BOARD OF TRADE.

The delegates to the Portland commercial convention having arrived home on Saturday last, a meeting of the Charlottetown Board of Trade was called in the City Hall on Monday night, for the purpose of receiving their report. The meeting was so small that it was adjourned until Thursday evening next. From conversation with the delegates, we learn that the Convention was largely attended by representatives from the principal cities of the United States, and of the Dominion of Canada. Railway extension in various directions, to connect with the great Pacific line, was the principal object which the Americans had in view in calling the Convention; but they were also alive to the importance of Free Trade with the Provinces. That feeling of retaliation which prevaded the Detroit Convention, and which led to the abrogation of the old Treaty, has died out, and given place to a desire for the restoration of the former commercial relations between both sections. One or two protectionists and rabid republicans, attempted to influence the Convention to a policy of Annexation and coercion; but they were frowned down by the good sense of their fellow-countrymen. If, however, there are some senseless creatures on the other side of the line, with contracted and prejudiced views, there are also some inflated toads on this side, who are equally stupid and impracticable. One of these characters sends forth through the columns of the *Journal*, a dismal croak from his greenish pond at Summerside, in lamentation of General Butler's visit to this Colony in the interests of Free Trade. We are happy to know that these narrow proscriptionists are few in number, and that their influence to promote bad feelings between the neighbouring Republic and these Provinces, is small indeed. In spite of all they can do, Free Trade between our neighbours and the Provincialists, is only a question of time, which will, we trust, be much shortened by General Butler's visit to this Colony, and the reception which he and his colleagues will receive. Neither the Government nor the people have anything to do with his politics apart from the immediate object of his mission, and if, by being hospitable, courteous, attentive and communicative, Free Trade can be secured, we can afford to forget what General Butler's political enemies said of him during the heat of the civil war. His reception, we have no doubt, will be worthy of the Colony, and of the important interests involved in the success of his mission. The members of the Government are fully alive to the responsibility which rests upon them in this matter, and as soon as any official propositions or information come before them, they are prepared to act vigorously and to use every proper exertion to secure Free Trade for the Island. We hope to see a large meeting of the Board of Trade on Thursday night, to hear the report of the delegates, and to consider still farther the question of reciprocity. Judging from the small meeting on Monday night, we would be apt to believe, that those who attended former meetings had no higher interest to serve than to be appointed on the delegation and have a pleasant excursion. Failing in that, they turn tail on the Board and drop reciprocity like a hot potato. Fortunately, there are others in the community, who take a deeper interest in our commercial relations with the United States, and we expect to see a goodly number of them in the City, or Police, Hall on Thursday night, as also at the County meeting on Friday.

COLONIAL RIFLE COMPETITION.

The Annual Rifle Competition of the Island Volunteers came off, as announced, on Thursday and Friday last, at Kensington. The number of spectators was small, but there was a good show of volunteers present, —one hundred and twenty competitors from Prince and Queen's Counties being entered on the roll. There were two sets of prizes offered—the regular and the all-comers. The shooting in both cases was good—particularly that of Ganner Younker, of the 1st Artillery, who has now carried off the first prize in successive competitions. His score is the highest that has ever been made in this Island, and we understand that he is going to compete at the shooting matches which are shortly to take place in Nova Scotia. There are also several other good shots in the Island Volunteers, as will be seen by the following score:—

Prize.				Names.	200	600
1st. Mdl & £10	0	0		L. Younker, 1st Art'ly,	17	15
2nd	8	0	0	T. Doyle P. Wales,	18	13
3rd	7	0	0	W. C. White "	18	12
4th	6	0	0	C. Small, Thistle,	14	16
5th	5	0	0	A. McLellan, Dundas,	17	11
6th	4	0	0	H. Houston, 1st Art'ly,	15	13
7th	3	0	0	D. McKinnon, P. Wales,	16	11
8th	2	0	0	J. T. White, "	17	9
9th	1	10	0	D. Arbing, Royalty,	13	12
10th	1	0	0	E. J. Rodd, Springvale,	16	9
11th	0	15	0	W. Rodd, Mtd. Rifles,	16	9
12th	0	12	6	Lt. Col. Beer, Dundas,	17	8
13th	0	10	0	Capt. Purdy, 2d Art'ly,	16	6
14th	0	7	6	J. Laird, 1st Art'ly,	16	8
15th	0	5	0	G. Coombs "	15	9
				ALL COMERS.		
					300	400
1st	4	0	0	G. Seaman, L. York,	14	17
2nd	3	0	0	W. Rodd, Mtd. Rifles,	12	17
3rd	2	10	0	J. Henderson, Royalty,	15	14
4th	1	10	0	G. Dogherty, 1st Art'ly,	11	17
5th	1	0	0	A. Stewart, Dundas,	12	16
6th	0	15	0	G. Henderson, Royalty,	11	17
7th	0	12	6	T. Tanton, Queen's Own	12	16
8th	0	10	0	C. Molyneux, Royalty,	14	13
9th	0	7	6	H. Houston, 1st Art'ly,	12	15
10th	0	5	0	N. McNeill, P. Wales,	11	14

After Mrs. Dundas had presented the prizes, His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor appropriately addressed the volunteers, congratulating them upon their progress as marksmen and volunteers, and thanking Lieut. Colonels Haviland, Rankin and DeBlois, (Sec'y. to the Rifle Association) and Capt. Freeland, (late of the 4th Regt., but now Staff Adjutant in the Militia and Volunteer force of this colony) for the efficient services they rendered as Umpires from the opening to the close of the competition. Three cheers each were then given for the Queen, the Commander-in-Chief, Mrs. Dundas, and the Umpires, after which all hands dispersed for their homes.

A Move in the Right Direction.—On Friday night last, a meeting of several prominent citizens was convened in the office of the Marine Insurance Company, for the purpose of forming a company, raising funds, and selecting a site on which to build an hotel suitable to the requirements of the colony. D. Davies, Esq., occupied the chair, and Mr. F. W. Hales acted as Secy. Mr. Hales submitted a plan and estimate of the proposed hotel, and mentioned several eligible sites therefor, which were in the market. The choice, however, centred between a lot owned by Capt. W. Welsh, and the Hodgson property situated on the corner of Great George and Water Streets. A decision in the matter was left to a future and fuller meeting. A share-list was then submitted, and signed by nearly all present. There can be little doubt that with slight exertion, the required amount—about £5000—can be readily obtained —for not only is a large hotel much required; but the capital invested in it could not fail to yield a handsome return.

Serious Accident.—On Tuesday, Mrs. Rierdon, wife of Mr. M. Rierdon, of the West End Foundry, fell into that trap of a sink in the Fifth Ward, to which we called public attention some time ago. As Mrs. Rierdon is in a delicate state of health, it is feared that the shock which she received, as well as the injuries she sustained, will prove serious. Because, in the interests of the citizens, we call attention to these matters, Councillor Laird finds it convenient to make personal attacks upon us, whilst the lives of the heads of families are allowed to be endangered through the slothfulness and carelessness of City Councillors. We hope Mr. Rierdon will hold the Corporation responsible for damages, as a good round bill recovered from them would have the effect of arousing them to a sense of duty. The facts, as presented to the Council yesterday, by Mr. Rierdon, are simply disgraceful to the city, and especially to the Councillors for Ward Five, and call for the denunciations of the press and the active interference of the citizens.

Policemen are being assassinated daily in New York. The *Sun* advocates a reform by changing the mode of selecting the judicial officers who are playing into the hands of the lawless—reasoning thus:—

"The great obstacle in the way of this is the large influence which ruffians exercise in political affairs. This power is thoroughly understood by all candidates for popular favor. It is fully appreciated. Men who seek public office court the favor and support of the dangerous classes. Murderers understand very well that the place in which a friend is most valuable to them is on the bench; and they spare no effort to put and keep friends there.

Every record of the cold blooded murder of a faithful police officer is a fresh argument against our elective judiciary. We had better look this mischief squarely in the face and reform it."

Nova Scotia.—On Friday last, the Attorney General of Nova Scotia tabled a lot of resolutions in the House of Assembly—to the effect that in proceeding with the business of the country, the Legislature did so under constraint from the Imperial Government. Under such circumstances, no action of the Legislature was to be taken as an acquiescence in Confederation, to which the Government and people are opposed. No compromise will be accepted, as repeal alone will satisfy them. This is something like a resolution compared with the milk and water affair of the Local Convention some days ago, and indicates that Nova Scotia is not going to tamely submit to tyranny and wrong.

The Westminster Review for July, republished by the Leonard Scott Publishing Company of New York, has been received. Its contents are—1. The Character of British Rule in India; 2. Davidson's Introduction to the New Testament; 3. Co-operation applied to the Dwellings of the People; 4. Nitro-Glyncerine; the New Explosive; 5. The Marriage Laws of the United Kingdom; 6. The Incas; 7. Church and State; 8. The Spanish Gipsy; and a Review of Contemporary Literature.

A Sea Serpent at the East Point.—A correspondent at Souris writes:—"Quite a sensation was caused last week amongst the boats of Chepstow by the appearance of a monster sea serpent. It appeared to be, as near as the fishermen could judge, 100 feet long. It made no attempt to molest the boats, but gave the men that saw it a great scare. It glided along quite leisurely, showing its head, which was a tremendous size.—There have not been any catches of mackerel made on the South side as yet.

The work on St. Patrick's Hall, Charlottetown, (destined for the Christian Brothers' School,) which was suspended some time ago in consequence of a disappointment in the receipt of suitable brick from the United States, is again resumed, and is being vigorously prosecuted—a cargo of pressed brick having arrived from Portland on Saturday last.

Major General Charles Grahame Halpine, better known as "Miles O'Rielly," a very gifted Irishman, died suddenly in New York, on the 3rd instant. He wielded much influence over his countrymen in the Great Republic, where he had resided for the past twenty years. He was thirty-nine years old, and held at the time of his death, the honorable and remunerative position of Registrar for New York City.

Sir John A. McDonald's Government has sustained a defeat in the constituency of West York, Ontario, vacant by the elevation of Hon. Mr. Howland to the Lieut. Governorship of that Province. Mr. Wright, the opposition candidate, was elected by a majority of 250 over the Ministerial nominee, Mr. Bell.

In compliance with a requisition to Sheriff Longworth, a County Meeting has been called for Friday next, in Market Hall, to take into consideration the subject of reciprocal free trade between this colony and the United States of America.—Chair to be taken at two o'clock, p. m.

A collision, the result of careless driving—between two horses and wagons, occurred at the crossing of Prince and Grafton streets, on Monday evening. The result was, that one of the wagons was knocked into smithereens, and the shaft of the other broken. Fortunately no one in the wagons was injured.

The Dominion steamer *Napoleon*, having on board the distinguished party of Canadian visitors mentioned in our last issue, left for Quebec on Wednesday evening —having a very mean opinion of the courtesy and hospitality of Charlottetown. During their brief stay they were the guests of His Excellency Governor Dundas.

The great Pacific Railway is now completed for over 800 miles, and will be finished and ready for traffic next year. A pleasure excursion from the Provinces to Sanfrancisco will then be quite as common as a Fourth of July excursion to Boston is at the present time.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Dundas, and G. D. Atkinson, Esq., Private Secretary to His Excellency, started yesterday morning in the steamer *Princess of Wales* on a three-week's visit to Halifax.

We have to acknowledge, from Peter McGowan, Esq., a statement of the City accounts up to the 1st January, 1868. We shall refer at length to this statement in our next number.

Mr. Kennedy, the Scottish vocalist, gave two entertainments to fair audiences in Market Hall this week—one on Monday night, and the other on Tuesday. We cannot speak too highly of the performances.

The Paris boat and crew have maintained their reputation at a recent boat-race at Carleton, N. B., beating their competitors in a distance of four miles by two minutes.

☞ The Firemen of the City are going to hold the Picnic of the season at Southport to-morrow. As it is to be the last of the season, we have no doubt it will be well patronized.

A noted American politician, Thad. Stevens, departed this life at Washington on the 12th instant.

Mr. Wright's readings in Temperance Hall, and Mr. Smith's singing, were good, although not well patronised

The Steamer *Alhambra* arrived at this port last night from Boston and Halifax.

Prince Alfred brought home from Australia a fine collection of the birds and animals of the island.

Gen Rosecranz has been appointed U. S. Minister to Mexico.

Sir Robert Napier, at a banquet given to him by the members of the East India United Service Club, in a graceful and modest speech, spoke of the honour he felt to be a member of the Indian service, and said, "I am perhaps the first Indian soldier who, from a simple Lieutenant, having nothing but his name and his sword to begin with, has won the honour which her Majesty has been pleased to designate for me. I have thought seriously whether I should be wise in accepting the honour which I am informed is to be conferred upon me, and one great motive for my acceptance of it is that it is conferred upon me as a member of the Indian service."

The *Moniteur* publishes a notice relative to permission accorded to Baron Emile d'Erlanger and M. Reuter to lay down a telegraphic cable from France to the United States. The communication is to be established before Sept. 1, 1869. The line is to start from Brest, and reach some point on the American coast between Boston and New York. The price of despatch containing twenty words cannot exceed 100f.

Captain Doane, of the steamer *Commerce*, which arrived on Saturday from Prince Edward Island, reports a brigantine ashore at White Head, but he did not ascertain her name.—*Ex. paper.*

Winter Wheat for this Island should be sown from the 15th to the 25th August. We understand Mr. Beer intends having his Winter Wheat ready for delivery on Monday, the 17th inst.—*Pat.*

The Paris *Moniteur* says the French trans-atlantic cable will be finished by the 15th of August, 1869.

The fall of Humaita is considered a mere question of time, and the deserters state that Lopez has ordered its evacuation, and was preparing to dispute the passage of the River Tebiquary. The expeditionary force sent to pierce the enemy's country and reconnoitre the the position of Lopez, had returned without achieving its object. A strong feeling prevails here amongst some parties against the alliance with Brazil. A terrific storm passed over the River Plate, causing much damage.

A new Dukedom.—The present Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, the Marquis of Abercorn, is to be made a Duke, under the title of the Duke of Abercorn. Ducal honors are rarely conferred in England. The last man upon whom the honor was conferred was Lord Wellington, who was made a Duke in 1814, for his achievements in the Peninsular war. The Marquis of Abercorn, James Hamilton, K. G., P. C., is the eldest son of the late Viscount Hamilton.

The *United Service Gazette* says that it is currently reported that Mr. Eyre will be the next Governor of the Dominion of Canada. There are about six noblemen and gentlemen, each of whom the London papers declare is to be the next representative of the Sovereign in this country.

The President of the United States has directed the Secretary of War to withdraw all the military from those of the Southern States which have representatives in congress. Thus has civil government been restored, and the despotism of military power been abolished.

It is reported that the northern Damios had taken possession of Yeddo. The party of the Mikado were acting with great vigour and had mustered a large army to meet the rebel forces.

It was rumoured that three distinguished jurists—Sir W. Pagewood, Justice Selwyn and Sir Fitzroy Kelley—were to be raised to the British peerage.

Governor Stoveson, Democratic, of Kentucky, has been elected by a majority little short of 90,000. So says the Boston *Post*.

His Grace the Archbishop, who has been engaged for the past six weeks in the visitation of his diocese in the Western counties, is expected home this week.—*Hx. Ex.*

The Paris *Liberte* says Dr Pusey, of England, has become a convert to Catholicism.

Council Office,
6th August, 1868.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen Justices of the Peace for Prince County, viz:—

John Hunter Duvar of Township No. 5, Esquire.
Mr. *John MacDonald Archibald* of Township No. 14.

Aug. 13. CHARLES DESBRISAY, C. E. C.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

INWARDS.

Aug. 11.—Velocity, Macheau, Richibucto, boards, scantling, shingles; Seaman's Bride, McDonald, Merigomish, 35 tons gravel; P. of Wales, Evans, Pictou, Mails; Feme, McLean, Buctouche, 10 m feet deals, to Owen and Welsh. 12th.—Commerce, Doan, Boston & Halifax, mer.; P. of Wales, Wier, St. John's, Nfld., 500 barrels herring, to A. McNeill; Pursuit, O'Brian, Chatham, boards and scantling, to W. Dodd; Vermont, Rennels, Pugwash, 16 m feet deals to A. McNeill; Elizabeth Ann, A. W. Bept, 13 m feet deals, to Welsh & Owen. 12th.—Highland Maid, Forster, Richibucto, deals, boards and laths, to W. Dodd; Charles, McNeill, Shemogue, deals; E. Y. O., McFadyen, slack coal, to Peake Bros. & Co.; Lively, Roberts, limestone, to J. Peardon; Princess of Wales, E. Evans, Shediac, mails & pas.; Fury, McEachern, Chatham, boards, pailings and laths, to N. Rankin, Esq. 13th.—Royal Arch, Aylward, Chatham, 142 tons limestone, to master; Charles E. Moody, T. K. Clark, 115 bbls. mackerel; Albert Edward, Atkinson, Shediac, boards and deals, to A. McNeill, Esq.; Annie, Sullivan, Pictou, coal; Shannon, Bushey, Richibucto, boards, deals and shingles; Vilette, McNeill, Pugwash, limestone, to J. Peardon; Ariel, Finlayson, Richibucto, 24 m feet deals, to Hon. J. C. Pope. 14th.—Heather Belle, KcKenzie, Pictou, Mails; Princess, Hopkins, Gulf, 115 bbls. mackerel, for Captain; Senator, McInnes, Gulf, 60 bbls. mackerel, to Captain; Daniel, Walsh, Pictou, 59 tons coal, to Lawson and Walsh; Fanny, Janvirin, Gulf, 187 barrels mackerel, to Capt.; Banner, McFarland, Gulf, 186½ bbls. mackerel, to Capt.; Margaret Jane, Chapman, Buctouche, lumber, to A. McNeill, Esq.; P. of W., E. Evans, Pictou, mails; May, Leblanc, Chatham, lumber, Wm. Dodd. 15th. —Moneguash, F. Wathan, Liverpool, ballast; Alice Myrick, Kelsey, Boston, mer., to I. C. Hall, Wm. Higgins, Neil Rankin and others; P. of W., E. Evans, Shediac, mails and mer.; Campbell, Toney, Bangor, 32 m pressed bricks and 150 casks lime, to Bishop McIntyre; Angelique, Robertson, Pictou, 42 tons round coal, to Perkins and Casely; Sarah Ann, Jones, Tignish, N. B., lumber, to master; May, Turnbull, Pictou, coal, to Peake Bros. & Co.; Vienna, McDonald, Pictou, 30 tons coal, to W. H. Farquharson; Ann Westaway, Taylor, Boston, mer. 17th—Alexander, Lanigan, Cow Bay, 160 tons coal, T.M. Foley; Heather Belle, McKenzie, Pictou, mails.

OUTWARDS.

Aug. 11th.—Ambrose, McDonald, Pic., bal.; Gipsey Queen, Fisher, Cansoe, bal.; Hope, Robertson, Pictou, bal.; P. of Wales, E. Evans, Shediac, mails. 12th.—Volant, Finlayson, Glasgow, G. B., having on board 60 m feet deals, shipped by Owen & Welsh, 126 boxes salmon, by J. Cairns; Angelica, Dodd, Mumbles, in Wales, 30 m feet deal, by Wm. McGill; Heather Belle, McKenzie, Pictou, mails; Seaman's Bride, McDonald, Pictou, bal.; Margaret, Arbuckle, Pictou, bal.; P. of W., Evans, Pictou, mails and pas.; Charles, Shemogue, bal.; Villette, McNeill, Pictou, bal.; Alexander, Anderson, Antigonish, bal.; Commerce, H. Doane, Boston, with 500 barrels herring and 4 do salmon, by Carvell Brps., and 15 boxes codfish, by I. C. Hall, and 116½ bbls. mackerel, by C. E. Moody. 14th.—Fanny, Janvirin, fishing voyage; Banner, McFarland, fishing voyage; George, A. Brown, Liverpool, timber, deals, lathwood, by Hon. J. C. Pope and Peake Bros & Co.; Highland Maid, Forster, Richibucto, bal.; Sarah, Caisey, Cocagne, bal.; P. of Wales, E. Evans, Shediac, 13 bbls. eggs; by W. B. Dean, 4795 lbs. bacon, by O. Connolly, Esq., and 6 bbls eggs, by H. Coombs. 15th.—Heather Belle, McKenzie, Pictou, mails; Feme, McLean, Shemogue, bal.; Pursuit, O'Brien, Halifax, bal.; Olevid, Buckler, Port Hood, bal.; Velocity, McLaine, Richibucto, bal.; Vermont, Rennels, Pugwash, bal.; Daniel, Walsh, Pictou, bal. 17th—Hero, McKay, Pictou, bal. P. of Wales, E. Evans, Pictou, 7 cases bacon, (4077 lbs); shipped by Owen Connolly, Esq. 18th—Albert Edward, Atkinson, Shediac, bal.; M. W. Kilbride, Kinch, Pictou having on board 100 bbls. herring, 2 bbls. mackerel, 27 qtls codfish, shipped by Kilbride & Howlan, and 20 bbls old iron, by Wm Crabbe; Lively, Roberts, Tatamagouche, bal.; Spy, McPherson, Bay De Cheleur, bal.; May Lucy, Watkins, Pictou, bal.

ARRIVALS AT SOURIS,

Aug. 12th—sch. Ardino, McAulay, from the Bay with 45 bbls. mackerel, for supplies; sch. Josephene, Cheverie, trading; sch. Sciota, from Ch'town, on fishing voyage; sch. Caranda, McKay, 19 days from Miramichi, bound to Summerside with a load limestone—compass out of order.

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Portland, July 14, 1868.

Messrs. Tilton & McFarland:

Gentlemen—This certifies that I have used one of your safes for the last number of years, and in the great fire of July 4th, had the misfortune to have it severely tested. I was situated in the second story of brick block corner of Cross and Middle Streets, and it fell into the cellar with other combustibles, and lay burning until July 11th, at which time it was thought prudent to open it. But on doing so, it was found so hot inside that blaze instantly showed itself, which being at once smothering, and kept so until the heat escaped from the inside. The contents were taken out in good order, so much that the books, papers and money were all perfectly legible and admitted of being handled without danger of falling to pieces. Some of the books may have to be rebound. I have given your agent an order for another safe of same size, and my confidence is so great in your safe that I should recommend them as being the best fire proof of any make of safe in our great fire.

Yours, truly,
F. W. KALER & Co.

A lady took her little boy to church for the first time. Upon hearing the organ, he was on his feet instanter. 'Sit down,' said the mother. 'I won't' he shouted, 'I want to see the monkey.'

An aged, bald-headed teacher told an impudent boy the story of Elisha and the bears. When he had done, the boy said, 'Go up, bald head—now bring on your bears!'

Died.

At Grand River, Lot 56, on the 20th day of July, Mr. John McDonald, in the 23rd year of his age. His kind and faithful disposition won the esteem of all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.—R. I. P.

Holloway's Pills.—Weary of Life.—Derangement of the liver is one of the most efficient causes of dangerous diseases and the most prolific of those melancholy forebodings which are worse than death itself. A few doses of these noted Pills act magically in dispelling low spirits and repelling the covert attacks made on the nerves by excessive heat, impure atmospheres, over indulgence, or exhausting excitement. The most shattered constitution may derive benefit from Holloway's Pills which will regulate disordered action, brace the nerves, increase the energy of the intellectual faculties and revive the failing memory. By attentively studying the instructions for taking these Pills, and obediently putting them in practice, the most despondent will soon feel confident of a perfect recovery.

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Charlottetown, Aug. 19. 1868.

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ONE very handsome WALNUT COTTAGE PIANO, from LONDON.
Also—FOUR Mason & Hamlin CABINET ORGANS, per Str. *Commerce* from BOSTON, will be sold VERY LOW, at *DOUGLAS' FURNITURE WAREROOMS.*
GEORGE DOUGLAS.
August 19, 1868. 4i

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THE application of this most elegant preparation is extremely simple, while its effect on the articles enumerated below is almost magical, imparting to them a glazed bronzed surface of great beauty:—
Iron-fenders, Stoves, Gas Fittings, Ornaments, Lamp Stands, Copper Coins, &c., Straw Hats, Bonnets Plaster Busts and Ornaments, Leaves, (real), Ivy, Laurel, Holly, &c.—"Effect most charming."—Leather leaves may be bronzed Illuminatory and Writing. Useful and Ornamental. Glass may also be illuminated.
W. R. WATSON.
City Drug Store, Victoria Building,
August 14, 1868.

HAMILTON'S HOTEL,
AMHERST, NOVA SCOTIA,
W. J. HAMILTON, Proprietor.

THE Subscriber tenders his thanks to the Travelling Public for their patronage during his occupation of the Cumberland Hotel for the past six years, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same. He also informs them that he has taken the house lately occupied by Mr. A. Coffey, and has fitted it up as a first class Hotel, where his guests will find his

Rooms Large and Airy.

His Tables well supplied with all the Choicest Delicacies the country can afford during the season, and all that can be required in a

First Class Hotel.

Horses and Carriages at Livery, and parties conveyed to any part of the country, at moderate rates. There is also

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on the premises, and careful Hostlers are in attendance.
August 12, 1868. 3m* W. J. HAMILTON.

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August 5, 1868. 3w

From London to Charlottetown, P. E. I., direct.

THE Fast Sailing Brig *AMPHION*, Coppered and Classed 5 years A 1, at Lloyd's, 274 tons Register, D. McDonald, Master, will sail from London, about the First of September next. Parties wishing to Ship by this vessel will apply in London to Messrs. John Pitcairn & Sons, 69 Cornhill, or to the owners.
PEAKE BROTHERS & CO.
Ch'town, July 10, 1868. 6w

GOVERNMENT ESTATE,
Cascumpec Point.
DWELLING HOUSE, STORE, WAREHOUSES, SHED AND WHARF.

THE above Valuable Properties, which are situate at Cascumpec Point, will be submitted to PUBLIC COMPETITION by the Commissioner of Public Lands, at Keefe's Hotel, Alberton, on Saturday the 22nd day of August, at 12 o'clock, noon; and should they not be disposed of, will be submitted for yearly rental.
Terms and particulars at time of sale.
JOHN ALDOUS, Commissioner.
Land Office, Aug. 8, 1868. 2in.

Townships Nos. 25, 27 and 67.

THE Commissioner of Public Lands, having, under the authority of the Act 16 Victoria, Cap. 18, completed the purchase of those portions of Townships Nos. 25, 27 and 67, the property of the Honorable James C. Pope, hereby notifies all Tenants and Occupiers of Land on the above property desirous of purchasing their several locations, that, in accordance with the 10th section of the above recited Act, he is now prepared to receive the Deposit of the Purchase Money of their several holdings, upon producing their titles, or agreement for the same.
JOHN ALDOUS, Commissioner.
Office of Public Lands,
August 5, 1868. } pat isl ex 3i

WILDERNESS LAND!
GOVERNMENT ESTATES.
Townships Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6.

ALL PERSONS desirous of becoming Actual Settlers on the Government Wilderness Lands, or any portion of the above named Townships, under the provisions of "An Act to encourage the settlement and cultivation of Wilderness Lands" are herewith notified that the Commissioner of Public Lands, will attend at William Haywood's, Esq., Tignish, Lot 2, on Wednesday, the 19th day of August next, and following day, and at John Clark's, Esq., Cascumpec Village, on Monday, the 24th day of August, and following day, to receive applications from such persons, and, if deemed eligible, to grant letters of occupation.
On Friday, the 21st, and on Tuesday, the 25th days of August, the Commissioner will sell the opening of new roads on the above named Townships.
JOHN ALDOUS, Commissioner.
Land Office, July 20, 1868. [july 30

WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION
WITH
BOSTON AND HALIFAX.

THE STEAMSHIPS *ALHAMBRA* and *COMMERCE*, (until further Notice,) will make weekly trips between this port and BOSTON, calling at CANSO.

RATES OF PASSAGE:

	Ladies' Cabin.	Gents' Cabin.	Forward.
To Boston,	50s.	55s.	45s.
" Halifax,	24s.	30s.	18s.
" Canso,	20s.	25s.	15s.

CARVELL BROS., Agents.
July 29, 1868.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE,
LOW,
A Consignment of Brandy and Gin,
FROM FRANCE AND HOLLAND, Consisting of
Hhds. BRANDY, Qrt. Casks do, Cases do } Pinet, Castillon & Co.
Hhds. GIN, Qrt. Casks do, Kegs do 6 and 12 Gallons each, Cases do 12 and 15 Flasks do
B. WILSON HIGGS.
Ch'town, June 17, 1868

FOR SALE.

HHDS. Bright Sugar,
Bbls. do do
Bbls. Crushed do
Puncheons Bright Molasses,
Bags Green Coffee,
Bbls. Vinegar, Boxes Pipes,
Boxes, Half do and Quarter do Layer Raisins,
Drums Figs.
Barrels Kerosene, Sole Leather,
Puncheons Strong Proof Demerara Rum,
Cases Brandy, &c., &c., &c.
B. WILSON HIGGS.
Ch'town, 3rd June, 1868.

FRESH SALMON.

PARTIES wishing Fresh Salmon may be supplied by leaving their Orders at the Subscriber's Store, Water Street.
Arrangements have been perfected to place the Salmon in Ice as soon as taken from the Nets at St. Peters, thus insuring their perfect freshness; and those who order Salmon may let them remain in the Ice until they are wanted for use.
July 8. I. C. HALL

NOW LANDING,
30 CHESTS Congou TEA,
25 Bbls. KEROSENE. (Standard White)
5 Hhds Granulated SUGAR.
B. WILSON HIGGS.
Ch'town, June 17, 1868.

AGRICULTURE AND LOCAL INDUSTRY.

THE Commissioners appointed to carry into effect the appropriation of last session, for "the encouragement of Agriculture and Local Industry," in Queen's County, have ordered that a Fair and Exhibition be held in Charlottetown, on

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY,
29th & 30th days of September next.

The Fair and Cattle Show

will be held on Holland Grove Grounds, (given for the occasion by William Brown, Esq.,) on TUESDAY, the 29th day of September; and the EXHIBITION in the Drill Shed on WEDNESDAY, the 30th September.

All entries for Cattle Show to be made on or before Monday, the 28th September, and all articles for Exhibition to be delivered to the Secretary on or before Tuesday, 29th September, at twelve o'clock, noon.

Prizes will be awarded as follows, viz:

HORSES.

BREED ON THE ISLAND.			
Best Blood Horse, of any age,	£2	0	0
2nd best do do	1	0	0
Best Entire Cart Horse, do	2	0	0
2nd best do do	1	0	0
Best Blood Filly, under three years,	2	0	0
2nd best do do	1	0	0
Best Cart Filly, under three years,	2	0	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
Best Cart Stallion, do	2	0	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
Best Blood Colt, do	2	0	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
CATTLE.			
Best Bull, under 3 years old,	£1	10	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
Best Bull, of any age or breed,	1	10	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
Best Cow in Milk,	1	10	0
2d best do	1	0	0
Best Heifer, under 3 years old,	1	10	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
Best Yearling Heifer,	1	10	0
2d best do	1	0	0
Best Bull Calf,	1	0	0
2d best do	0	10	0
SHEEP.			
Best Ram, of any age,	£1	10	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
Best yearling Ram,	1	10	0
2d best do	1	0	0
Best Ram Lamb,	1	5	0
2d best do	0	15	0
Best Pen of four Ewes,	1	10	0
2d best do	1	0	0
Best four Yearling Ewes,	1	10	0
2d best do	1	0	0
Best four Ewe Lambs,	1	0	0
2d best do	0	15	0
PIGS.			
Best Boar Pig,	£1	0	0
2d best do	0	15	0
Best breeding Sow,	1	0	0
2d best do	0	15	0
Best pen 3 Pigs under six months,	1	0	0
2d best do do	1	10	0
Best Fat Pig,	1	0	0
2d best do	0	15	0
POULTRY.			
Best pair Turkeys, Rooster and Hen,	£0	10	0
do three spring Geese,	0	10	0
do Barn Door Rooster and 2 Pullets,	0	10	0
do three Black Spanish Fowls,	0	10	0
do three Ducks,	0	10	0
GRAIN.			
Best two bushels Wheat,	£1	5	0
2d best do	0	15	0
Best one bushel Winter Wheat,	1	5	0
Best two bushels four rowed Barley,	1	0	0
2d best do do	0	15	0
Best two bushels two rowed Barley,	1	5	0
2d best do do	1	0	0
Best two bushels Oats,	1	5	0
2d best do do	0	15	0
HORTICULTURE.			
Best 1 doz. Onions,	£0	5	0
do 1 do Turnips,	0	7	6
do 1 do Mangold Wurtzel,	0	7	6
2d best do do	0	5	0
Best do Beets,	0	5	0
do 20 Parsnips,	0	5	0
do 20 Carrots,	0	5	0
do 3 Cauliflowers,	0	5	0
do 1 doz. ears Indian Corn,	0	5	0
do do Squash,	0	5	0
do Pumpkins,	0	5	0
do Tomatoes,	0	5	0
do Citron Melon,	0	5	0
do 3 Cabbages,	0	5	0
do 3 Savoy do	0	5	0
do 6 Roots Celery,	0	5	0
FRUIT.			
Best Basket Cooking Apples,	£0	7	6
2d best do do	0	5	0
Best do Eating do	0	7	6
2d best do do do	0	5	0
Best do Winter do	0	7	6
2d best do do do	0	5	0
Best sample Green Gages,	0	5	0
do do Damsons,	0	5	0
do do Plums,	0	5	0
do dozen Pears,	0	6	0
2d best do	0	5	0
Best sample Grapes,	0	6	0
BUTTER & CHEESE.			
Best Cheese, (20lbs.)	£1	0	0
2d best do do