

Agricultural.

WATER PRODUCING MILK

In a communication to the French Academy of Sciences, Mr. Dancel discusses the influence of liquid food and of water upon the quantity of milk secreted by herbivorous animals. It is found that by inciting cows to drink large quantities of water, the quantity of milk yielded by them can be increased several quarts per day without materially injuring its quality; the amount of milk obtained is approximately proportional to the quantity of water drank. Cows which when stabled with dry fodder, give only from nine to twelve quarts of milk per day at once produced as much as twelve to fourteen quarts daily, when their food was moistened by mixing with it from eighteen to twenty three-quarts of water per day. Besides this water taken with the food, the animals were allowed to drink at the same intervals as before, and their thirst was excited by adding to the fodder a small quantity of salt. The milk produced under the water regimen after having been very carefully analyzed and examined as to its chemical and physical properties, was adjudged to be of good quality, excellent butter was obtained.

Dancel asserts that any one can see that the yield of milk is directly proportional to the quantity of water absorbed. He asserts, moreover, in as many words that a cow which does not habitually drink as much as twenty-seven quarts of water per day, and he has met with such, is actually and necessarily a poor milker; she will give only from five and a half to seven quarts of milk per day. But all the cows he has seen, which drank as much as fifty quarts daily, were excellent milkers, yielding from nineteen to twenty-three quarts or more of milk. In his opinion the quantity of drink consumed by a cow is a valuable test of her worth as a milk producer.

KEEP GOOD CATTLE.—Sell your poor stock and keep the best. Sell your poorest even if you get but a trifle—give it away rather than keep it, if it is quite poor. This will seem strong language; but it is all in the seeming. Are you not persuaded yet that it will cost as much to keep a poor creature as a good one? Are you not persuaded that it will cost more to keep a poor than a good brute? You ought to be, for this is the fact. And when the season is over—the season or risk with your poor cow, your frail calf and your weak sheep—and you thank your stars that it is with the loss of but a few head, perhaps—what have you then—what but a poor stock hardly able to walk to pasture? And you know well enough it will take all summer to get this stock in a passable condition, with little growth, the strength mostly going to support life, and bring up to the normal condition. Such stock is unprofitable, whether milch cows, or sheep, or horses, or swine. Why, then, keep it? Why keep the useless expense? Simply because it is the habit to keep them—the habit of those who know no better; those who know better have no such stock; you can pick them out here and there; they are always prosperous while, on the other hand, the men of poor stock are unprosperous, more or less, relying on something else for success.—Rural World.

CALVES.—The editor of the Weekly Wisconsin recommends the following:—"Let the calf run with the cow for at least the first two weeks. Then it may be taken away and fed with dry meal, either wheat or corn, and a diminished quantity of pure milk. The calf will eat the meal readily. Less will be required of them if boiled and the animal will be far healthier. A bunch of nice sweet meadow hay can be placed within the calf's reach, and also plenty of water. We warrant a calf will do better fed in this way than in any other, except by giving the animal all the milk it can drink, which is impossible on most farms."

Baby Literature.

TRUE GREATNESS.—There is nothing magnanimous in bearing misfortunes with fortitude when the whole world is looking on; men in such circumstances will act bravely, even from motives of vanity; but he who without friends to encourage acquaintances to pity, or even without hope to alleviate his misfortunes, can behave with tranquility and indifference is truly great.

Oysters, when considered in the abstract, do not suggest poetic ideas; but in the concrete, they are suggestive of one of the finest of modern poets—they are so Shelley.

Why is an ill-tempered man like a well baked pie?—Because he is crusty. A repentant, but very old bachelor seeing the words "Families supplied" over the door of a shop, stepped in and said he would take a wife and two children. Praise, when judiciously bestowed, tends to encourage every one in the pursuit of excellence.

A desire to say things which no one ever said makes some people say things which nobody ought to say. To think well of every other man's condition and to dislike our own, is one of the misfortunes of human nature. It is easy to exclude the noontide light, by closing the eyes; and it is easy to resist the clearest truth, by hardening the heart against it. A physician who attended Fontenelle once found him drinking coffee. "My good sir," said this sage descendant of Galen, "I am astonished to see you swallowing the infusion of that pernicious berry—coffee is a slow poison!"—"I think," said Fontenelle "it must be slow; for I have drunk it with great perseverance for more than forty years. Do—a Canadian go barefooted when he has shoes (no shoes.)"

Competition Stamped ROOT AND BRANCH!

CALL AT YOUNG'S BLOCK SHOP! And get your PATENT and all other kinds of BLOCKS.

And get them when you want them, too! That's What's the Matter! Terms Liberal.

Summerside Block Shop, Water Street. Feb. 21, 1867. 3m

LUMBER YARD.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE at his LUMBER YARD ON WATER STREET all kinds of LUMBER, consisting of Pine & Spruce Boards, Deal, Scantling Laths, Pailings, Shingles, Studding &c. &c. Lumber constantly kept on hand. JAMES CALDWELL. Summerside, Jan 31, 1867. ly

WHAT THE PEOPLE WANT!

A Watchmaker at Alberton!! THE Subscriber wishes to inform the inhabitants of ALBERTON and vicinity, that he has located on CENTRE STREET, and would be pleased to receive a call. Bring in your Clocks and Watches and have them adjusted. Clocks will be carefully fastened when taken home so that no injury will occur. The ladies will remember that here is the chance to get their jewelry repaired. GEO. I. MOORE. Alberton, Feb. 28, 1867.

PRINCE COUTY TOBACCO FACTORY.

THE SUBSCRIBER would announce to his friends, customers and the public, that he has, at a considerable outlay for new moulds and machinery, so enlarged and improved the capacity of his FACTORY

In Summerside,

that he is now enabled to turn out an article of NATURAL LEAF TOBACCO.

equal to the very best, and superior to most Tobacco imported, which he will WARRANT IN EVERY RESPECT, and will sell nearly

Twenty per cent. Cheaper

than it can be imported into the Island. FLAT OR ROUND TOBACCO furnished to suit the taste of buyers.

Try it and judge for yourselves. Dealers supplied on liberal terms.

Be sure to ask for REILLY'S PRINCE COUTY NATURAL LEAF, and take none other.

Remember that the PRINCE COUTY TOBACCO FACTORY turns out nothing but the BEST KIND OF TOBACCO. PATRICK REILLY. Summerside Dec. 6, 1866.

THE LONDON & LANCASHIRE FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Accepts All Classes of Risks, At Reasonable Rates of Premium. Reference can be made to Mr. JOSEPH BERTRAM for Summerside, Saint Eleanors, &c. &c. CHARLES YOUNG, Agent. Charlottetown, November 21, 1866.

Prince Edward Island Boot and Shoe Factory,

THE Subscriber would hereby inform his numerous friends and customers that he has in course of preparation, a very superior style of

LADIES' KID BOOT.

suitable for the coming season. Also, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Wear, in every variety, such as

Ladies and Misses

Balmoral Kid BOOTS, Congress BOOTS, Grain Calf Congress do, Serge do, Balmoral do, Imitation Lace do, &c. &c.

Gents and Boys'

Calf Tap soled BOOTS, Balmoral BOOTS, do Single do, Shooting do, Grain Leather do, Knee do, Heavy Congress do, Kip do, Light do do, Brogans & Shoes, &c. &c.

Wholesale Dealers before sending their orders abroad should call and examine the large and varied stock of

Ladies' & Misses', Gents' & Boys' BOOTS & SHOES,

Specially manufactured for the Trade of P. E. Island.

GEORGE NICOLL. Ch'town, South Side Queen's Square, March 7th, 1867. tf

Administration Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the ESTATE of STEPHEN W. HALL, late of Richmond, Lot 19, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those having legal demands against the said Estate, are required to furnish the same duly attested to the undersigned for settlement.

JAMES HALL, Administrator. Richmond, Lot 19, Dec. 20, 1866.

FLOUR, TEA, SUGAR, MOLASSES, GIN, RUM, &c., &c.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS IN STORE AND FOR SALE

11 Bbls. Bright Porto Rico SUGAR; 25 Pans. Bright Retailing MOLASSES; 180 Pans. Demerara RUM, (pale & colored); 150 Cases Superior Congou TEA; 25 Bbls. Holland GIN; 500 Bbls. Superior Extra FLOUR; 80 Boxes Liverpool SOA; 140 Bundles White Cotton WARP; Hbls. and Qr. Casks Pale BRANDY; Hbls. Port and Sherry WINE.

OWEN CONNOLLY. Charlottetown 21st Feb., 1867. [March 7

Carriage Factory!!

Head of Queen Street, CHARLOTTETOWN!

THE Subscribers beg leave to acquaint the public that, having entered into a Co-Partnership, they are prepared to execute all orders in the

CARRIAGE, SLEIGH, OR

Blacksmith Business, and having each had considerable experience, they are able to turn out a FIRST CLASS

Carriage or Sleigh.

Repairing of all kinds, together with all other work appertaining to their line of business, will be attended to.

Send in your orders immediately. PROUD & M'COUBREY, Queen Street, Charlottetown, Jan. 10, 1867. ly

Boots and shoes

MADE TO ORDER IN THE BEST AND LATEST STYLE, at the shortest notice, for CASH.

JOHN HARPER. Summerside, Oct. 11, 1866. tf

King Square Warerooms,

AND STEAM CABINET SHOP!

THE Subscriber begs to inform his numerous customers, both in Town and Country that he has recently added to his Establishment

STEAM MACHINERY

of the best and on the most improved principles, and that he is now prepared to execute

The Elizabethan Turning, PLANING, TURNING, SAWING, & JIGGING,

of every description, from fourteen inches to one-eight in thickness, (which saws from one-and-a-half inch to the forty-eight of an inch in width), and also a

MACHINE

WITH Eight Circular Saws, FOR Window Blinds and Venetian Blinds— for both portable and stationary splines.

Constantly on hand a large supply of Materials of every description, for Dining, Drawing and Bedroom Furniture, in Black Walnut, Mahogany, Rose and Satin Wood, Bird eye and Curled Maple, Birch and other Woods.

EVERY CLASS OF FURNITURE,

made and executed in all the several branches of the Cabinet Making and Upholstering Business, in the most substantial manner, and of the latest styles, on as reasonable terms as any similar Establishment in the Provinces.

Undertaking,

with Hearses, &c., in any part of the Island. All orders punctually attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed.

MARK BUTCHER. Charlottetown, March 21, 1867.

Saddle and Harness Shop.

THE Subscriber begs leave to inform the inhabitants of NEW LONDON and surrounding places, that he has

Opened a Saddler's Shop at Clifton, New London,

where he hopes, by strict and punctual attention to his business, and moderate charges, to merit a share of public patronage.

JAS. SENCABAUGH. Clifton, New London, Oct. 25, 1866.—tf

FLOUR, FLOUR.

THE Subscriber has just received per schrs. Annie Laurie and Janette:

500 Barrels Extra & Superfine FLOUR. For sale low for cash.

JAMES L. HOLMAN, British & American House October 18, 1866.

NOTICE!

THE Subscriber offers for sale, on his usual Terms, the following articles viz:—

Panchoons, Prime Molasses, Chests and half Chests Tea, Bbls. granulated Sugar, Boxes and Cans Tobacco, Paint Oil, Soap, Store Polish, Ladies & Gents' Felt & Rubber Boots and Shoes.

100 doz. Hoop Skirts, Dry and Pickled Codfish and Ling, Island and Labrador Herring, &c., &c. WM. BEARSTO. Summerside, Jan. 24, 1867.

Symonds' Patent Burner & Petroleum Fluid

And Circular Wick. Be it, safest, cheapest.

NO MORE LAMP EXPLOSIONS! NO MORE BROKEN CHIMNEYS!!! NO MORE SMOKY LAMPS!!! VERY LITTLE ODOR!!!!

For sale by JAMES L. HOLMAN. Summerside, Oct. 18, 1866.

Labrador Herring,

A PRIME ARTICLE. Cheap for CASH H. J. RICHARDSON. Summerside, March 7, 1867. tf

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!

THE Subscriber has now in Store, a carefully selected STOCK OF GOODS, suitable for the season, which for quality and price compare very favourably with anything in the Trade.

Staple Dry Goods,

In Grey, White and Printed Cottons, Warps of all Colours, Cloths, Flannels and Linens, Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Shawls, Mantles, and Saques, Silks, Velvet and Felt Hats, Steel Skirts, Furs and Gloves, Stays, Sontags and Hoods, &c.

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

Coats, Jackets, Vests, Pants, Hats, Caps, Shirts, Shirt Collars, Scarfs, Gloves, &c.

Tailor's Trimmings,

Hardware.

All kinds of Cutlery, Carpenter's and Shoemaker's Tools, Chains and Nails of all kinds, Paints, Putty and Glass, Fishing and Shoe Thread, Wire Cloth, Brooms and Buckets, Broad's and Spiller's Superior Axes and Adzes always in Store.

Groceries.

Tea and Molasses, (very superior) Sugar, Raisins, Rice, Currants, and Liverpool Soap, Spices of all kinds.

Kerosene Oil.

Confectionary,

PATENT MEDICINES, Scents and Pomades.

LEATHER,

In Sole, Neat's, Calf and Grained, with other every day requisites constantly on hand.

D. ENMAN. Summerside, Dec. 6, 1866.

NEW GOODS

DAVID ROGERS

HAS JUST COMPLETED HIS FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF

Merchandise,

consisting in part of—

Dry Goods, Hats and Caps, Cotton Warp, (blue, white and red), Earthenware, in variety, Hardware, Furniture, Boots and Shoes, Buffalo Robes, Paper Hangings, Drugs and Medicines, Brooms, Pails and Tubs Iron and Salt,

Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Sole and Upper Leather, Tobacco, Confectionary, Soap, Candles, Currants, Raisins, Cheese,

Kerosene Oil, Vinegar, Pitch and Tar Oakum, Flour and Meal.

The above GOODS have been purchased on the best terms, and will be offered to the public on the very best terms for CASH.

D. ROGERS. Summerside, Nov. 1, 1866.

FLOUR, WINE, SPIRITS, GROCERIES, &c., &c.

THE Subscriber offers for sale at his Store in Water Street,

Bbls. Extra Flour, Bbls. Superfine do., Bbls. Fine do., Qr. Casks Port Wine, Qr. Casks Sherry, Qr. Casks Brandy, Hbls. Gin, Cases Irish Whiskey; Cases Scotch Whiskey; Cases Dark Brandy; Cases Pale Brandy; Cases & half-do. TEA; Bags Rice (Arracan); Boxes English Confectionery (assorted); Kegs Coleman's Mustard; Boxes do. Starck; Bags Pepper (ground); Cases Sardines, 4 lb. Boxes; Cases Black Lead, 7 lb. Packages; Boxes Soap; Bbls. Washing Soda; Boxes Grain Sacks; Bales Corks; Coils Manila Rope, (assorted sizes); Coils hemp do. do. Bundles Oakum (best navy), &c., &c., &c.

DOUGLAS M. HARRINGTON. Ch'town, Water Street, Feb. 7, 1867.

FINLAY McNEILL

BEGS to intimate that he is located in the store formerly occupied by Mr. L. VICKERSON, near the QUEEN'S WHARF, where he will be pleased to see his friends who may be in quest of

"PIPES OR TOBACCO." He solicits inspection of his

NEW STOCK,

—CONSISTING IN PART—

OF ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, Feathers, Ribbons, Laces, Silks, Velvets, Hair Nets, Trimmings, Corals, Braids, Gimpes, Ornaments, Belt Ribbons, Dress Buttons, Veils, Hats & Caps, Elips, Coburgs, Wine-cases, Lusters, Ginghams, Prints, Muslins, Sacks, Scarfs, Berlin Wools, Gloves and Hosiery, &c., &c., &c.

ALSO—To his stock of Cotton Warp, Flannels, White and Grey Cottons, Cloths and Carpetings.

All of which with a great variety of other

GOODS,

he will sell at the very lowest prices.

Groceries, in

Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Raisins, Currants, Rice, Paints, Oil, Nails, Glass, Soap, &c., always on hand.

Summerside, Nov 29, 1866

Labrador Herring!

JUST RECEIVED per Schr. Sea Bird, from HALIFAX,

100 Bbls. Labrador Herring. Price 30s per Barrel CASH.

JAMES L. HOLMAN. British & American House Nov 22, 1866

All kinds of Job Printing done with neatness and despatch at this office.

IMPORTANT TO THE PUBLIC!

THE SUBSCRIBERS have now on hand a LARGE and well selected stock of

DRY GOODS,

LADIES' DRESS GOODS, in great variety,

Furs, Scarfs, Sontags, Hoods and Feathers.

A superior lot of OWEN CONNOLLY.

CLOTHS,

suitable for the season.

Ready-made Clothing,

of all kinds.

Groceries.

Tea, (warranted good) Sugar, Molasses, Tobacco, Raisins, Currants, Apples, Spices, Bar & Fancy Soap, Sole and Neats Leather, &c., &c.

Hardware.

Nails, Putty, Glass, Cutlery, Springs and Axles, Saws, Smiths Files, Plane Irons, Rules.

The above goods are of the best quality and latest styles, and are offered to the public at the smallest advance on cost for CASH. Please call and examine our Stock.

GREEN & SCHURMAN. Prince County House, Water Street, Summerside, Dec. 20, 1866. tf

New Goods.

JUST received per Barque "LILLIE," a large and varied Stock of GLASGOW and MANCHESTER

GOODS,

—consisting of—

Wine-cs. Mixed Alpacos, Black & Col'd Lusters, Prints, do. do. Cobourgs, Cambries, French Merine, Hollands, Clan Lanas, Coat Canvas, Fanco do, Railway Wrappers, Grey, White, and Striped Cottons, Denims & Bedticks, Flannel & Shirtings, Scarfs, Braces, Blue, Scarlet, and Crimean Shirts, Blue, Red and White Warps.

Enam'd Cloth, Floor Canvas, Table Cloths, Skeleton Skirts, Paper Collars, &c. &c. &c.

The above Goods having been purchased from the manufacturers, enables the subscriber to sell much lower than his usual low prices.

JAMES L. HOLMAN. British and American House. Summerside, Nov. 1, 1866.

DOUGLASS'S FACTORY

AND FURNITURE ROOMS!

is situated on the corner of Kent Street & King Square.

HAVING put a very superior Steam Engine, with the necessary machinery for saving labour, into my Factory, and having a large stock of the various kinds of wood, I feel confident to be able to sell at wholesale, to the Trade, cheaper than can be bought in any other market, at first cost.

TURNING and SAWING in all the various branches, done at this establishment.

GEORGE DOUGLASS. Charlottetown, Feb. 7, 1867.

A. C. MORRISON,

Late of New Brunswick,

RESPECTFULLY announces to the inhabitants of Summerside, and the surrounding country, that he is prepared to execute

PAINTING,

in almost every style of the Art, viz: Plain and Ornamental Lettering, Gilding, Bronzing and Shading, Velvet, Oriental, Grecian and Crayon, (Black & Colored) Painting on Canvas, Penciling and Etching, &c., &c., &c.

Carriage Stripping and Ornamenting, Graining in Oil and Distemper, Oak, Butternut, Walnut, Satin Wood, Maple, Banyan and Mahogany, Staining in its various branches.

All work done promptly and at very reasonable rates. Orders left with T. B. HALL, will receive careful attention.

Summerside, April 4, 1867. tf

JAMES L. WEATHERBY,

PAINTER,

Summerside P. E. Island.

PLAIN, ORNAMENTAL, HOUSE & SIGN PAINTING, GRASSING, PAPER HANGING, &c., &c., &c.

Done in the latest and most improved manner.

All orders, both in Town and Country promptly attended to.

March 21st, 1867.

WALK RIGHT IN!!

THE subscriber takes pleasure in informing the people of ALBERTON and vicinity that he has opened a new TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT AT ALBERTON CROSS, where he will attend with punctuality and despatch to all orders that he may be favored with. SATISFACTION ENSURED.

WILLIAM COLLINS. Alberton, Nov. 28, 1866.

Executors Notice.

ALL persons having any legal demands against the estate of the late Mrs. BARBARA McINTOSH, of Lot 14, deceased, are hereby notified to refer the same to the undersigned, at his office, duly attested, within twelve CALLENDAR MONTHS from this date, and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment.

JAMES CAMPBELL, Executor. Ch'town, Nov. 29, 1866. ly



MRS. WINSLOW,

An experienced Nurse and Female Physician presents to the attention of mothers, her

SOOTHING SYRUP,

FOR CHILDREN TEETHING.

which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation—will allay all pain and spasmodic action, and is

SURE TO REGULATE THE BOWELS

Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and

Relief and Health to your Infants.

We have put up and sold this article for over