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Cash Capital & Assets, \$1,176,491.45.
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Head Office, - Toronto, Ont.
Risks taken on all descriptions of Property at lowest rates.
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UNION HOUSE,
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P. P. GILLIS, PROPRIETOR.
CHOICEST WINES & LIQUORS.
NEW YORK LAGER BEER.
TABLES set at all hours, with every luxury of the season.
FRESH OYSTERS received daily.
Rooms large and comfortably furnished.
COACHES from this House meet all Trains and Steamboats.
First Class BARBER SHOP.
July 4, 1879—3m

LORNE HOTEL,
TRACADIE BEACH,
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This new and pleasantly situated hotel is now open, and will be found the
Best Summer Resort
ON THE ISLAND.
It can be reached from the City twice a day by rail to Bedford, or by carriage; distance 13 miles, drive and a half hours.
Visitors will find that every care has been taken to provide for their comfort and pleasure.
PRICES MODERATE.
Special Arrangements may be made for Families.

CYRUS TAY, MANAGER.
MACLEAN & MARTIN,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Newson's Building, Opp. Post Office,
Charlottetown, P. E. I.
A. A. McLEAY, D. C. MARTIN,
June 18, 1879.—ex 2aw

DR. P. W. G. CANNING,
Licentiate Royal Colleges, Physicians and Surgeons of Edinburgh.
LICENTIATE MIDWIFERY.
RESIDENCE:
Upper Hillsborough St., corner Hillsborough and Easton Streets, Charlottetown.
OFFICE HOURS: 8:30 to 11 a.m., 7 to 9 p.m.
Charlottetown, June 24, 1879.—cof

QUEEN INSURANCE CO'Y.
OF ENGLAND.
CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS STERLING.
INSURANCE effected on all kinds of Buildings, Merchandise and Produce. Also, on Vessels on the stocks.
Special rates for isolated residences.
Losses settled promptly.
GEORGE MACLEOD (Union Bank),
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June, 1877—

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THEY NEVER FADE,
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ALL THE OLD SORTS HALF PRICE
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Ch'town, May 16, 1879—3m 1aw dy & wky

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BRITISH WAREHOUSE.

As we intend to make a change in our business at the end of the year, we are now closing out our Large and Well-Assorted Stock of **DRY GOODS** At Unusually Low Prices, (Which, we are Sure, Will Meet the Hard Times.)
Dress Goods from 6 cents upwards.
Grey Cottons from 4 cents upwards.
Prints from 6 cents upwards.
Hemp Carpeting from 12 cents upwards.
Tapestry from 59 cents upwards.
Brussels from \$1.00 upwards.
All other lines we are closing out at Prices that Defy Competition.
W. & A. BROWN.
Charlottetown, June 30, 1879.

TO LET.
A VERY desirable NEW COTTAGE, situated on the South Side of the Hillsborough River, Mount Stewart, lately occupied by Edwin Coffin, Esq. Apply to J. PEAKE BROS. & CO., Ch'town, June 20, 1879.—2aw tf.

No. 35 Water St.,
Charlottetown.
Prince Edward Island Branch
NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
FIRE AND LIFE
INSURANCE CO.
Subscribed Capital, \$9,733,332.00
Paid up Capital, - 1,216,332.00
CHIEF OFFICES—Edinburgh, Gt. Princes Street; London, 61 Threadneedle Street.
Nine-Tenths of the Profits of the Life Assurance Business are divided every five Years.
The Tables of Rates are moderate.
All Fire Insurances effected on nearly every description of Property, at the lowest rates of Premium, commencing at the nature of the risk, and with promptitude and liberality.
Losses settled with promptitude and liberality.
C. W. DEBON, General Agent.
Dec. 11, 1879.—3m 1aw tf.

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PATENTS and how to obtain them, Pamphlet of 60 pages free upon receipt of stamps for postage. Address
GILMORE, SMITH & CO., Solicitors of Patents, Washington, D.C.
TO LET.
A COMFORTABLE HOUSE containing 6 Rooms, with large Kitchen and good Cellar, situated east end Dorchester street. Immediate possession.
WILLIAM DODD, Queen Square,
July 7, 1879—

E. G. HUNTER,
Italian and American Marble,
Monuments, Tablets, Headstones,
MANTLES, CENTRE TABLE TOPS, BUREAU AND COMMODOE TOPS, WASH BOWLS, SLABS, &c., &c.
Prices to suit, and satisfaction guaranteed.
Designs furnished on application.
Corner Hillsborough and Kent Streets, Charlottetown.
November 6, 1878.

What About the N. P.
WE can sell the WALTER A. WOOD American Mower & Reaper this year as cheap as ever. Farmers in want of good Combined or Single Mowing Machines this year will do well by calling and seeing for themselves. We have the best choice single Hay Mowers on hand, priced from \$10 to \$20.
HORNE, PIERCE & CO., Agents for P. E. I.
Ch'town, June 28, 1879—2aw & w

TEA PARTY
PIC-NIC SUPPLIES!
BEER & GOFF'S
Lemon, Raspberry, and Pine Apple Syrup
Sold in bottles and by the gallon.
Plain and Fancy Biscuits
Sold in Boxes & Bbls, and by the pound.
Being Sugar, Raisins, Currants, Pastry Flour, Essence of Coffee, Confectionery, Nuts, Oranges, Potted Ham, Drivelled Ham, Bottled Tongue, &c.
June 23, 1879. Liverpool printed note.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY
OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.
Autumn Trip, 1879.
THE FIRST-CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP
1,364 tons register, classed 100 A, which is the highest class at Lloyd's, &c.
ROBERT FRASER, COMMANDER, will be on the Berth at 11 o'clock.
Liverpool, to Receive Cargo,
ABOUT THE 20TH AUGUST, AND WILL SAIL FROM
Liverpool for Charlottetown
10th September next,
Carrying Freight at through rates from London and Glasgow, deliverable at Charlottetown, Georgetown, Summerside, Alberton, Souris, Pictou, and Shediac.
For Freight, apply in London, to JONES PITCAIRN & SONS, 16 Great Winchester street; in Glasgow, to JAMES KEES, 134 St. Vincent street; in Liverpool, to PITCAIRN BROTHERS, 51 South John street; in Pictou, N. S., to NOLAN & DAVIES, or here to
PEAKE BROS. & CO., MANAGERS.
Ch'town, June 26, 1879—2aw

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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

CANADIAN.
BROOKVILLE, Ont., July 30.
A most distressing drowning accident occurred here about 11.30 this a. m., which resulted in the death of Emily and Edith, aged 18 and 12 respectively, daughters of Mrs. Huggill of this place. It appears the young ladies were bathing at Sheriff Patrick's residence where the water is very shallow for some distance and then it suddenly deepens. The young ladies had waded out some distance and, not being aware of the water deepening, took another step and suddenly sunk. Their cries were heard by two young men who were some distance from the shore, and they immediately hastened to their assistance, but failed to reach them before they had sunk and were drowned.

OTTAWA, July 30.
A large number of contractors are in the city, and their number will be daily increased, for the purpose of tendering for the construction of 100 miles of the so-called branch line from the Canada Pacific Railway west from Winnipeg. The tenders will be opened on the 1st proximo, and it is understood will be immediately awarded. It is generally understood in contracting circles that the Dominion Government intends that the line to be constructed west from Winnipeg shall be the main line, and that a short branch east of St. Boniface, which is opposite Winnipeg on the east bank of the Red River, will be constructed to meet the main line at some point from five to ten miles of East Selkirk and forming a Y. Selkirk will merely be utilized for a deposit for locomotives, rolling stock, &c.
It is understood that the Premier was entrusted with papers by the Militia Department in reference to the militia, which papers are for presentation to the Imperial Government, and that he will confer with the Home authorities with reference to placing the militia on a better footing, adapted to purposes of general defence.

UNITED STATES.
WOOSTER, Ohio, July 30.
A terrific rain storm burst upon this city last evening, the water submerging whole streets and raising waist deep in a number of houses in the lower part of the city. The inmates were removed by ladders. The water flooded the gas-houses five feet. Cows and smaller animals were carried away. Telegraph lines and railroad tracks east were washed away.

New York, July 30.
A special from Fort Davis, Texas, says Major Courtney had a skirmish with Indians at Salt Lake, 95 miles west of there, on Saturday. Two soldiers were badly wounded, and five horses captured from the Indians. Representative Ryan, of Kansas, says the rush of settlers to Kansas is unprecedented. The immigration this year will foot up 150,000. Crops of all kinds are up to the average. The average far exceeds that of any previous year. Negroes still continue to emigrate. All have found homes and employment. G. Burchett, of Dover, Tenn., was on account of being a worthless character, driven away by his wife, formerly the proprietress of the Commercial House. On Saturday night he called at the Commercial and requested an interview with his wife. He asked her to sit down and talk to him. She said she would talk to him standing up. He then fatally shot her twice through the neck. Her daughter, Miss Maggie Yates, came running from the room, when Burchett fired at her, dangerously wounding her. He then blew out his own brains.

New York, June 30.
A disease akin to cholera is ravaging Centrepont, Linn Co., Iowa. Twenty persons died from it in thirteen days. An equal number are prostrated. It is also raging in Walker, seven miles hence. Several deaths have occurred there; forty coffins have been ordered. The physicians at Centrepont are worn out. The residents are fleeing from the place. The "Telegraph's" New Orleans special says every one who can leave the city is doing so, and trains for the north are crowded to the utmost capacity. Yellow fever has broken out in the same neighborhood where it began last year, the Gordon district. From this district, a densely populated one, the fever originated in '57, '67, and '78. A little child in Bourbon street, brought here sick on Sunday night from Morgan City, has the black vomit and will die. The Morgan City authorities sent the child and its parents to this city.

MEMPHIS, July 30.
There were six new cases this a. m. Col. Cameron, with a detail of colored soldiers, took quiet possession of the grounds selected for the camp, and by 6 this a. m. had 15 tents erected.
CAIRO, Ill., July 30.
Hickman, Ky., has established a quarantine against all steamboats "up or down." The Cairo quarantine is yet only prohibitory the landing of steamers that touched at or near affected ports. "Health good."
MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 30, p. m.
Two more cases were reported to the Board of Health this afternoon, and four deaths from yellow fever, have been reported by the undertakers. An aged negro named Billie McDonald, who had been left in charge of Mrs. Allen's residence, near the north gate of Elmwood Cemetery, was

found this morning murdered by an unknown party. Samuel A. Haicher is reported in a critical condition to-night.

CHICAGO, July 31.
Advices from all along the line of the Northern Pacific Railway, state that the harvest is progressing rapidly, with most favorable weather, and superior crops are assured. The average yield is: wheat, 24 bushels per acre; oats, 50; barley, 45. The Northern Pacific line will have 3,500,000 bushels of wheat for shipment.

LONDON, July 30.
One thousand masons at Bristol on strike for two months have submitted to masters' terms.
In the Commons last night the Government re-introduced a bill enabling banks to limit liability of shareholders to twice the amount of their paid-up capital. It applies to Scotland and Ireland also. The objections of the Scotch members were appeased and the bill was read a second time.
The British Admiralty ordered all Indian troop-ships to be in readiness for six months continuous service for bringing home the troops from Africa.
The Government hope to prorogue Parliament on the 16th August, business permitting.

Gladstone publishes an extended indictment of the Governments policy.
The Gazette publishes a long list of honors conferred in connection with the Afghan war. The principal are Major Cavagnari, Gens. Stewart, Brown, Marle, Biddulph, Roberts and Lumsden, who are created Knights Commanders of the Bath.

EGYPTIAN AFFAIRS.
CONSTANTINOPLE, July 30.
At a cabinet council last night, it was resolved to adopt the modifications demanded by the British and French ambassadors in firm of investiture of Tewfik Pasha as Khedive of Egypt. This restores to the Khedive all the privileges enjoyed by Ismail Pasha, under firman of '73, without any reservation of the right to conclude treaties.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the statements or opinions of our correspondents.
To the Editor of the Examiner.
Sir,—In the Examiner of the 28th inst. appears a communication over the signature of "S. D. Fitzgerald, Secy of Fish and Game Society." That personage does not condescend to inform us whether he writes, *ex officio*, as "Secy," etc., or whether, in the plenitude of his own wisdom, and in the interests of "Fish and Game," he feels compelled to rush into print. He comes forward as the apologist, if not the champion of "city sports" and evidently regards himself as a city snail. But, judging by his letter, at "seven hours" system," if not a more thorough acquaintance with correct English, would not go amiss with our "city sports," as this the drawing-room language of "society" and "city sports." A good many ponderers make considerable profit out of "wild fowl" and "brant in season" always bring a ready market; but if they are killed out of season in their breeding time, etc., fancy killing the poor ponderers, at such an interesting period! The race will surely, to use the classic words "S. D. F.," soon be regarded as things of the past and classed among extinct species." Again: "In this country everybody can afford a gun and rods, and they have them." And again, "Everybody knows the story of the old woman with the hen of golden egg fame and its sequel. Well, they can apply it to this case and draw their own inference." We thought that the above mentioned hen was a "goose," but with this change of natural history, in the old fable we do not feel disposed to caw, as the individual who deprives us of our goose presents himself as an admirable substitute.
"We feel sure that every one will wish each other including all the can't &c. Talk of breeding, after that of trout or bipped, feathered or otherwise." The "Secretary" has a queer "fish" on hand, whose "breeding" has been to all appearances, more neglected than that of wood-cock or trout; and if he had no other object in writing, than the poor sport such tame game as he affords, this letter would have remained unwritten.
We write to ask what Col. Duvar thinks of the impertinent interference of such men as S. D. F. We would also like to be informed by the gentlemanly Col. Duvar, who no doubt, will receive valuable legal assistance from S. D. F., by what act in the terms of Confederation we, as a province, are supposed to have surrendered our rights to our own fisheries to the Dominion Government. There are those among us who contend that our inland fisheries, inasmuch as there is no express stipulation of surrender of them to the Dominion Government, still belong to the Province, and, a fortiori, the river fisheries should be ours. Of course we deprecate the wanton destruction of fish at any season, and hope ere long to see a breeding establishment in this Province; but, in the interests of fairplay to the weak, we protest against pretentious quacks volunteering the defence of dumb fish or feathered fowl, while we have a properly authorized gentleman, such as Col. Duvar, to look after their interests.
Yours, truly,
CODFISH,
North Lake, July 30, 1879.