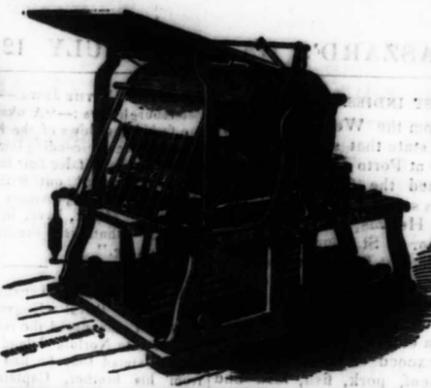


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29 Kilby Street, (near State), Boston.
OFFERS for Cash at low prices, Springs, Axles,
Bolts, Spokes, Rims, Shafts, Enamelled Cloth,
Patent and Enamelled Leather; all of first quality.
Superior malleable Iron on hand, and furnished to
order and pattern. Full assortment American Har-
ness, Hardware. PARTICULAR ATTENTION
GIVEN TO ORDERS.

COALS! COALS!!
40 CHALDRON Pictou COAL, Just arrived and
for Sale by
JAMES PURDIE.
Charlottetown, Dec. 5.

EDUCATION.
A Rare Chance for Young Men.
MR. A. A. MACKENZIE wishes to inform
the Young Men of this City, that he has
opened an Evening Class in the Temperance Hall,
and is prepared to give instructions in the follow-
ing branches, and on the following Terms per
Quarter of 48 Evenings each, namely:—
1st, Reading, writing and arithmetic, £0 10
2d, Grammar and composition, 0 15
3d, Practical Geometry and mensuration, 0 15
4th, Trigonometry and mensuration, 1 0
One-half of the Quarterly Fee to be paid on enter-
ing.
Those studying the first three Branches would
require to be in attendance at 7 o'clock, and those
in the others at 8.
Mr. McK. flatters himself, that his long and
well-tried experience in the practice of teaching,
Evening Classes, will enable him to convey a far
greater amount of practical knowledge to his pupils
in a given period of time, than has been commu-
nicated by any of his predecessors.
Charlottetown, Feb. 21st, 1856.

JOHN HARPER,
Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,
(Queen-St., in Mr. Dobry's Buildings),
Solicits the patronage of the public, and will endeavor
to merit the confidence of all who may favor him
with business in the above line. Feb. 11, 1856.

Carriage Bolts.
HASZARD & OWEN have received a large
Stock of the above of the following sizes:—
LENGTH. DIAMETER.
1 1/2 inches by 1/2 5-16 2-8
1 3/4 " " " 5-16 2-8
2 " " " 5-16 2-8
2 1/2 " " " 5-16 2-8
3 " " " 5-16 2-8
3 1/2 " " " 1-4 5-16 2-8
4 " " " 1-4 5-16 2-8 7-16
4 1/2 " " " 1-4 7-16 2-8
These Bolts have neatly turned heads and are offered
for sale at from 25 to 50 per cent lower than they can
be made for on the Island.

COPAL VARNISH.
A FEW Tin-cans of superior COPAL VARNISH
for sale by
H. HASZARD.
Charlottetown, July 2d, 1856.

PASTURE TO LET.
CATTLE will be taken in to graze for the
season on the Royal Agricultural Society's
farm, from the first June next, at the following rates,
viz:—
All under 3 years old, 20s.
All over 3 years old, 35s., paid in advance.
All fence breakers will be turned out. Apply to
WM. W. IRVING,
Secy. R. A. Society.

Hardware! Hardware!!
JUST RECEIVED from the United States, and
for Sale by **HASZARD & OWEN**—
Mortise Locks and Latches, from 9d to 20s each.
Rim, western, store door and plate Locks, &c.
Small Locks, (a large stock.)
Wardrobe, hat and coat Hooks, 4s a 2s 6d per doz.
Iron and wooden Bench Screws,
Clamp and Riggers' Screws,
Wilson's Braces, (gear-wheel'd), &c. 2s 3d a 16s.
Mineral, porcelain, silvered Door-Shutter and Draw-
er Knobs,
Mahogany, walnut and japanned Drawer Knobs,
Coal Chisels and Tinsmiths' Tools,
Pencil Sharpeners,
Grindstone Fixtures, from 7s 6d a 12s
Circular Saws and Arbors, and Leather Belting,
Hammers, (a large assorted Stock)
Hatchets, (shingling, claw, lathing, broad, &c)
Narrow and Broad Axes and Adzes,
Plumbs and Levels,
Screw Plates and Dies,
Web Saws and Handles, lever Sawsets
India Rubber Packing, combs, toys, bat, ball, &c

STEAMER
Lady Le Marchant.
PHILIPS F. IRVING, COMMANDER.
Under contract with the Provincial Govern-
ment carrying Her Majesty's Mails.
THIS superior British built STEAMER—coppered
and copper fastened, 212 tons Register, 90
horse power, classed at Lloyd's for 18 years, having
superior accommodations for Passengers—will run
regularly, during the season, on the line between
Charlottetown and Pictou, and between Charlot-
tewtown and Shediac:—
Leaving Shediac, unless prevented by unforeseen
circumstances, every Tuesday morning, at 6 o'clock,
for Charlottetown; leaving Charlottetown for Pic-
tou every Tuesday at 2 o'clock; returning from
Pictou every Wednesday, leaving at 8 o'clock; will
again leave Charlottetown for Pictou every Thursday
morning, at 10 o'clock; will return from Pictou
every Friday, leaving at 6 o'clock; and will go on
to Shediac, leaving Charlottetown at 1 o'clock.
For freight or passage, apply at Richibucto to
the owner, **L. P. W. DESBRISAY, Esq.**—in Shediac
to **E. J. SMITH, Esq.**—in Pictou to Messrs. J. &
J. YORSTON.—or in Charlottetown to
THEO. DESBRISAY.
June 12, 1856.

Tin & Copper Worker,
GAS-FITTER, &c.
THE undersigned, grateful for the encouragement
he has received since his return from Califor-
nia, begs leave to inform the Citizens of Charlottetown,
that he has, in addition to the Copper and
Tinsmith business, undertaken GAS-FITTING,
(with the approval of the Gas Company, they having
declined this branch of their business,) to which and
his former business, the public may depend, he will
give every satisfaction, and dispatch all orders with
which they may favor him.
JAMES MILLNER.
Charlottetown, June 12, 1856.

FREEHOLD PROPERTY
FOR SALE.
TO BE SOLD by private Sale, a valuable free-
hold farm, containing two hundred (200) acres
of land, fifty of which are in a state of high cultiva-
tion, on which is a new dwelling house finished,
length 38 feet, by 26, with a Barn, finished also, 56
feet by 27, a well of water convenient; a never
failing stream runs through the rear, fitted for
machinery or pasturage of cattle. This valuable
property is situated 8 miles from Georgetown, and
23 miles from Charlottetown. For further particu-
lars, apply to
PETER STEWART,
New Perth.

A CARD.
HAVILAND & BRECKEN,
Barristers & Attornies at Law,
NOTARIES PUBLIC, &c., &c.
OLD CUSTOM-HOUSE BUILDINGS,
Water-Street, CHARLOTTETOWN,
P. E. ISLAND.
T. BRATH HAVILAND,
FREDERICK BRECKEN,

MISCELLANEOUS.
SANDSTONES FOR BUILDING.
The last number of the *Mining Maga-*
zine contains a paper recently read be-
fore the Boston Society of Natural His-
tory, by F. Alger on the above subject.
Samples were exhibited of the New Jer-
sey sandstone, of which New York Trin-
ity church is built; also of the Connect-
icut brown sandstone, which is more ge-
nerally used than any other; also a new
kind from Nova Scotia. The preference
was given to the latter. The New Jersey
stone was considered next in quality,
while the Connecticut stone was held
to be inferior to both. The Nova Scotia
stone contained no carbonate of lime, and
no sulphuret of iron; neither does the
Jersey stone, while the Connecticut kind
contains both carbonate of lime, mica,
and some sulphate of iron. These sub-
stances in sandstone detract from its
durability, and cause the stone to split
off in scales, when subjected to excessive
heat. A cubic foot of Nova Scotia sand-
stone weighs 155 pounds; the same bulk
of Jersey stone weighs 157 pounds per
cubic foot. The great amount of iron
which the latter contains is the cause
of its greater weight. All these sand-
stones belong to the sedimentary group of
the old or new Red sandstone, and ac-
company the coal formations. Many of
the fine old buildings in Great Britain are
composed of these—such as the famous
Abbey of Melrose, the Glasgow Cathed-
ral, &c; and so durable have they proved
to be, that altho' they have stood since
1142—714 years, the most minute mould-
ings and decorations are yet in perfect
condition. All sandstones do not possess
the same durable qualities. Some of
them soon moulder and decay by ex-
posure to the weather. Sandstones con-
taining deep red streaks are not to be
depended on, as these marks are evi-
dences of the presence of oxyd of iron,
which soon crumbles out. It is true that
the face of sandstone can be preserved
by paint, but then it is much cheaper to
use brick than such stone, and it looks
nearly as well in a building. Sandstone
of a close fine, uniform grain should
always be laid down in a building in the
same position its layers occupy *in situ*
—that is, horizontally. No stone, mar-
ble or sandstone should ever be laid up
in a building with their planes of strati-
fication vertical; and yet we have seen
many thus laid. Every person knows
or should know that they cannot, when
thus laid, stand such a crushing force;
they are liable to split down through these
planes when superincumbent weight is
placed upon them. The edges only of
the layers of stone should be exposed to
the weather, because if placed otherwise
they are more liable to crumble and decay
in climates like ours, where there is
much moisture and frost. If a block of
sandstone be immersed in a saturated
solution of the sulphate of soda for a few
hours, then exposed to the atmosphere for
a few days, crystallization will take place
within the pores of the stone and cause
the same disintegration that is produced
by frost. This is Dr. Ure's test of the
durable character of sandstones; it is

one that requires but a very short time
to perform, and should not be neglected by
those who are engaged in building houses
for themselves or others.
Wash for Wounds in Cattle.—Dissolve
one ounce of sulphate of zinc (white cop-
peras) in a quart of soft water, and wash
the wound with this, morning and evening.
It is an excellent wash for common sores,
but for virulent ulcers of long standing, the
following is also an excellent and more
powerful wash; Sulphate of zinc, one
ounce; corrosive sublimate, one dram; and
muriatic acid (spirit of salt,) 4 drams,—
all dissolved in a pint of soft water and
bottled for use. Apply it with a sponge
morning and evening.
Oil for Wounds.—Take one pint of
neat's foot oil, and half an ounce of the
oil of thyme; mix them together and add,
by degrees, 6 drams of the oil of vitriol.
These ingredients must be well stirred in
a glass or stone-ware vessel, until they are
perfectly incorporated, then bottled up for
use. This is an excellent oil for bruises in
the feet of horses, and oxen.
Hoof Ointment.—Take one pound each
of tar and tallow, and mix them with half
a pound of common turpentine in a stone-
ware dish. Stir them well until they are
thoroughly incorporated together. This
forms an excellent dressing for the sore
hoofs of horses and oxen.
THE TORBANEHILL MINERAL.—An Eng-
lish paper says, that the Queen's Palace
has for some time been lighted by means of
the "Torbanehill Mineral," the gas from
this substance being destitute of sulphur.
The same journal says:—Last year 10,
000 tons of this mineral were sent to Lon-
don alone. Not long ago, the French Gov-
ernment published a report regarding this
substance, which had previously lighted up
the whole of the Hotel des Invalides. It is
sent to the most distant parts of the globe.
A ship loaded with blocks of this mineral
conveys an enormous quantity of a pecu-
liar oil, the source of the illuminating
power, in the smallest possible bulk—76
per cent. or three-fourths of the substance
being latent oil, and the rest pure clay.
A YOUNG MAN was conversing in a public-
house of his abilities and accomplishments,
and boasting a great deal of his mighty
performances. When he had finished, a
Quaker quietly observed, "There is one
thing thou canst not do; thou canst not tell
the truth."
Losing a cow for the sake of a cat.
This is the Chinese interpretation of going
to law.
A CLERGYMAN was censuring a young
lady for tight lacing. "Why," replied
miss, "you would not surely recommend
loose habits to your parishioners."
LORD STAFFORD told Moore, that Lady
Caroline Lamb, in a moment of passion, had
knocked down one of her pages with a stool.
"Well," said the poet, "it is nothing un-
common for a literary lady to double down
a page."
A PARTIZAN paper says, "It is a mistake
that the (opposite) party plays upon a harp
of a thousand strings. The organ of that
party is a lyre."
DR. QUIXOTE tells an anecdote of a man
who, on being threatened with an assault by
eighteen tailors, cried out—"Come on, back
of you."