

THE DAILY EXAMINER. AUGUST 29, 1884.

Stock Farm Stock.

The suggestions and inquiries of "Stock Raiser" in yesterday's EXAMINER are deserving of consideration. That a full description of the animals to be sold at the Exhibitions should be published in good time is evident, and we hope the Commissioners will act on the suggestion. We are informed that the young stock to be sold this autumn are the most valuable ever offered for sale in this Province. It is therefore desirable that their merits should be widely known, so that all our farmers may have equal opportunities of improving their herds. In this way better prices will be obtained,—which is desirable for two reasons: first, that the Stock Farm may be kept as nearly as possible within the range of self-sustenance, and second, that the animals may fall into the hands of farmers who will properly appreciate them, and, by liberal treatment, obtain the greatest good from their purchases. As a rule, the man who is not willing to pay a fair price for a superior animal, is not prepared to feed it, and otherwise care for it, so as to make his bargain really advantageous to himself and to his neighbors.

The P. E. Island Exhibition, 1884.

The list of premiums for this annual Exhibition, to be held at Charlottetown, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 8th and 9th of October next, contains several strong inducements to competitors in the different departments of agriculture and local industry. Horses, for instance, are offered first, second and third prizes in all the different sections, and Dr. Dodd gives special prizes for "Barrister" stock, amounting to fifty dollars, cash. The total amount of cash prizes for horses is \$287. Cattle, also, in all the sections receive first, second and third prizes, with additional sections for thoroughbred Jersey bulls and cows, and also for Ayrshire and Jersey (female) grades. The total amount in cash prizes for cattle is \$349.

Sheep, pigs and poultry are also liberally dealt with. The butter industry has received special attention at the hands of the Board of Commissioners. In addition to the usual awards, the sum of \$50, one-half of which amount is given by Mr. K. Brace, the enterprising proprietor of the Champion Creamer, will be awarded for the best packages of butter, the keeping qualities of which are to be tested by being stored until July 1st, 1885. The prize list furnishes all required information on this point, and also shows that a large number of special prizes are offered by Mr. Brace for butter made with cream from the Champion Creamer.

Norton Brothers (hardware store) deserve honorable mention for giving the liberal sum of \$50 in cash prizes for best carriages and buggies. Contributors of this kind add very much to the interest taken in the Exhibition.

The premiums offered from all sources amount to nearly \$2,000. This is considerably larger than any amount awarded at any previous Exhibition ever held in this Province.

The prize list, published by authority of the Board of Commissioners, is now ready for distribution, and can be had of the Secretary of Prince County Exhibition, Summerside, of the Secretary of King's County Exhibition, Cardigan, at the desk of the Market House Clerk, Charlottetown, and at the Secretary's office, Charlottetown.

Editorial Notes.

—Professor Sheldon and Professor Fream agree in saying that the wheat crop has been so large everywhere that Canadian farmers had better not hold on for higher prices.

—Professor Boyd Dawkins does not believe that meetings of the British Association in Montreal or anywhere else in the Colonies, will bind Englishmen together politically; but such meetings will, he thinks, tend to unite all Englishmen by bonds of thought and feeling.

—Montreal advices say that the fifty-fourth annual meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which is now being held in Montreal, is the largest and best meeting the Association ever held. The Right Honorable Lord Rayleigh delivered the inaugural address.

—The Ottawa Sun begins an article with these words:—"Wouldn't it astonish the natives were the Hon. Alex. Mackenzie to enter Sir John's Cabinet as successor to Sir Charles Tupper in

the Ministry of Railways." The same paper contains another article headed "Faith in popular gullibility!" He must have a good deal of faith of this kind who thinks people will believe such a ridiculous canard as that to which the Sun gives currency.

—An Ottawa despatch announces that "His Excellency the Governor-General has received instructions from the Imperial War Office to furnish 600 voyageurs to go up the Nile to the relief of General Gordon at Khartoum. Lord Wolseley's experience in the Red River expedition leads him to believe that our Canadian canoe men are just the men to lead the relief expedition. The engagement of the volunteers for the service has been entrusted by Lord Lansdowne to Mr. J. T. Lambert, lumber agent, of Ottawa, who has already had a number of offers from persons willing to go to Egypt. The class of men required are those who have been engaged in running timber on Canadian rivers. They will be needed in taking the flat bottomed boats up the Nile and making portages around the rapids. Lord Melgund is awaiting instructions from the Governor-General before issuing an advertisement calling for volunteers. The men will be required to sail from Quebec about the 15th of September, so as to reach England in time to join the Gordon relief expedition, which leaves about the first of October. It is expected that three months will be occupied in the trip and that the cost of each boatman sent from Canada, will be about \$7000 in addition to passage money, clothing, food, equipment, &c. An effort will be made to get qualified foremen to accompany the voyageurs, so that there will be no necessity for placing them under military discipline. It is proposed to take 300 men from the Ottawa district, and 300 from the Quebec and St. Maurice regions. Some Indians will be accepted." Leading lumber merchants in Ottawa say they think there will be no difficulty in getting the number of men required.

Obituary.

Our obituary column contains a notice of the death of William B Spratt, Esq., of Hong Kong, China, who died there 4th July last. Mr. Spratt was a son of Captain Thomas Spratt, formerly of Charlottetown. He left this Island at a very early age, and sought his fortunes further east than do most of our countrymen. We are pleased to record that during a residence in China of twenty-seven years he sustained by his ability and enterprise the good name that Islanders generally achieve for themselves abroad. He was the builder, and, for a number of years, the chief proprietor of one of the largest works undertaken there—the Cosmopolitan Dry Docks—which he disposed of a few years ago to a joint stock company in which he was largely interested. His daughter, Mrs. Charles Cairns, of this place, left here about three months ago, and reached Hong Kong just ten days before her father died.

The Sarnia Observer, in noticing the death of the Rev. Alexander McLean, of Belfast, says:

"It is with deep regret that we have to record the death of the Rev. Alex. McLean. The sad event took place on the morning of the 11th inst., at the residence of Mr. J. B. McKinnon, sixth line, Moore. The deceased was a devoted, godly young minister, of the Presbyterian Church. He was a son of the late Alexander McLean, Esq., of Portage, Belfast, P. E. I. At the age of thirty-two the Lord whom he faithfully served has been pleased to transfer him from the church below to the church above. He was much esteemed by all who enjoyed his acquaintance. All his family connections in these quarters and all their neighbors sympathize deeply with his widowed mother, brothers and sisters. His mortal remains were forwarded on the Grand Trunk cars on the 12th instant, at noon, to be conveyed to P. E. Island, to be laid in the family burying ground."

Incendiary Fire.

THE ALMA HOUSE, SUMMERSIDE, DESTROYED.

This morning, at two o'clock, the stable of Mr. John Sharp, off Central Street, Summerside, was discovered on fire. The flames spread quickly to the Alma House, which is owned by the Clark Estate, and occupied by Mrs. Gillis. Summerside Fire Brigade went to the scene, but were unable to do anything further than prevent the further spread of the flames. The Alma House and Mr. Sharp's stable were consumed, and the loss is estimated at \$800. The Alma House was insured in the Queen Insurance Co., for \$400. It is evident that the fire at the Alma House was the work of an incendiary. Before midnight an attempt was made to burn the residence of Mrs. Massey. She fortunately discovered the inflammable matter—shavings saturated with kerosene—piled against the house, when it began to burn, and extinguished it. Later, the torch was applied to another house; but the fire was discovered and also extinguished. We learn that two suspicious characters were arrested this morning on a charge of incendiarism.

Our Advertisers.

Wm. Dodd advertises an auction sale of apples, lemons, etc., on the 30th instant; also a sale of household furniture, at the residence of Mrs. Swabey, Prince Street, on the 10th September.

Owen Connolly informs all concerned that the books and other debts of Doyle & McBride, Souris, have been assigned to him, and requests an immediate settlement.

It cost the United States \$5,456,389 31 to take care of the Indians this year. The \$5,456,389 goes to the agents and 31 cents to the Indians.—Boston Post.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Cruelty to Animals.

Sir,—Some time ago an attempt was made to organize a society for preventing cruelty to animals, and a committee was appointed to make rules and regulations to govern the Society. Since then, nothing whatever has been done, and the movement has become as dead as the last Fenian Raid. Charlottetown is the only city in the Dominion that has not got a society of this kind, and I am sure one is badly needed here, and if once organized, and properly conducted, would be the means of doing much good, for not a day passes without some act of wilful cruelty being inflicted upon some dumb animal. For the sake of humanity, and the good name of the city, let this society be organized at once, and all right thinking men and women will become members and give in their hearty support. Who will move in the matter and start the good work? With the improvements on the Squares, waterworks, and this society in efficient working order, Charlottetown will then compare with other cities of the same size, and not till then.

Yours, etc., JOHN M. WHITMAN, V. S.

Prince County Liquor Return.

Sir,—By late papers I observe that our neighbors across the Straits are having some fun over the "Return of liquor sold to parties in Prince County, P. E. Island, under the Canada Temperance Act." During the last session of the Dominion Parliament, Mr. Yeo, it will be remembered, called for this return, and the result is that a great number of the people of this County find themselves enjoying a notoriety they never once dreamed of. Now, Sir, I may tell you that I am a temperance man, and wish the good cause success to the fullest possible extent. I voted for the Scott Act and have assisted, as far as in my power, in having it carried out in its entirety—as the good laws of our country deserve to be. But I fail to see what good can arise from having the names of respectable private citizens, published in the Blue Books of Canada in connection with the sale of liquor under the Scott Act. Perhaps Mr. Yeo, who by the way, is not particularly noted for his temperance principles, considers he did a very clever thing indeed when he called for that return. I, however, very much mistake the sentiments of the people of Prince County if they do not teach him a lesson at the next election.

The Scott Act, I believe, is the best temperance Act we have ever had on our Statute Book; but, like many other laws, it is not as perfect as it might be made. There should be some provision made in it for the punishment of doctors who give certificates, wholesale and retail, to those who are, unfortunately addicted to strong drink. The vendors, too, should be held responsible for certain irregularities that are constantly occurring with their approval and through their connivance. The proper way to remedy this, however, is by legislative enactment. Publishing to the world the frailties and shortcomings of those addicted to strong drink will never remedy the evil. Mr. Yeo may possibly think that he is serving the interests of temperance in following the course he has taken; but I, for one, protest against publishing in the Dominion Blue Books, the names of highly respectable ladies and gentlemen, simply because they purchased a pint or so of liquor occasionally, and that, too, for medicinal purposes only. I merely express the opinion of my neighbors—who, I am proud to say, are nearly all thorough temperance people, when I say that Mr. Yeo has acted a very strange and foolish part, in exposing, as he has done, not only the frailties of the lovers of whiskey belonging to his County, but also the private affairs of men and women whose characters for sobriety and uprightness of life are beyond reproach.

Yours truly, PRINCE COUNTY MAN.

Aug. 27, 1884.

Items from New Westminster, British Columbia.

There are eighteen P. E. Islanders in this city.

The citizens of New Westminster are endeavoring to get a branch line from the C. P. Railway to this city.

At the Scotch Gathering held in this city yesterday, Mr. Daniel J. Munn (Balfour P. E. I.) took 1st prize for putting light hammer, also 2nd prize for putting heavy stone.

Messrs. McDonald Bros., (late of Souris, P. E. I.) have a very fine store on Columbia Street, and are doing a very fine business, and keep constantly on hand a full stock of groceries.

New Westminster, 13th August, 1884.

The Election Record.

The election record since the Dominion general election of 1882 now stands as follows:

Table with columns: No., Date, Constituency. Lists election results for various constituencies from 1882 to 1884.

Of the foregoing seats the following were Government gains:

Lennoxburg, York.

And the following were Opposition gains:

Lennox, Megantic.

VACANT.

West Ontario.

This record does not indicate the existence of the wonderful reaction of which we hear so much and so often from our Reform contemporaries.

Apples, Lemons, Vinegar.

To be sold by Auction, To-morrow (Saturday), 30th instant, at eleven o'clock, at my room,—

- 10 bbls Apples. 5 boxes Lemons. 6 casks White Wine Vinegar. 200 boxes Digby Herring.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Aug 29, 1884.

VALUABLE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

To be sold, by Auction, on

Wednesday, the 10th September,

at the residence of Mrs. Swabey, Prince Street, all her Household Furniture, consisting of Drawing Room Suit (in Walnut), handsome Mantle Mirror, Centre Table, Whatnot, Brussels Carpets, Dining Room Extension Table, Walnut and Leather Chairs, China and Glass Ware, B ok Case, Hall Oil Cloth and Carpet, Hall Stoves, Bedroom Furniture (very handsome), Iron Bedsteads, Wardrobe, Chamber Sets, Beds and Bedding, Kitchen Stove and Kitchen Utensils, etc.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, Aug 29, 1884—pat

Notice of Assignment.

I HEREBY give notice that all book and other debts, due the firm of Doyle & McBride, are now assigned to and payable to me. All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to make payment of the amount due by them to my agent, Sampson Farquharson, at the shop lately occupied by Doyle & McBride, at Souris East.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1884.

OWEN CONNOLLY.

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Flour, Apples, &c.

BY AUCTION,

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30TH,

at 10.30 o'clock, at my Auction Room,

- 50 bbls. Superior Extra Flour, 10 bags " " " " 5 lbs. Sugar, 25 bbls. Apples (choice), 10 bbls. Onions, 20 boxes and baskets Grapes, 5 half-chests Tea.

Sale positive. No reserve.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, Aug. 28.—2i

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Re Refund Fishery Duties paid in 1871 and 1872.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons in this Province, being British subjects and having a claim to such refund, that I have been authorized to EXTEND MY ENQUIRIES in the matter thereof to the year 1872. Wherefore, I require all persons having claims for duties paid to the United States Customs, on Fish and Fish Oil, in the year 1872, to forward the same to me, in writing, within thirty days from this date. Every claim to be addressed to me, at Charlottetown, and to contain the post office address of the applicant.

Dated this twenty-seventh day of August, A. D. 1884.

ROWAN R. FITZGERALD, Commissioner, etc.

Aug 28—all tel pa 2i

NOTICE.

A MEETING will be held in the New Perth school House of the Dairy Association, for this section of King's County, on

Tuesday, the 2nd of September,

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK, P. M.

All interested will please attend. Important papers will be read on the subject, and by-laws submitted for the future government of the Association.

J. D. BELL, Secretary.

Montague, Aug 25.

HARD COAL.

JUST RECEIVED, per schooner Isaac Burpee,

300 Tons Anthracite Coal,

Chestnut and Egg Sizes. Orders left at

CAPT. J. HUGHES,

Ch'town, Aug 26.

Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien.

LOANS on Mortgage for periods not exceeding 10 years, without Sinking Fund, and from 10 to 50 years with Sinking Fund.

The borrower is privileged to pay off his loan, in whole or in part, at any time. Circulars giving detailed information can be obtained on application at the office of Messrs. Sullivan & Macneil, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

W. W. SULLIVAN, Agent for the Company.

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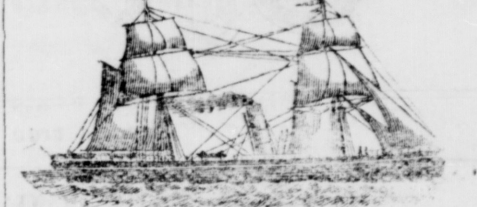
NEW SEASIDES,

—AT—

BREMNER BROS.

July 28, 1884.

For St. John's, Newfoundland.



STEAMSHIP

“COBAN,”

Due here on or about 1st September,

STEAMSHIP

“BONAVISTA,”

Due here on or about 5th September,

Both steamers carrying Freight, also Cattle and Sheep on deck

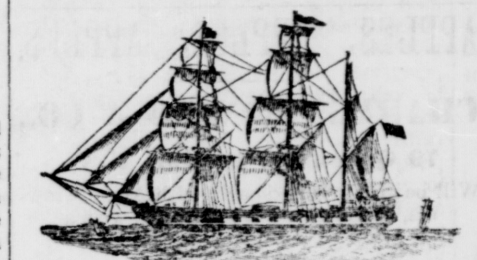
For Freight or Passage apply to

PEAKE BROS. & CO.

AGENTS.

Ch'town, Aug 25—tf

LONDON AND LIVERPOOL.



1884. Regular Traders. 1884.

BARKENTINE

“ERLEMA,”

300 tons Register, classed 9 years A1 at Lloyds,

Richard Rendle, Commander,

Will sail from

London for Charlottetown

ABOUT THE 20th SEPTEMBER.

ALSO THE BARK

“MOSELLE,”

500 tons Register, classed 10 years A1 at Lloyds,

Alex. McLeod, Commander,

Will sail from

Liverpool for Charlottetown

About the 25th September,

Carrying freight at through rates to Pictou, Georgetown, Souris, Summerside and Shediac.

For freight or passage apply in London to John Pitcairn & Sons, 16 Great Winchester Street; in Liverpool to Pitcairn Brothers, 51 South John Street, or here to the owners,

PEAKE BROS. & CO.

Aug 21—3aw tf

LONDON HOUSE.

THIS week we shall offer all our Stock of

Colored Cotton Shirts,

AT A

SURPRISING REDUCTION,

TO CLEAR.

Regular Price, \$1 65, for \$1.25.

“ “ “ “ \$1.40, for \$1.00.

“ “ “ “ \$1.15, for \$0.80.

“ “ “ “ \$1.00, for \$0.75.

“ “ “ “ \$0.90, for \$0.70.

A LOT OF

Unlaundered White Shirts,

65 CENTS EACH.

GEO. DAVIES & CO

Aug 14, 1884.

HOUSE TO LET.

THE Subscriber offers to let a most desirable two-story House, on Fitzroy Street nearly opposite the residence of William Brown, Esq. It contains twelve rooms, besides kitchen, and has been papered anew and painted inside and outside this summer. There is also a Stable, Coach-house and Garden attached.

DONALD FERGUSON.

July 7, 1884.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.

A GRAND Moonlight Excursion will be held, under the auspices of the "CITY CORNET BAND," on

MONDAY, SEPT. 1st,

In the str. St. Lawrence

The Steamer will leave Steam Navigation Company's Wharf at eight o'clock, p. m. The String Band will furnish music for Dancing.

All kinds of Temperance Refreshments can be had on board, at moderate prices. TICKETS—Gents, 40 cents; Ladies, 30 cents. To be had at Fraser & Reddin's and C. D. Rankin's Drug Stores, G. G. Jury's, North Side Queen Square, J. Burbridge's Boot and Shoe store, Kent Street, and the Committee, and at the Wharf.

Should the weather prove unfavorable on Monday, we will "Wait till the Clouds Roll By," and hold the Excursion on the following Wednesday.

By Order of Committee.

Ch'town, Aug 25—pat fr mo

FOR SALE.

2,000 bushels Fishery Salt,

L. C. OWEN.

Ch'town, Aug. 18—mo fr

STEAMER MIRAMICHI.

Montreal to Charlottetown.

Leaves Montreal, Monday, 11th August, and every alternate Monday afterwards.

Returning, leaves Summerside, Tuesday, 19th August, and every alternate Tuesday.

Superior passenger accommodation, and freight carried carefully at lowest rates.

CARVELL BROS.

Ch'town, Aug. 1, 1884.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

FOR SALE—The schooner Kathleen, 48 tons, in good condition and ready for sea. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [aug 28 Si pd]

WANTED—A smart Young Man to act as News Agent on Train. Apply at Railway Station, Charlottetown. [aug 28 Si]

WANTED—A COOK. Apply to Mrs. DeBlois, Devonport Cottage, Charlottetown Royalty. [aug 28]

WANTED—A Smart, Intelligent Lad, for office and outdoor work. Apply to A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. [aug 27]

FOR SALE—Light American Buggy, made of the best of American Hickory, with steel axles and light patent wheels, in good running order. Will last for years. Made by the best makers—Durham, Booth & Wooster, of New Haven, Ct. To be seen at W. C. Tice's Boarding Stables, next door to Fish Market, Grafton Street. [aug 27 Si]

WANTED—A smart Dining Room Girl, for a Hotel. Good wages. [aug 5]

TO LET—A very desirable Residence, containing nine rooms, on Bedford Street. Good stable and Coach-houses on the premises. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [aug 25 eod]

WANTED—Servant, for light housework and to nurse. No washing or ironing. Apply before two or after seven p. m., to Mrs. O'Meara, Pleasant Street. [aug 22]

GIRL WANTED immediately, to do general housework in a small family. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. John A. Moore, Hillsborough Square. [aug 21]

WANTED—A good plain Cook. Apply to Mrs. George Peake, Edgecombe House. [aug 20]

WANTED—A Servant Girl for general housework. Apply at this office. [aug 18]

WANTED—A GIRL, for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Hillsborough Street. [aug 16]

WANTED—A NURSE. Apply at this office. [aug 16 tf]

WANTED—Two Journeyman Shoemakers. Apply to JOHN MONAGHAN, Richmond Street. [aug 14]

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Two Dining Room Girls and a Chamber Maid. Apply at this office. [aug 4 tf]

WE will give exclusive sale at and near Charlottetown, of our Entire Wheat Flour, to a dealer who will push it. Covered by patent. Best of quality. We guarantee 100 lbs. more bread to the barrel than any other flour.—FRANKLIN MILLS CO., 38 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill. [aug 2]

TO LET—Shop and Tenement on Upper Queen Street, at present occupied by Mrs. McLean. Apply to J. MCGILL. [aug 2—pat.]

MONEY TO LEND at 5 per cent