; to this add, that "three ship's guns have been imported from Halifax," and the report upon the defences of Prince Edward Island will be complete!!

My object in addressing you is to shew that the statements made in the *Islander* of the 27th July, relative to the state of our defences are correct, not to give publicity to my opinions upon the subject of defences; nevertheless, with your kind permission, I will add that it is my opinion, that so long as Prince Edward Island remains, as at present, an independent Colony, so long must every attempt on the part of her rulers to provide justly and sufficiently for the defence of the Island prove useless. I know not the circumstances under which the three ship's guns were recently sent to this Island. I have heard that a request was made for Gun Boats—and that the three guns were received—*a broken reed instead of a sceptre.* If it be true that the gift of the three ship's guns was intended to intimate to Prince Edward Island that she must depend upon her own resources, we have no right to complain. Her Majesty's Imperial Government intimated to us in June or July, 1865, that they regarded the Provinces of British North America *as incapable, when separated and divided from each other,* of making those just and sufficient preparations for national defence which would be easily undertaken by a Province uniting all the population and all the resources of the whole—that *the Colonies must recognize a right and even acknowledge an obligation,* incumbent on the Home Government, to urge with earnestness and just authority the measures which they consider to be most expedient on the part of the Colonies, with a view to their own defence. The Home Government, at the same time, expressed the strong and deliberate opinion, that it is an object much to be desired, that all the British North American Colonies should agree to unite in one Government. The Legislature of Prince Edward Island—the smallest of the Colonies—with a population of 80,000—had the temerity, in reply to these intimations of Her Majesty's Government, to cause to be laid at the foot of the throne an address, in which they plainly tell Her Majesty, that "ANY FEDERAL UNION which should include Prince Edward Island"—(although necessary for national defence, and earnestly desired by Her Majesty's Government), "would be regarded with HOSTILITY." Such was the language addressed to the Sovereign by the Representatives of a loyal people!!!

I make no apology for calling public attention to the unprotected state of our Island. Her Majesty's ministers know of this Island, that its Legislature placed its "whole revenue" available for purposes of defence. It is not probable, that they are aware that Prince Edward Island does not possess a single efficient Company of Militia or Volunteers—that the Colony has never expended a pound in the purchase of arms—that we do not own a hundred fire-arms—that the two thousand rifles in our stores are a *loan,* for which, I believe, we are indebted to General Williams, &c. It is my intention to send a copy of this communication to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, for his information, and as it will be sent through His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, an opportunity will be afforded His Excellency of pointing out the errors, if any, which it may contain.

I remain,
Your obed't serv't,
W. H. POPE.

Ardgowan, 9th August, 1866.

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McNEILL'S READING ROOM.

A Meeting of the members and supporters of the Charlottetown Reading Room was held last evening, at the new Room, recently opened in J. D. Mason's three story building, Dorchester Street, at which a large number of the subscribers of the old Room were present. On motion, Hon. Mr. Beer was called to the chair, and Mr. W. H. Wilson appointed Secretary. After a few appropriate remarks from the Chairman, Mr. A. McNeill, the Manager of the Room, addressed the meeting, and submitted the list of papers and periodicals received, explained his daily telegraphic arrangement, and gave a general outline of the manner in which he purposes to conduct the Institution. Several gentlemen then spoke and approved of the course pursued by Mr. McNeill, relative to the Reading Room, and also expressed their appreciation of the laudable enterprise displayed by him in securing and opening the new Room.

The following resolution, expressive of the feeling of the meeting, was then submitted, and unanimously adopted, viz:

*Resolved.*—That we, being members of the Charlottetown Reading Room, do express our sympathy with Mr. A. McNeill, in the losses sustained by him in the late calamitous fire in this city; that we commend the energy and enterprise which he has manifested in fitting up and opening the new Room, and that we shall render him such support as he may need for the maintenance of his praiseworthy efforts.

WM. H. WILSON, Secretary.

Charlottetown, August 11, 1866.

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CIVIC ELECTIONS.

These elections came off on Tuesday last, and resulted as follows:—

Hon. T. H. HAVILAND, Mayor, (re-elected).

COUNCILLORS:

Ward No. 1.—A. H. Yates, Esq., (re-elected.)
" 2.—Andrew Mitchell, Esq., (in the place of J. H. Gates, Esq.)
" " 3.—John Brecken, Esq., (re-elected.)
" " 4.—Mark Butcher, Esq., do.
" " 5.—Theo. DesBrisay, Esq., do.

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BURIED ALIVE.—The Zanesville (Ohio) *Signal* reports that recently a coffin containing the body of a lady, was shipped from Parkersburg on board the D. M. Sechler, for transportation to Guernsey county, via Wheeling. Upon reaching its destination, and being opened by the friends, their horror and dismay may be imagined upon discovering that the unfortunate lady had evidently come to life during her incarceration within the narrow limits of her coffin. Her hands were up to her head, and the tangled and disordered hair gave evidence of a struggle which must have been as brief as terrible.

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The Syracuse *Journal* narrates a very sad case of love, false marriage, and death. In a rural town, not far from Syracuse, a young girl, just blooming in the graces of womanhood, was wooed and won by a comparative stranger. A mock marriage was perpetrated upon her by the wretch. They went to reside in Syracuse; where a short honeymoon followed, when the fiend deserted the girl. Then she learned that she had been married to a man who already had a wife, and that she had borne a false name. Stung by an exaggerated sense of shame and disgrace for what was no fault of hers, she considered herself ruined and banished from society. Concealing her name and family she took refuge in a house of shame. A few days since, the unhappy victim of man's perfidy was borne to a nameless and dishonoured grave.

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SINGULAR RAILWAY ACCIDENTS IN ENGLAND.—On the Great Northern Railway, on the Sabbath, at a place about twenty miles from London, a train of freight cars was passing through the Welwyn Tunnel, and from some cause the engine broke down and the train brought to a stand in the middle of the tunnel. No notice was given to the stations either way, nor any signal of distress or alarm given. In a few minutes another train dashed in the rear of this one, smashing up several cars, and, as the cars were filled with merchandize, mostly casks of oil and materials of a combustible nature, the fire of the engines ignited them. In a short time a meat train, coming in the opposite direction, entered the tunnel, and the three trains with baggage, &c., were all in a blaze, and an immense cloud of fire and smoke was emitted from either end of the tunnel. No one could enter or even approach near the entrance for the flames shot up fifty or sixty feet high and roared like a mighty cataract. The authorities having taken counsel, it was deemed best to let it burn itself out, and for one whole day the flames raged with unabated fury. Only two men were killed. Thirty-six cars and three engines were destroyed.

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The last wonderful spiritual story comes from England. A gentleman was asked if he should like to call a spirit. "I should," the gentleman replied. "Whose?" asked the medium. "Lindley Murray's!" Lindley Murray's ghost appeared erect right through the table. The gentleman shuddered. All trembled. The medium was visibly affected. "Are you the spirit of Lindley Murray?" asked the gentleman, astonished at his own courage in thus addressing a visitant of the lower world. "Yes, I are!" boldly responded Lindley Murray's ghost. Poor Lindley Murray!

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## Married.

At Charlottetown, on Friday, the 3rd instant, by Peter McGowan, Esq, J. P, Mr. William Bridges of St. Andrew's, to Miss Margaret Longworth, of same place.

On Monday, the 30th ultimo, by the Rev. Allan Fraser, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. William Carruthers, formerly of New Annan, N. S, to Catherine daughter of Benjamin Haywood, Esqr, of Tignish.

By the same, at the same time and place, Mr William Haywood, of Montrose, Lot 3, to Miss Jane Platts, of Tignish.

On the 18th ultimo, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. John Reid, the Rev. W. W. Colpits, Wesleyan Minister of Margate, to Cornelia A, second daughter of Mr Lewis Davison, Horton, N. S.

## Died,

At Welshtown, Lot 11, on Wednesday, 1st inst. after twenty-four hours illness, John Thomas, youngest son of John and Susan McPhee, aged nine months.

At Vernon River, on Friday, the 26th ultimo, aged 51 years, Christiana, the beloved wife of David Ennen, and eldest daughter of the late John McLaren, Hermitage Grove, near Charlottetown.

At Shipyard, Malpeque, on the 19th ultimo, Mr Duncan McDougall, in the 69th year of his age.

At Alexandra, Lot 49, on the 21st July, Susannah, youngest daughter of Thomas and Susannah Wood, aged 14 years.

## Port of Charlottetown.

ARRIVED.

Aug. 4—Str. Oriental, Snow, Boston; mer. Providence, Pollard, Buctouche; deals. Margaret, McDonald, Antigonish, stone. Idelotto, Horn, Shediac; timber. Two Forty, Watson, Gloucester fish. 6—Sophia, Delorey, Shediac; boards. Susan West, Janvarin, Gulf; fish. Perseverance, Powell, Richibucton; boards. Rippling Wave, Clarke, Gulf; fish. Velocity, Meschaux, Richibucto; deals. Madam Roland, Johnson, Gulf; fish. Ariel, Moran, Chatham; stone. Western Packet, Power, Bay Vert; do. 7—Ocean Bride, Morrison Arichat; do. Ellen, Peutz, Pictou; coal. Clarinda, Polly, Bay Vert; deals. Alexander, Anderson, Pugwash; stone. 9—Sarah Ann, Allen, Bay Vert; deals.

CLEARED

August 4—Sch. J. A. Taylor, Daisley, Gulf; fish. Brig Idelleto,——, Liverpool; deals. Ship L. C. Owen, Fraser, do do. Brave, Poole, Gulf; fishing. Wave, Arbuckle, Pictou; bal. Lelia Ada, Foley, Gulf; fishing. Str. Oriental, Snow, Boston fish, &c. Western Packet, Power, Bay Verte; flour &c. 7—Madam Roland, Johnson, Gulf; fishing. Garabaldi, Baker, do do. Clarinda, Polly, Bay Vert; bal. 8—Perseverance, Powel, Miramichi; bal.

## Launched,

From the shipyard of Thomas Simpson, Esqr, Fifteen Point, on the 26th of July, a superior built Brigantine, of 215 tons, called the "Mary," to class A 1 at Lloyd's, five years, built for the British market.


# NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## Books, Envelopes, &c.

JUST RECEIVED at QUEEN SQUARE BOOKSTORE—

Tennyson—in Blue and Gold,
16 Vols. Spurgeon's Sermons,
Quinby on the Bee,
American Vocalist,
Business Man's Assistant,
Webster's & Worcester's Unabridged Dictionaries,
Crabb's Synonymes,
Carpenter's Spelling Book,
Sullivan's Spelling Book,
Tract Primer,
Best Adhesive Envelopes,
Fancy Note Paper,
Mucilage, &c. &c.
D. LAIRD.

August 13, 1866. 3in

REMOVAL!

THE Subscriber hereby notifies his Customers, and the public generally, that since the late Fire, whereby his premises, on Queen Street, were destroyed, he has removed to that building on KENT STREET, next door to the premises of Mr. JOHN SCOTT, Carriage Builder, where he is prepared to carry on his Business in all its branches as usual. Having been a heavy loser by the fire, he takes this opportunity to request all persons indebted to him to make immediate payment of their respective amounts, as his Books will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for settlement and collection on the 1st of SEPTEMBER next.

AUGUSTUS HERMANS, Gunsmith.

August 13th, 1866.

## Ross's Weekly TO BE RESUMED.

THE Subscriber would inform his friends and patrons, that he will be found for a few weeks at the Store of

Messrs. J. W. Falconer & CO.,
QUEEN SQUARE,

where the several amounts due for Subscriptions, &c., will be thankfully received, prior to his departure for the United States for a supply of Printing material, to resume the publication of Ross's WEEKLY.

The WEEKLY will be published on the same terms and principles as heretofore, particulars as to time and place will be announced hereafter.

JOHN ROSS.

August 13, 1866. all island papers 2in

FIREARMS!

NOTICE is hereby given that unless the owners of all the

GUNS

in my possession, for repairing, call for them before the First of SEPTEMBER next, they will be *positively* sold by Public Auction immediately after that date, to pay expenses.

AUGUSTUS HERMANS, Gunsmith.

Kent Street, (next door to Mr. John Scott, Carriage Builder.

August 13th, 1866.

LOST.

ON Tuesday last, between the Fish market and the corner lately occupied by A. H. Yates, Esq., at the foot of Queen Street, a red leather Pocket Book, with the subscriber's name inside, containing a considerable Sum of Money in paper. The finder will be handsomely rewarded by leaving the same at the office of this Paper.

ARCH. BINNS.

August 13, 1866.

BOARD and LODGING in a Private family for two young men. Enquire at this Office. 3w [August 13, 1866.

# NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## Valuable Property FOR SALE.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION on the GROUND, in CHARLOTTETOWN, on MONDAY, the 20th day of AUGUST inst., at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, the FREEHOLD INTEREST of the late JOSEPH CRABB, in and to part of TOWN LOTS Nos. 5 and 6, in the Fourth Hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, in Lots, as per plan; situate near MORRISSEY'S Iron Foundery

ALSO—HALF of TOWN LOT No 30, in the Fourth Hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, with all the BUILDINGS thereon erected.

☞ TERMS made known at Sale.

WM. DODD, Auctioneer.

August 13, 1866.

## LAND SALE.

TO be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, on FRIDAY, the Sixteenth day of NOVEMBER next, commencing at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, at the Colonial Building in Charlottetown, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the twenty-eighth day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and made between THEOPHILUS DESBRISAY ROBINSON, of Charlottetown, in Prince Edward Island, Trader, of the one part; and JOHN MORRIS and THOMAS MORRIS, of Charlottetown, aforesaid, Commission Merchants, of the other part: All the right, title, share interest and estate of him, the said Theophilus DesBrisay Robinson, in and to that piece of Land, being part of Town Lot Number five in the Second Hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown, and fronting on Queen Street forty-two (42) feet, and extending backwards by parallel lines fifty-eight (58) feet, and which said piece of land was devised to the said Theophilus DesBrisay Robinson and his brother George Robinson, by the last Will and Testament of their Father, Thomas Robinson, deceased, together with all buildings, fences, improvements, rights, ways and appurtenances to the said piece of land belonging or appertaining.

For further particulars cand onditions of sale apply at the Office of Messrs Haviland & Brecken' Water Street, Charlottetown.

Dated the 10th day of August, A. D. 1866.

JOHN MORRIS
THOS. MORRIS.

## Middle Trip per Undine.

THE Subscriber has received, by the above, in addition to his former well-selected Stock, the following, viz:—

White, Blue, Red, and Green Cotton Warp,
Grey and White COTTONS, PRINTS,
Prince of Wales, Peel, and Felt HATS,
Ladies' White and Black STRAW HATS,
Earthenware, &c, &c, much lower than spring importations.

PATRICK WALKER.

August 13th, 1866. 1m

NOTICE.

MRS. WENTWORTH STEVENSON begs respectfully to inform her pupils that as she purposes giving a SERIES OF CONCERTS (for the Benefit of the POORER SUFFERERS BY THE LATE FIRES), in ST JOHN, N. B. HALIFAX, &c., &c.. she will not be able to resume her Lessons until the Fall, when she will be prepared to do so. On Mrs. Stevenson's return, she will give HER OWN CONCERT, which was unavoidably put off in consequence of the Fire.—Tickets for which Concert will be left for sale, during her absence, at the Store of W. R. WATSON, Pownal Street.

August 13, 1866. 1w

TO BUILDERS.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale 16 PANEL DOORS and 21 pairs of SASHES, with Casings, of best wood and workmanship.

WILLIAM DODD.

Aug 13th, 1866 2in

NOTICE.

THE Widow or Heirs of the late Mr. PHILIP BLAMPIED, formerly of Jersey, will hear of something to their advantage by applying immediately to F. D. Gauvreau, Esq, Prothonotary of Superior Court at New Carlisle, Bay of Chaleurs.

F. D. GAUVREAU.

New Carlisle, 2nd August, 1866. ist 1in

CRICKET.

A Match will be played on the ground of the Charlottetown Cricket Club, between the Garrison and the Charlottetown Club, on SATURDAY next, the 18th August, instant.

By permission the Band of the 4th Regiment will be in attendance.

Admission to the Grounds 9d. each; Horse and Carriage, 1s. 6d. each.

Ch'town, August 13th, 1866.

## A Tea Party

WILL be held in or near the Protestant Church, at SOURIS, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th instant, in aid of the funds of that building. Tea on the Tables at 1 o'clock. Tickets 1s 6d each, to be had of the Rev. Henry Crawford, St Peter's; John Sutherland, Esq., Head of St Peter's; John McLaine, Esq, St. Peter's Bay; Mr. Joseph Dingwell, Dingwell's Mill; James Davison, Esq, Head of Rollo Bay; Messrs McAulay & Johnson, Grand River; Messrs James Keefe, Rollo Bay; C. C. Carlton, Souris; Michael McWade, Esq., Souris; Samuel McDonald, Esq., Red Point, Lot 46; Chas. McEachen, Esq., Bull Creek, Lot 46; Hon. Emanual McEachen, East Point, and at the entry of the ground on the day of the Tea Pary.

Music and places for dancing will be provided for those who wish to enjoy themselves in that way

If Wednesday the 29th be rainy the Party will be held next day.

Souris, 8th August, 1866.

CUT NAILS.

JUST ARRIVED, ex *L. C. Owen* 250 Bags "American pattern" Cut NAILS and SPIKES, comprising all sizes, from 3dy, fine, up to 7 inch, which we offer, at a small advance upon cost, by the single bag or larger quantities.

H. E. STARBIRD & CO.
"City Hardware Store."

Aug 13. 1in

NOTICE.

IT is requested that all BOOKS regularly issued or taken from the LEGISLATIVE LIBRARY, previous to the 1st June, be returned without delay. Among the latter are—the 2d volume of "Burke's Landed Gentry;" 3d and 4th vols. of "Froude's History of England;" "Memoirs of Count de Gammont;" "Barrington's Sketches;" several volumes of "Strickland's Queen's of England," and do "Queens of Scotland," do. "Lodge's Portraits;" do. "Statutes at large."

L. C. JENKINS, Librarian.

Aug 13 1866. 1m

A CARD.

*To the Civic Electors of Ward No. 2.*

GENTLEMEN—As you in my absence, have done me the unsolicited honor of election, to serve as a City Councillor for your Ward, I respectfully accept the position to which your pleasure has called me; and I assure you, Gentlemen, that the confidence implied in your voluntary act, will be an additional impetus to my desire to execute my official functions with fidelity.

Thanking you for the honor conferred upon me, I am,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. MITCHELL.

Charlottetown, August 13, 1866. 1in

FOR SALE.

A WELL FINISHED WAGON, Patent Axle and Springs, a few months old, will be sold much below the cost. Apply to

E. HASZARD, Brighton.

August 13, 1866.

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BY the various Ships from ENGLAND, and Steamers from BOSTON, I have completed my Stock of IRONMONGERY, and GENERAL HARDWARE GOODS, and feel confident that, for prices and quality, greater inducements to purchasers cannot fairly be offered; and I would call particularly the attention of intending

HOUSE BUILDERS

To my large STOCK of NAILS (in quality not to be excelled in the City), LOCKS, HINGES, GLASS, PAINTS, and OILS; of

Carriage Builders and Blacksmiths,

To my extra large quantity of STEEL, IRON, AXLES, FILES, BOLTS and NUTS, CARRIAGE BANDS, BELLOWS, ANVILS, VICES; and of the

Farmer & General Public

To remember that, as heretofore, HARDWARE GOODS, both CHEAP and GOOD, are to be had at the Brick Store, CORNER OF KENT AND GREAT GEORGE STREETS.

W. E. DAWSON.

August 6. 1866.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having fitted up, since the fire, a STORE in DORCHESTER STREET, in the building owned by J. D. MASON, Esq, adjoining the Store of Messrs. DAVIES & WEEKS, hereby respectfully informs his numerous customers, in Town and Country, that from and after this date the business will be carried on as heretofore.

B. D. REDDIN takes this opportunity to return thanks to his customers for their past support and patronage, and to solicit a continuance of the same.

B. D. REDDIN.

Dorchester Street, Ch'town, Aug. 6, 1866.

## St. Dunstan's College;

*Under the patronage of His Lordship the Bishop of Charlottetown.*

THIS INSTITUTION is situated on the Princetown Road, a mile and a quarter north of Charlottetown. The site is peculiarly beautiful, healthy, and far removed from the distractions and moral dangers of the city.

The halls and rooms of the building are spacious, airy and comfortable.

The College Grounds are large, affording ample room for games and athletic exercises.

The course of studies embraces all the branches necessary to prepare young men for the study of the learned professions or fit them for mercantile pursuits, such as History, Geography, the English, French, Latin and Greek Languages, Rhetoric, Mathematics, Philosophy, Chemistry, &c. Music, vocal and instrumental—is also taught.

The College possesses a large and well selected Library, as well as an extensive Philosophy Apparatus.

The Professors and Teachers reside in the Institution, forming but one family with the students, and exercising a constant supervision favorable to discipline, decorum and good morals.

Catholic students are carefully and frequently instructed in their holy religion, which they are required to practise. The most solicitous attention is paid to the morals of all; and whilst within the College enclosure they are constantly under the watchful eye of one of the Teachers or Prefects Perfect discipline is strictly but kindly enforced.

Students when entering must produce satisfactory testimonials of good character.

The College is visited regularly once a week by a Physician.

TERMS:

Per Quarter of 11 Weeks.

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| Board and Tuition, | £6 | 0 | 0 |
| Use of Library, | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| Physician's Fee, | 0 | 1 | 6 |

Payments to be made half-yearly in advance.

The College furnishes bed-steads and mattrasses; the students must provide their own beds and bedding, brushes, basins, towels, &c.

The Scholastic year commences on the first* Wednesday in September and ends about the middle of July. Students are requested to enter the College on the first day of the opening of the classes.

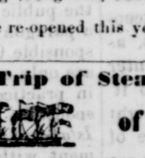
For further particulars apply to

A. McDONALD.

St. Dunstan's College, Aug. 6th, 1866.

*The classes will be re-opened this year on the 5th September.

Excursion Trip of Steamer

Princess  of Wales

TO GEORGETOWN.

THE Ladies of the PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, GEORGETOWN, intend having a PUBLIC TEA PARTY, on MONDAY, the 20th day of AUGUST, inst, to raise funds in aid of finishing the Manse.

The Steamer "Princess of Wales" will make an Excursion Trip to Georgetown on that day to enable persons from Charlottetown to attend.

Contributions in Cake or Money, from the friends in Charlottetown and elsewhere, are most respectfully solicited, and will be thankfully received on behalf, by Mrs. Forgan and Mrs. Duncan, Charlottetown; Mrs Westaway, Mrs. Poole, Mrs Gordon, Mr. Cogswell, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. McFarlane, Mrs. McPhail and Mrs McWilliam, Georgetown.

A well-stored SALOON with REFRESHMENTS, will be open on the grounds.

The entertainment will be enlivened with Music and games of Cricket, &c., &c.; and no pains will be spared to make this a real gala-day, and afford every one a "good time." Return Tickets for Excursion 6s.

Tea on the Tables at 12 o'clock, noon. Tickets, 1s. 6d., to be had at any of the Stores, Georgetown, and on the grounds.

Geo'town, Aug. 6, 1866.

## Discounting Again!

DEPOSIT YOUR MONEY WITH

DELANY & BYRNE.

WE want MONEY to pay our Bills, and, in order to obtain it, we will, from this date, offer our entire STOCK of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, HATS AND CAPS. BOOTS AND SHOES, Skeleton Skirts, Etc. Etc. Etc.

At a Discount of Twenty per Cent, FOR CASH ONLY!

We will give 10s worth of Goods for 8s
We will give 20s worth of Goods for 16s
We will give 30s worth of Goods for 24s

☞ Larger Sums in Proportion. ☜

This is a good opportunity for those who have money to invest it to advantage.

DELANY & BYRNE.
QUEEN STREET.
Opposite Hon. Daniel Brenan's.

Ch'town, August 6, 1866.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF—
Sullivan's Spelling Books;
Lennie's Grammars;
Carpenter's Spelling Books;
Worcester's Dictionary;
AND
ALL SCHOOL BOOKS in general use throughout the Island, on hand, and for sale at VERY LOW PRICES, at

HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE
Queen Street.

August 6th, 1866. tf

## Now Landing.

FROM QUEBEC, per Schr. "MARY JANE," and per Steamer "PRINCESS OF WALES"—

Bbls. FLOUR, superfine, No. 1,
" " " No. 2,
" " Fine.

Also:

Bbls. Kiln Dried CORN MEAL.

J. ROBERTS ECKART.

Centre Store, Peake's Brick Building, Water St.
Charlottetown, August 6, 1866. isl of lie

WATTS' TEA STORE, KENT STREET.

Arrival of Midsummer Stock.

THE Proprietor, thankful for past favors, begs leave to intimate that he has just received ex "UNDINE," a large supply of unrivalled CONGO, which will be offered Wholesale and Retail.

ALSO:

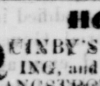
An assortment of EARTHENWARE, consisting in part of—

20 White Stone China TEA SETS,
200 doz CUPS and SAUCERS,

in variety enough to suit the most particular housekeeper.

Kent Street, August 6, 1866.

From Liverpool, England.



THE first class A 1 Brig "MARGARET LEAH," 400 tons burden, WATSON, Master, will sail from LIVERPOOL, England, about 25th SEPTEMBER next. For Freight or Passage apply to Messrs. D. CANNON & SONS, Liverpool, or to the owners at Charlottetown, P. E. I.

W. W. LORD & CO.

August 6, 1866.

HONEY BEE.

QUINBY'S MYSTERIES of BEE KEEPING, and LANGSTROTH'S Treatise on the HIVE, and HONEY-BEE.

Just received, and for sale at
HARVIE'S BOOK STORE,
Queen Street.

August 6, 1866. tf

GRIND STONES.

250 GRIND STONES for Sale. Prices from 1s 6d to 6s. Apply to

A. McNEILL.

Charlottetown, 30th July, 1866.

Pogies. Pogies.

EX *Alhambra* from BOSTON, 100 bbls. No. 1 Slivered Pogies. For sale low by

CARVELL BROS.

August 6, 1866.

STRAYED from the Subscriber's premises about the 1st instant, a RED COW, giving milk. Any person finding her will be suitably rewarded.

A. McNEILL.

Charlottetown, August 6, 1866.

## Caledonian Club Gathering.

THE Third Annual Gathering of the Caledonian Club, and International Competition in Highland Games, will be held at Charlottetown, on WEDNESDAY, 15th August next. Net proceeds to be given towards the relief of the sufferers by the late Fire.

Chief—His Excellency the Lieut Governor.
President—Hon. Col. Gray, M. P. P.
Vice Presidents—Hons. P. Walker, M. L. C., and Hon. James Duncan, M. P. P.

(*For particulars see handbills.*)

E. J. McDOUGALL, Secretary.

July 23, 1866.

## NOTICE.

THE MERCANTILE BUSINESS hitherto carried on in this Island, and in Plymouth, England, by the late JAMES PEAKE, Esquire, up to the time of his death, and since his decease, by the undersigned, as his Trustees and Executors, has this day been assigned and transferred, in accordance with the directions contained in the last Will and Testament of the Testator. All sums of Money due to the Subscribers, as surviving Trustees and Executors of the said James Peake, must be paid forthwith, and will be received at the Office of Messrs. PEAKE BROTHERS & CO., who are authorised to receive the same.

B. L. A. PEAKE,
D. HODGSON,
Surviving Trustees and Executors.

Charlottetown, 14th July, 1866. [aug 6 4in

## CARD.

THE undersigned having purchased the STOCK IN TRADE from the surviving Trustees of the late JAMES PEAKE, Esquire, deceased, have this day ENTERED INTO CO-PARTNERSHIP, under the name and style of

PEAKE BROTHERS & COMPANY,

and will continue the same Business carried on by the late JAMES PEAKE, Esq.

JAMES PEAKE,
GEORGE PEAKE,
RALPH BRECKEN PEAKE,
THOMAS HANDRAHAN.

Charlottetown, July 14th, 1866. [Aug. 6

Dissolution of Co-Partnership

WE beg to inform the Public that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto subsisting between us, under the style and firm of W. W. LORD & CO., General Merchants and Ship Owners, in this City, is this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. All persons having any Business transactions with the said firm, will please come forward and settle their several Accounts, at the office of the subscribers, before the 1st day of OCTOBER next.

W. W. LORD,
ARTEMAS LORD.

Charlottetown, August 1st, 1866.

Charlottetown, August 1, 1866.

*To the Public;*

REFERRING to the annexed Circular, I beg to inform you that I shall continue the BUSINESS at the OLD STAND, head of LORD'S WHARF, on and after the 1st day of OCTOBER, 1866.

Allow me to thank you for the generous support accorded to the late Firm, and respectfully to ask for a share of future favors for myself.

I am,
Your ob't. servant,
4w ARTEMAS LORD.

NEW TOBACCO FACTORY.

THE Subscriber begs to inform the Citizens of Charlottetown, and the Country in general, that he has opened a NEW TOBACCO FACTORY, on QUEEN STREET, in the premises lately occupied by Mr. WHITFORD, Painter, and situated opposite Mr. WM. SNEESTON'S.

Having superintended, for the last seven years, the Manufacturing of Tobacco, in the Firm well known as LOWDEN'S, with unequalled success he will fearlessly warrant his Tobacco as second to none in the Colonies, and would earnestly advise the public to call and judge for themselves before purchasing elsewhere.

CHAS. QUIRK.

Ch'town, July 30, 1866. 3m

NOTICE!

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks for the liberal patronage received, begs leave to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has taken part of J. D. MASON'S three storey Building, in Dorchester Street, between Duncan's Brick Store and the Catholic Church, where he will sell off the balance of his Stock at reduced prices. Public patronage respectfully solicited.

JAMES STANLEY.

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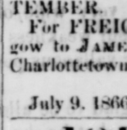
Bark Empress, To and from Glasgow.



THE Subscribers hereby inform the Merchants of P. E. Island that the Bark EMPRESS, 400 tons register, classed 3 3 11, five years in Bureau Veritas, JOHN GILLIS, Commander, will sail for the above Port on or about the 15th JULY; and returning, will leave GLASGOW, for CHARLOTTETOWN, positively on the 10th SEPTEMBER.

For FREIGHT or PASSAGE, apply in Glasgow to JAMES KELSO, 10 Union Street, or in Charlottetown to

L. C. OWEN,
W. WELSH.

July 9, 1866.

JOHN BELL,

MANUFACTURER of Clothing in all its branches, thankful to his friends and patrons for past favors, begs leave to inform them and the public generally, that he is still to be found at his Old Stand on QUEEN STREET, and is prepared to make up all kinds of garments entrusted to him in the latest style and improvement of fashion.

Terms Cash.
Entrance at the Side Door.

Queen Street, July 9, 1866.

English Malt Vinegar,
To be had at
W. E. DAWSON'S.

ALEXANDER ROSS,
QUEEN SQUARE,
Next Door to Apothecarie's Hall.

HAS received per ARIADNE and other arrivals—

*A Large Stock*
OF
Spring and Summer
DRY GOODS,
Groceries, &c., &c.,

which he will sell at a low figure.

—ALSO—

a large Assortment of
HOOP SKIRTS,
all Sizes.

Charlottetown, June 18, 1866.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to CHARLES BELL, formerly of Charlottetown, but at present residing in Auckland, New Zealand, are hereby notified to make payment to the Subscriber, Attorney of Messrs. JOHN S. McLEAN and JOHN B. CAMPBELL, of Halifax, Nova Scotia, Merchants, to whom all debts due to the said CHARLES BELL have been assigned by Deed of Assignment, dated the 16th day of June, instant.

JOSEPH HENSLEY.

Charlottetown, June 18th, 1866.

ROBERT YOUNG,
North Side Queen Square,

WOULD hereby tender to his numerous friends and the public his most sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage hitherto bestowed upon him, and begs to inform them that he has again opened up at the OLD STAND, with an entirely NEW AND WELL SELECTED STOCK OF

Staple & Fancy Dry Goods,
MILLINERY,

Hats, Bonnets, Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, Laces, Parasols, Shawls, Mantles, Ladies' and Children's Boots, Dress Goods, Tickings, Osnaburgs, Towelings, Ginghams, Prints, Grey and White Cottons, (the cheapest in the trade,) Cotton Warps, etc., etc., etc.

A few Chests very superior TEA.

A large Stock of Millinery always on hand and made up to order.

Charlottetown, May 21, 1866.

R. R. MACLELLAN'S
Studio is still headquarters for
PHOTOGRAPHS,

and every description of portraits known in the art. Elegant Photographs, whole length, only Ten shillings per dozen. All other pictures equally low.

R. R. MACLELLAN.

Great George Street, Dec. 4, 1865.