

THE RECEPTION.

THE ARRIVAL.

His Worship the Mayor received the following dispatch this afternoon:—

Pictou, Aug. 13, 1879.

To the Mayor of Charlottetown.

Shall arrive about 10 a. m. to-morrow, and land about eleven. *Druid* will be accompanied by the fleet.

DEWINTON.

THE PROGRAMME.

The programme for to-morrow is not yet made out. But societies and citizens invited will receive notice of the order in which the procession will form and march.

THE SALUTE—CANNONS AND BELLS.

On landing of the Vice-Regal party to-morrow morning, at eleven o'clock, a Royal salute of twenty-one guns will be fired from Fort Edward, and the church and fire bells of the city will ring out a merry chime.

THE TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION.

The torchlight procession will march between ten and eleven o'clock on Friday night, and the fireworks will be set off from the firemen's arch immediately after.

HEARTY PREPARATIONS.

To-day the whole City is full of excitement. Everywhere the sound of the hammer is heard, and busy men and women, from the highest in the land to the humblest, are all fired with the enthusiasm of the day. The visit of our Governor General at any time would call forth the loyal congratulations of our people, expressive of their attachment to our beloved Queen, her Throne, and the free institutions under which it is our happiness to live.

But on this occasion the Governor-General not only represents the Crown and Constitution, but is also a member of Her Majesty's illustrious family. While all nationalities will welcome the Marquis of Lorne as Governor General, it may be expected that more than ordinary enthusiasm will fill the breasts of those of our fellow countrymen to whom the name of the Duke of Argyll is associated with so many interesting reminiscences of Scottish nationality.

Above all it is the presence of the Queen's daughter, H. R. H. the Princess Louise, which gives the Vice-Regal visit such importance.

THE PASSION OF THE HOUR.

The arches, the flags,—that are already being thrown out to the breeze,—the cheers that will greet the Royal party, the illuminations, the firemen's torchlight procession, the voice of music and of song from the children's stand in front of the Province Building, the demonstrations of every kind that the occasion is calling into existence, are all indicative of the feelings, the enthusiasm, the passion of the hour, which is to make the Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise fully cognizant of the fact that our people, one and all, are most hearty and loyal in their attachment to the glorious Constitution under which it is our happiness to enjoy free institutions.

THE ALL-ABSORBING DESIRE.

The all-absorbing desire of the whole people—gentle and simple—is to see the Princess, our beloved Queen's daughter. "The divinity which doth hedge a King," and conventional usages, to some extent, interpose. Yet, we feel sure, in those days of liberal thought, when the "Reign of the common people" is the all-absorbing topic, that every facility will be given to all, high and low, to see the Queen's daughter.

THE SCOTTISH GATHERING.

The grand Scottish Gathering under the auspices of the Caledonian Club of P. E. Island, promises to be a great success on Friday. The Vice-Regal party will visit the grounds, the hour of their visit we hope to be able to announce in our columns to-morrow. Their welcome by the Highland clansmen of our Province will be right hearty and enthusiastic.

It is not unlikely, if consistent with the order of things, that the Club will seek to interpret their feelings by the presentation of an address in the Gaelic language.

The steamer "Worcester" arrived from Boston yesterday evening with a cargo of fruit and general merchandise, and the following passengers: Mrs Mulcahey, Mrs Robblee, Mr A Robert, Mr Francis Dares, Mrs Berigan, Mr D McRae, Miss McRae, Mr R Fenel and wife; Mr Goodale; W K Gosten, Mary A McDonald, Mary McLean, Mrs McLean, Miss Lantry, Mrs B Gaspee, Mr Kelly, Mr McPherson, W Wohnn, James Lucas.

The Patriarchs of Port la Joie Encampment, are requested to assemble at the Encampment Room to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock, sharp, and accompany the subordinate Lodges on the occasion of the landing of the Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise. All having uniforms will please bring them. By order of the C. P.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE, Scribe.

The officers and members of St. Lawrence Lodge, No. 28, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet in their Lodge Room on to-morrow, Thursday, morning at 10 o'clock, and proceed to wharf for the purpose of welcoming the Vice-Regal party. All visiting Oddfellows are requested to be present.—R. McLAUREN, Secy

I. O. O. F.—Regular convocation of "Port la Joie Encampment" will be held at Oddfellows Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—All members of the order are requested to meet in the Division Room this (Wednesday) evening—11

When the steamer comes from Pictou to-night, see passengers rushing, with great delight, for Rocklin House hack and horses white, to be driven wherever they think right.

The British fleet has left Mityleine for the Archipelago.

RECEPTION NOTES.

Description of Arches, etc.

FIREMEN'S ARCH.

The firemen have erected an immense triple arch on Queen Street—at its junction with Grafton street—which is a credit to the loyalty and enterprise of the Fire Companies of this city. It is thirty-eight feet high, sixty-four feet wide, and nine feet broad. This arch is built in the most substantial manner, and will, on the appearance of the Royal visitors, be manned by one hundred and fifty firemen. The roof is formed by five stair-like elevations, which are ornamented by large white scrolls, running the length of each elevation, and bordering on the eaves. On the apex stands a real steam fire engine, which the firemen intend to run at full blast on the approach of the Vice-Regal procession; and from the other elevations float national colors on lofty poles. On the front of the main arch is "Firemen's Welcome," while at the top of the buttresses are large stars beautifully executed in colors, and under these are neat blue shields in which may be seen emblems of various kinds. On the side arches are the names, "Lorne," "Louise," while on the broad side facing east are the initials "L. L.," and on the west side, "V. R." The arch is covered with evergreens, decorated with flowers and largely decked with bunting. The eaves are finished with a deep moulding, painted red and white, and around the four buttresses are belt cornices of beautiful design, nicely painted. The arch was designed by and constructed under the superintendence of Capt. James Butcher, of the "Sir John A. Hook & Ladder Co." It is pronounced by competent judges to be the best arch yet erected in the Maritime Provinces. Whether this be the case or not, it is an excellent piece of workmanship, and no one can pass Queen street to-day without admiring its colossal and grand appearance. On Friday night it will be illuminated by a choice variety of colored lights, and a grand display of fireworks will take place from the roof.

THE CITY ARCH.

This is the neatest and least expensive triple arch of the lot. It is Gothic in style, and very plain in finish, and presents a compact and stylish appearance. The main arch is supported by two pinnacled columns, and the side arches are joined to the main arch columns and supported at the outer sides by smaller ones. The columns of the main arch are thirty-two feet high, and the roof rises to a sharp point between them to a distance of thirty feet, and the roofs of the small or side arches rise in the same fashion in proportion. From the top of the roofs and pinnacles are floating national flags. On the front of the main arch are the names "Lorne and Louise," and on the rear "Marquis and Princess." While on the front and rear of the side arches is the word "Welcome." The arch is evenly covered with evergreens, and is decorated with roses. It was built by Messrs. H. & J. Lowe, of this city.

ODDFELLOWS' ARCH.

This arch is situated on Kent street, at its junction with Pownal street. The centre or main arch is thirty-six feet high by nineteen feet wide; and the side arches are twenty-six feet high by ten feet wide. The arches are covered with evergreens, decked with flags and decorated with roses, etc. On the east side of the roof—which is high and tapering—is the following original couplet:—

"Oddfellowship spreads on the breadth of the breeze
A welcome to Lorne and Royal Louise."

And on the west side is—

"Send word, Royal Lady,
That just such another
Fond welcome awaits here—
God bless her—thy mother."

In the centre of the main arch are wreaths of roses, tastefully strung over a brilliant transparency of the three links, in which are seen the initials "F. L. T." On the columns which support the main arch are pinnacles from which float national flags. The side or small arches are surmounted by tents—representing the encampment branch of the order—and on each side, below these tents, are hung flags with the names of the different lodges inscribed on them. Altogether, the arches are emblematical and very pretty. This arch was built at the expense of the Oddfellows of this city, by Mr. Edward Stair.

THE GOVERNMENT ARCH.

The arch in front of the Colonial Building is a very neat one. It is of the Roman type—one centre and two side arches. The central one is eighteen feet wide by twenty-seven feet high, and the side arches are seven feet wide by thirteen and a half feet high. It is covered with evergreens and trimmed with roses and thistles. On the front over the main arch—on a white ground, for illuminating purposes—is "Victoria Regina;" and on the rear is "Welcome, Welcome." On the side arches are "Lorne," "Louise." This arch was erected by Mr. James Brown, Civil Engineer, at the expense of the Government. It reflects much credit on Mr. B's taste and skill.

RAILWAY ARCH.

The railway authorities have erected a beautiful arch in front of the station. It is triple, with side openings three feet wide. The centre arch is twenty feet wide, and the side arches five feet. The roof is flat, and is surmounted by the transparency of an engine. On the front and rear are hung the Royal and Argyle arms with the mottoes: "Welcome to our Island Home," and "God save the Queen." Open circles, about four feet in diameter, pierce the arch about midway between the top of the side openings and the roof. The whole arch is decorated with evergreens, flags and flowers, and presents a very fine appearance.

JUDGE YOUNG'S ARCH.

The arch on Prince Street, erected by His Honor Judge Young, near

his residence, is very tasteful and handsome. It is surmounted by spruce trees; the pillars being represented as trees growing, and arched over from one to the other, with the mottoes "Willkamme," "L. & L.," "Bien-veuu." The work was superintended by Mr. Theo. Aitken.

GRAND STAND FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Between the Government Arch and the Colonial Building are two stands, each having a capacity to seat five hundred children, who are to sing on the visit of the Royal party to the Building. These stands were commenced yesterday at noon. Mr. Brown and men continued to work at them all last night. It is now completed in a most substantial manner.

RECEPTION TENT.

The reception tent has been erected close to the head of Pownal Wharf,—at the cost of the city,—under the supervision of Mr. Henderson, who has also to construct a suitable landing for the Vice-Regal party. The tent is built in the shape of a neat triple arch. On the front—facing the river—is "Welcome to our Shores," and on the rear is "God Save our Noble Queen." In the small side openings are large slabs for the use of Press reporters. A stairway leads from the centre of the tent to the landing—which breaths closely and safely against the head of the wharf. The place of landing has been well selected, well arranged, and is most convenient. Pownal Wharf has been put in good order, and its present appearance is creditable to the city.

DECORATIONS BY CITIZENS.

Messrs. Bremner Bros. decorations are beautiful in design and artistic in appearance.

Mr. Hermans is beautifully decorating the front of his premises; and his illuminations will be elaborate and tasteful.

Messrs. Robert Young and E. W. Taylor are decorating their respective stores in a beautiful manner.

The Rankin House is gay with evergreens and bunting.

The Union House, Queen street is nicely decorated with wreaths of evergreens, etc. Messrs. J. & W. Beer, C. E. Robertson, Dorsey & Jost, W. R. Boreham, and Robt. Young are now decorating the front of their stores with evergreens. Messrs. O. Connolly & Co, are preparing for the illumination.

The Government buildings, civic, local and general—will be thoroughly decorated and illuminated, and preparations for this are now going on on the largest scale.

A dais is being raised on the balcony in front of the Colonial Building.

DUST.

MR. EDITOR,—Please give the Mayor a hint to take a leaf out of the Frederictonians' book, and have the water cart going over the route to be taken by the procession on Thursday morning, so that our illustrious visitors may not be suffocated with Charlottetown dust.—W.

SAU AB-RAH has arrived, and he will lecture on "Heathenism" this evening in the Baptist Chapel, at 8 o'clock.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

RANKIN HOUSE.

Aug. 12—Gen George W Bentley, New London, Conn; Charles Barnes, do; C J Shephard, do; Edward B Rowe, do; Dr James McClabey, New York City; C C Vinton, Princeton, N J; F M Cotton, Moncton; H M Churchill, Rustico.

ROCKLIN HOUSE.

Aug. 12.—E G Fuller, Miminigash; Alfred Schurman, Bedeque; William Pound, Margate; Isaac Schurman, Bedeque; Mrs A Schurman, do; Rev G Walker, New Glasgow, N S; James Lucas, Boston; A Roberts, do, Mrs A McLean, do; Maggie Rose, do; Mary A McDonald, do; Susan McLean, do; Peter Bourke, Mill Valley; James Gilroy, Toronto; A E C Holland, Centreville; E F Hathaway, St John, N B; Colin Wright, Bedeque.

I. O. O. F.



To the Officers and Members of

Willey Lodge, No. 27, I. O. O. F.

AN invitation having been received by the A. D. G. M., from the Reception Committee of the City Council, requesting our Order to join in a procession of societies on the arrival of His Excellency the Governor General and H. R. H. Princess Louise, we are hereby requested to appear at our Hall, to-morrow (THURSDAY) morning, at 10 o'clock, in order to form procession.

FULL REGALIA.

By order of the N. G.

C. Y. YATES,

Rec. Sec.

August 13, 1879—

The Campbells Are Coming!

WHO WILL GO TO MEET THEM?

EXCURSION

outside the Harbor,

TO MEET THE "DRUID."

THE STEAMER SOUTHPORT

will leave the Ferry Wharf at about 8.30 a.m.

To-morrow, Thursday.

Aug. 13th, 1879—

TEMPERANCE.

THE members of St. Joseph's Total Abstinence Society, are requested to meet in St. Patrick's Hall, THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock, p. m., to organize for a procession on arrival of the Governor-General and Princess Louise.

A. A. MACDONALD,

August 13, 1879.

President.

FRANKLIN HOUSE.

THIS New, Large and Commodious House, beautifully situated in the suburbs, will open for the accommodation of guests on the 13th inst. Terms Moderate. This House has all the advantages (freedom from dust and heat) of a country residence; and it is ONLY TWENTY MINUTES WALK FROM THE COURT HOUSE.

HENRY COOMBS,

Proprietor.

August 11, 1879.

"Encourage Home Manufactories."

CITY STEAM BAKERY.

THE Proprietor of this Establishment, after having fitted up his premises with the newest machinery, etc., is now prepared to supply the citizens of Charlottetown, and the inhabitants of the whole Island, with all kinds of Bread, Crackers, Biscuits, Confectionery Cakes, Pastry, etc., Cheaper than ever. He warrants all goods manufactured by him to be of the purest nature, and always fresh.

Picnics and Tea Parties Supplied at the Shortest Notice.

Orders from the Country Promptly Attended to.

WEDDING CAKES!

MADE TO ORDER, ALL SIZES AND DESIGNS.

All Biscuits and Crackers put up in boxes or barrels, without extra charge; and are always fresh, not being over a week old when delivered, which is a great advantage to customers, as imported Crackers (very often) are not fresh when brought here by importers. The following is a list of Crackers and Biscuits always on hand:

BISCUITS, CRACKERS, ETC.

SODA BISCUIT, in boxes
WINE " " "
FRUIT " " "
COFFEE " " "
TEA " " "
DYSPEPSIA " " "
WINE CRACKERS, " " "
BUTTER " " "
SUGAR " " "
MILK " " "
WATER " " "
MEDFORD " " "
OYSTER " " "
SEED SUGAR CAKES, " " "
GINGER BREAD, " " "
CINNAMON BISCUIT, " " "
ABERNETHY " " "

FANCY BISCUITS.

ORANGE CRACKERS, in boxes,
LEMON " " "
ALMOND " " "
FILBERTS " " "
QUEEN " " "
WASHINGTON " " "
FINGERS " " "
JUMBLES " " "
GINGER SNAPS, " " "
LEMON " " "
JENNY LINDS, " " "
CORNHILLS, " " "
CRACKNELLS, " " "
MACCARONS, " " "

A Large Supply of Pilot Bread Kept in Stock, Such as:

FAMILY PILOT, NAVY BREAD,
BOSTON " NO. 1 PILOT,
THIN CAPTAINS PILOT, NO. 2 PILOT.

DOMESTIC BREAD A SPECIALTY,

Being hot from the Ovens daily. Also French Rolls, "Parker House Rolls," "Bath Buns," "London Buns," "French Twists," etc.

PASTRY AND CAKES.

Fruit Pound Cake, Plain do. do., Sultania Plain do., Maderia do. do., Sponge Cake, Cup Cake. Ornamental Wedding, with Almond Frosting, any size from 5 lbs. Upwards.

JOHN QUIRK.

August 5, 1879.

J. B. MacDonald

HAS JUST RECEIVED

3 Cases Gents' American Felt Hats

1 CASE GENTS' STRAW & CHIP HATS,

30 Dozen Gents' White & Coloured Shirts,

50 DOZ. GENTS' LINEN COLLARS (New Styles)

2 Cases Gents' Paper Collars,

25 DOZ. GENTS' MERINO & COTTON HOSE,

2 CASES NEW PRINTS.

2 CASES NEW WHITE COTTONS,

50 Dozen Women's & Children's Cotton & Merino Hose,

WILL BE SOLD AT THE LOWEST PRICES.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Queen Street, Charlottetown, June 26, 1879—her

CANDLES! MOLASSES AND SUGAR.

20 BOXES.

CARVELL BROS.

Ch'town, Aug. 11, 1879—21

SALT. SALT.

2000 BUSHELS

Cadiz Salt

FOR SALE BY

I. C. HALL,

NOW LANDING, on Peake's No. 2 Wharf, ex Ada R., direct from Barbadoes,

Panchoons, Tierces and Barrels

Choice Barbadoes Molasses.

—HOGSHEADS—

BRIGHT GROCERY SUGAR!

For sale low while landing.

MATTHEW, MACLEAN, & HEARTZ.

August 6, 1879.—41