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1 " " ..... 100 00  
1 " " ..... 50 00  
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8 " " " 5 ..... 40 00  
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The Owners of the properties guarantee to the holders of the lucky tickets a full and undisputed title, free from all encumbrance, and I will pay the cash prizes immediately after the drawing is closed. The drawing will take place in Charlottetown, on

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Any further information in reference to above properties or their owners will be cheerfully supplied.

E. H. BABBITT,

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W. W. SULLIVAN.

Aug. 24, 1881.

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BY ALL DEALERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

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THE NEW HYMN BOOK, in great variety of styles and binding, just received at HARVEY'S BOOKSTORE, Queen Street

Aug. 17—1f

## CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions or statements of our correspondents.

### The McDonald-O'Farrell Case.

To the Editor of the Patriot.

SIR,—In closing your article of yesterday you say that I am endeavoring to make the McDonald-O'Farrell case, a personal matter between you and myself. But, you add, "he cannot tempt us to get into a personal altercation with him." Well, this is simply a delicious declaration coming from you. It strongly reminds me of how the case stood between the darkey and his master one day:—

"Sambo," said the master, "Where is the hoe?"

"It's with the barrow," replied Sambo.

"And where is the barrow?" enquired his master.

"It's with the hoe," said Sambo.

"Well," said the master, getting a little impatient, "Where are they both?"

"Why the D—!" said Sambo "they are both together, I think massa wants to pick a row with poor nigger this mornin'."

There are only two acts of this department which have any real bearing on the McDonald-O'Farrell case. First, the sale to both parties; second the fulfilment of that sale or bargain by giving a deed to McDonald. You have already admitted that the sale or bargain was made by the Hon. Joseph Pope, when he was Commissioner, and that the Deed was given under instructions from the Attorney General, whose advice in questions of law is binding on all the departments. Yet you fill columns of your paper with attacks on me in connection with these acts, and when I point out the facts and you cannot confute them, you explain, with an air of injury, "Oh, you want to pick a quarrel with us!"

You say that Mr. Pope was right in selling the land. You say that the Attorney General was right in ordering the Deed to be given to McDonald. McDonald was right in refusing the refund of his money, forcing the Government, to give him his Deed, and in going to law. I have not noticed that you have condemned O'Farrell for the course he has pursued, nor demanded that Judge Hensley should be impeached for charging in O'Farrell's favor. One thing, however, you are determined to insist on, viz: that whoever is in the right I must be in the wrong. And for what? For improperly selling land to McDonald or O'Farrell? It cannot be for that, because you say Mr. Pope sold the land. For granting the Deed to McDonald? It cannot be for that, because the Deed was ordered by the Attorney General. The "chaos" of which you speak, is to be accounted for by your unfathomable insincerity or your utter inability to understand the simplest business transaction.

When you say that there was no condition annexed to McDonald's purchase, you say what is not correct. I informed you of that condition, and it is recorded in the books of the Department. When you said that there was no record in the Land Office of the Gillis' survey, you said what was incorrect. Gillis' plan is in the office, and I told you in the presence of Mr. McKinley that it was here. These are only specimens of the inaccuracies which are to be found in almost every sentence of your articles on this subject.

Your reference to Mr. Strong's letter is very disingenuous. You say that McDonald never received that letter. That it was stolen from the Post Office. I believe that this is correct. But when you say that I have accused McDonald of disregarding advice contained in a letter which he did not receive, you are endeavoring to convey a false impression by suppressing a part of the truth. You knew when you wrote this that McDonald had the same advice given him verbally, and more than once by me, in the presence of witnesses. You say that Mr. Strong's letter was stolen or intercepted out of the Post Office, that it "was produced in Court by O'Farrell's Attorney," and you demand "why I do not prosecute the man in whose possession it was found, and had the audacity to use it in a Court of Justice." Is it audacity to tell you that he did not use the language you attributed to him in reference to the Land Office that you want him to be prosecuted for receiving and using a stolen letter? You ask me if I am prepared to condone this offence. I believe that the public would feel more interested in a deliverance of your own on that subject. Not many years ago a Government of this Dominion owed its existence to the whole sale stealing of letters and papers. Did you condone it then? Or did you demand that the men who "had the audacity" to steal and use these letters should be prosecuted? If my memory serves me right, you applauded the act, and it is only some three or four months since, in this City of Charlottetown, you joined in banqueting the principal offender.

The charges which you have made against me, since I entered public life have been very numerous, and they have been urged with an ingenuity and a determination worthy of a better cause. But they have all burst like this latest one, in bubbles at your feet, each failure weakening your hands for the next attack. Your impotence is now equal to the giant which the immortal Dreamer saw sitting in the mouth of his cave, only able to grin at passing pilgrims. I have no feeling for you, but commiseration; yet, bad as your case is, it might be worse. A stern Roman law provided that when a man made a public accusation against another and failed to prove it, he should be cast into prison. When you politely insinuated that I should change places with McDonald, I could not help thinking of the old law of Rome, and how well it was for you that it is not in force in these days. In that event your case would be worse than your friend McDonald's for

his incarceration will come to an end, but yours would be perpetual.

I have no doubt that you are familiar with Goldenish's elegy on a mad dog. I would remind you of the following verse, leaving the application to yourself.

"But soon a wonder came to light,  
Which showed the rogue they lied,  
The man recovered from the bite,  
The dog it was that died."

I am, Yours, etc.,  
DONALD FERGUSON.

### China Point Ferry.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

SIR,—In the last issue of the WEEKLY EXAMINER AND ARGUS, a writer signing himself "Fairbanks," states that the ferry man at China Point, "has retired to his winter quarters." At the time this letter was written navigation at this Point, was closed by ice, and is still closed; and therefore no blame can be attached to the ferryman for not being able to take passengers across. I am at a loss to understand why such an attack should be made upon our ferryman, who is always at hand at the call of duty; and I think that if all the "Fairbanks" throughout the country were no truer than your correspondent who signs that name, there would be much false weight in the Province.

Yours very truly,  
CHINA.

### Irish National Land League.

The Charlottetown Branch of the above organization held its regular meeting last night, at 8 o'clock, in St. Patrick's Hall. M. P. Hogan, Esq., President, in the Chair. The audience was a large one. The roll of membership was increased by several new names.

Mr. Patrick Cosgrove, at the invitation of the President, gave an interesting address on the history of Ireland's grievances.

The hardships the Irish people are forced to undergo, owing to the cruelty of Landlordism, were described in strong terms.

Their present deplorable condition, the speaker said, claimed the sympathy and material aid of all Ireland's exiled children, and that the conduct of those who are holding aloof from the Land League should be stigmatized as it deserved.

The various periods of exodus of Ireland's people were referred to, showing them to be the result of the misrule that has been Ireland's history. He held it to be the duty of all lovers of freedom, especially those of the Celtic race, to unite in one final effort to bring about that brighter day when Ireland shall become a glorious and unfettered nation.

Mr. F. Curran brought to the notice of the meeting the uncharitable and illiberal manner in which the Irish question is discussed by a certain class of journalists; and that it is unfair to refuse to concede to the Irish the rights claimed by other peoples, of asking for a redress of those grievances which few can deny to exist.

A vote of thanks was passed to Messrs. Cosgrove and Curran.

Philip Coyle, Esq., Treasurer, reported the acknowledgment, from Rev. Lawrence Walsh, of fifty dollars, renitted the Irish National Land League on the 12th inst.

After a few remarks had been offered on matters of interest, the meeting adjourned.

RICHARD WALSH,

Ch'town, Dec. 20, 1881. Secretary.

### Personal.

The Queen has contributed to the relief of distressed Irish ladies.

Messrs. Moody and Sankey are to receive £700 a month during their tour in England.

It is stated that Her Majesty will open the Imperial Parliament in person in February.

It is stated that an Indian town, N. B., clerk is a defaulter to the extent of \$5,000.

MR and MRS. GOLDWIN SMITH are at present on a visit to the Archbishop of Canterbury.

The Sultan has finally refused to sign an irade, sanctioning a scheme for settling the Turkish debt.

MRS. GOOSELEY, a widow lady residing at Liverpool, N. S., died last week at the great age of 99 years, 10 months.

The London correspondent of the Globe cables that H. R. H. the Princess Louise is to spend the winter in the south of France on the advice of Sir William Jenner.

The other day Mr. Beecher urged the members of his church, for the sake of keeping up pleasant church associations, not to sit in the aisle ends of pews and make everybody climb over them to get a seat.

### News Notes.

The directors of the Canadian Pacific railway deny that they have any intention of building a road to Port Nelson, on Hudson Bay.

The British Government has taken the Italian Foreign Minister to task for stating that she was indifferent as to French movements in Tunis.

In England Canadian purchases for the spring trade have been unusually large this year, and the Intercolonial Railway route is growing in favor of shippers.

The Montreal Herald contends that the wicked Sir John Macdonald means to "go to the country" in 1882, and that he forced on the Quebec elections as part of his nefarious plan. Well, the result of the Quebec elections is not reassuring to our Grit friends; and if their fears of an election are great, they have obviously great reason to fear.—Toronto Mail.

According to the quarterly report of the Western Union Telegraph Co. submitted to the meeting of the board of directors on the 14th, the net revenue for the quarter ending December 31st is estimated at over \$2,000,000. After payment of all expenses and a dividend of \$1,200,000, a surplus of \$1,013,000 will be carried forward. The surplus on July 1st, 1881, was only \$127,000; the improvement in the condition of the Company, therefore, has been most marked.