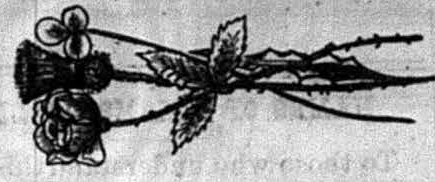


THE COLONIST.



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By Telegraph.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 10. Cardinal Guibert, of Paris, is dead. The Tories are carrying the English counties by large majorities. At midnight last night the returns stood: Unionists 319; Gladstonians 210. The total votes recorded at 6 p. m., yesterday were, Unionists one million sixteen thousand two hundred and eighty-one, Gladstonians nine hundred and forty-nine thousand five hundred and ninety-two. The Parnellites have elected 70 members.

The Canadian Government pardons all engaged in the late rebellion except persons guilty of murder in cold blood. A commission has been appointed to investigate the complaints made about the treatment of the Indians.

[SPECIAL TO THE COLONIST.]

TREPASSEY, this evening.

Weather cleared up yesterday. Boats got out to overhaul traps, and the following returned last evening with trips, James Waddleton, 70 qtls., Joseph Hewitt, sen. 50 qtls., H. P. Curtis, 100 qtls., Wm. Curtis, 70 qtls., H. J. Curtis, 70 qtls., others with smaller trips. The banking schooner "W. E. Young," of Nova Scotia, arrived yesterday with equal to 1300 qtls., fish dry, for J. Fox & Sons. Some fine trips coming in today from the traps, particulars on Monday.

OUR ADVERTISING PATRONS.

Auction—Fee—Simple Property.....T. W. Spry
Butter and Cheese.....T. & M. Winter
Butter.....John A. Edens
Mantles, Jackets, Jerseys, &c.....Finlay's
Estate of J. & G. Lash.....see advt

AUCTION SALES.

Fee—Simple Farm, Land and Premises off the Portugal Cove Road.

I AM INSTRUCTED TO OFFER FOR SALE, at Public Auction, within my office, on Thursday next, the 15th inst., at 11 o'clock, all the right, title and interest of the late George Harris, deceased, in and to all that Farm, Land and Premises, situate to the Westward of the Portugal Cove Road, and about two miles from St. John's, abutted and bounded as follows: that is to say by a line commencing at the North-west angle of land granted to the late William Hart Gaden, thence (bounded by the same) running by the magnet in 1848; South twenty-five degrees; East twelve chains, more or less, to land late in the possession of the late Patrick Kenny; thence bounded by the land last mentioned; North seventy-eight degrees; West ten chains and ten links, thence North eighty-seven degrees; West two chains and ten links; thence South eighty-five degrees; West twelve chains and twenty links, more or less, to land now granted to James Paine; thence North Nineteen degrees; East thirteen chains and fifty links, more or less, to a point where the place of commencement bears South seventy-eight degrees, thirty minutes; East, thence on that bearing fifteen chains, more or less to the place of commencement. Together with the DWELLING HOUSE, and all other erections thereon. The above will be sold without reserve. For further particulars, apply on or before day of sale, to

T. W. SPRY, Real Estate Broker.

New Advertisements.

Just Received, and for Sale,

BY
JOHN A. EDENS,
A few tubs Choice Selected Creamery BUTTER.
—ALSO—
Some Very Choice Antigoniish BUTTER.
All pure Butter of the finest quality, in tubs of all sizes and on retail.

ESTATE OF J. & G. LASH.
THE TRUSTEES of the Estate of J. & G. LASH are prepared to receive Tenders for the Goodwill of said Business, with all the Plant and Fixtures belonging thereto, particulars of which can be had and property seen on the premises. Offers for either part, or the whole, will be received until Noon on SATURDAY, 17th July. Trustees are in a position to offer to an eligible tenant a lease of premises.

A. F. GOODRIDGE, Trustees.
JAMES BAIRD,
jy10,tf,fp.

Butter and Cheese.
The Subscribers have just received, per s.s. "Polino,"
40 Boxes Choice Canadian CHEESE,
(June make.)
ALSO, ANOTHER CONSIGNMENT OF
100 Tubs Choice Canada Butter,
(WILL BE SOLD VERY CHEAP.)
T. & M. WINTER,
jy10,fp.

New Advertisements.

THE BALANCE OF THIS SEASON'S STOCK OF
Mantles, Jackets, Jerseys & Stuffs, & Print Costumes,

—WE ARE NOW OFFERING AT ABOUT—
Half our Former Prices,

And in all Departments we are making Special Prices to

CASH BUYERS.

FINLAY'S - - - Water Street.

EXCELSIOR MARBLE WORKS,

No. 40, NEW GOWER STREET,

Formerly carried on by the late MARTIN CONNORS, will in future be conducted by the Subscriber, who hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.

Outport Orders left at Messrs. R. R. & C. CALLAHAN'S, Water Street, will receive strict attention.

jy6,fp,tf.

PATRICK CONNORS.

BRIDPORT GOODS

COST AND CHARGES.

In consideration of the dullness of the times, and in order to make an advance to the Trade, the Undersigned now offers the balance of stock of

BRIDPORT GOODS

(Including late shipments of "Caspian" and "Nova Scotian") as under, on consignment from the old-established firm of HERBERT E. HOUNSELL, (Lt'd.) at cost and charges:—

10 Dozen Seal Twine.	58 Bbls 3/4in Cod Linnet—1380 fms
10 Bbls. Upper Trawl Twine	10 " 4in Ditto 248 "
Herring Nets—2, 2, 2, and 2 1/2in mesh	13 " 5in Ditto 300 "
18 Dozen 2 1/2in Ganging Twine	13 " 6in Ditto 335 "
32 1/2 Fms. Lance Bunt	26 Cod Bags—10, 15 & 20 qtls each
21 Doz. 7/16. Shoe Thread—2oz balls	27 Doz Herring Twine—2 and 3rd
40 Pairs Lead Ropes	16 " 4 1/2in 3rd Caplin Twine
73 Doz. St. Peter's Lines—12, 15 and 18 thread	20 " 1 1/2in 3rd Ditto
60 Doz. Long Sed Lines	49 " 2 1/2in 3rd Ditto
30 Doz. 3/16in Salmon Twine	6 " 3 1/2in Salmon Twine

N.B.—Gold Medal, Silver Medal & Special Money Prize Awarded this Firm for LINES, TWINES, &c., at the International Fisheries Exhibition, London, 1883.

We would draw the attention of the Trade to our 3/4in Linnet, which we are offering at a remarkably low figure. Parties requiring Linnet for Cod Seines, Traps, &c., will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

DAVID SCLATER, 161, WATER STREET.

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CHAMPAGNES.

BURKE'S STOUT and BASS'S BEER,
(CHOICE BRANDS.)

The Atlantic Hotel has, on the arrival of the s.s. "Nova Scotian," been furnished with the following Choice Brands of

CHAMPAGNE

G. H. Mumm's First Quality—pints & qts., G. H. Mumm's Extra—pints & qts., G. H. Mumm's Extra Dry—pints & qts., Gieslers & Co., First Quality—pints & qts., Also, 20 bbls Burke's DUBLIN STOUT, and Bass's BEER—pints and quarts. By other arrivals, HAVANA CIGARS in great variety.

jy2

J. W. Foran,
PROPRIETOR.

Look Here.

After to-day you can get Dinners at
Castelle's Restaurant,
Every day from 1 to 3 p.m., and you will find always a

FIRST-CLASS TABLE.
It is well for parties residing out of town for the summer, to call and see our Bill of Fare.

ALSO,
A Choice lot of OYSTERS,
Constantly on hand.

H. CASTELLE,
TERRA NOVA RESTAURANT,
102 & 103, Water Street.
jy1,lm,fp.

Newfoundland Railway.

Summer Arrangement.
On and after June 15th, at 6 p.m., Trains will be run as follows, daily (Sundays excepted):

Leave St. John's for Kelligrews 6 a.m. & 6.15 p.m.
Harbor Grace 10 a.m.
" Harbor Grace for St. John's 12.20 p.m.
" Kelligrews for St. John's 7.35 a.m. & 9.30 p.m.
Excursion Tickets will be sold each Thursday from all regular Stations, good on all Trains the same and following day only.
On Thursdays the evening Train from St. John's will run to Holyrood; returning will leave there at 8.55 p.m.
On Sundays a Special Train will leave St. John's for Holyrood at 2.30 p.m.; returning will arrive at St. John's at 8.10 p.m.
For Rates, Time-tables or further information, apply to Station Agents on the Line, or

Thomas Noble,
Gen. Agent, St. John's.

Card.

FRANK D. LILLY,
BARRISTER-AT-LAW.
Office: **ACADEMIA BUILDINGS,**
DUCKWORTH STREET.
jy5,3m

NOW LANDING,
Ex "Polino," from Montreal,
50 PACKAGES CHOICE NEW
Canada BUTTER.

HEARN & Co.

FOR SALE,
One Newfoundland Dog
[FEMALE.]
and THREE PUPS—Cheap. Apply at this office.
jy3,fp.

Womens' Prunella BOOTS,
(3s. PER PAIR.)
—AT—
J., J. & L. FURLONG'S.
jy9,3f,fp.

LOST!
Last Evening, A SLEEVE STUD.
The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this office. jy9,2f,fp.

New Advertisements.

Just Landed,
Ex "Polino," from Montreal,
100 Tubs Choice
DAIRY BUTTER.
SHEA & Co.
jy9,3in.

TENDERS
will be received at
THE SURVEYOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
—UNTIL—
Thursday Next, at 12 o'clock,

FOR THE ERECTION OF A
PAILING FENCE,

On that part of Bannerman Park fronting on Military Road.

Specifications can be seen on application at the office between the hours of 10 and 3.

J. O. FRASER,
Pro Sur. Gen.

CONSOLIDATED STOCK.

RECEIVER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
St. John's, 6th July, 1886.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that under the provisions of an Act passed in the last Session of the Legislature, entitled "An Act to make provision for the Liquidation of a certain existing Liability of the Colony, and for other purposes," I am authorized to raise by Loan the sum of

\$100,000,

upon Debentures, chargeable upon and payable out of the Public Funds of the Colony after the expiration of Twenty-five Years, when it shall be optional with the Government to pay off the same on giving Twelve Months' previous notice of such intention.

Tenders for the above amount will be received at my office until noon on THURSDAY, 9th day of September next.

The Tenders must express how many dollars will be given for every One Hundred Dollars stock, which Stock will bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly.

JAMES L. NOONAN,
Receiver General.

Post Office Notice

THE CITY LIMITS for the Delivery of Letters and Papers, will be as follows:—From Railway wharf, including Walsh's Town, Signalhill road, round by Hospital and Penitentiary, thence by Railway track—west of Church of England Cemetery, to King's Bridge Way Office; back by Circular Road by Belvidere Convent, thence by Newtown road to enl. of LaMarchant road, and to junction of Poor Asylum road with Pokempath.

Carriers will call regularly with and for Letters at the Way Office kept by Mr. Henry Collis, Riverhead, by Richard Hayse, King's Bridge, and by Mrs. Leah Taylor, at South-side; where Stamps will be sold and Letters may be Registered.

Carries will call at the Way Offices every morning, except Sundays, at 8 o'clock.

Hereafter, a Receiving Office, for the reception of Letters and Registered Correspondence, will be open at Mr. THOS. MCCONNAN'S Book Store from 8 A.M. till 8 P.M., where Stamps may be purchased. This office will be regularly cleared, half an hour before closing of Mails at the General Post Office.

J. O. FRASER,
Post Master General.
General Post Office, July 2nd 1886—6i

Fresh Butter! Fresh Butter!

—ALSO—

New Canada Butter

—AND—
New Canadian Cheese.
KENNEDY & Co.
jy9,3i

NEW EDITIONS
Of Cheap Standard Books.

Webster's Academic Dictionary—ill. Price—\$3 50
England's Supremacy, by J. S. Jeans, " 20
The Russian Storm Cloud, by Stepaniak, " 20
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A Storm Chase, by Mrs. C. Hoey, " 20
Damas—A Story of English Socialism, " 25
Trust me, by Mrs. John Kent Spencer, " 20
Modern Painters (5 vols) by Jno. Ruskin, " 1 20
Stories of Venice (3 vols) by " 75
The coming Race, by Ed. Lord Lytton " 30

—ALSO—
A few copies of "THE DARK CITY," by Leander Richardson. Price—50cts.
J. F. CHISHOLM.
jy7.

New Advertisements.



ROUTE
OF THE

Labrador Mail Steamer, 1886

LABRADOR Steamer "Hercules" to leave St. John's on 16th July calling at Harbor Grace, thence to Coachman's Cove, Conche, St. Anthony, Griguet, Blanc Sablon, Bonne Esperance, and to usual ports of call in Straits to Battle Harbor.

PROCEEDING NORTH.—From Battle Harbor to Spear Harbor, Ship Harbor, Francis Har. Bight, Scrammy, Square Islands, Venison Island, Bolster's Rock, Punch Bowl, Batteaux, Domino, Indian Tickle, Grady, Pack's Harbor, and then direct to White Bears, Indian Harbor, Bake Apple Bight, Smoky Tickle, Brig Harbor, Holton and Cape Harrison, Ragged Islands, Mannock's Islands, Turnavick Islands, Winsor's Harbor and Nain. [To this latter port only two trips will be made.]

RETURNING SOUTH.—Calling at Cape Harrigan, Hopedale, Winsor's Harbor, Turnavick Islands, Iack, Strawberry, Mannock's Islands, Long Tickle, Roger's Harbor, Adnavick, Ragged Islands, Jigger Tickle, Cape Harrison, Sloop Cove, Sleigh Tickle, Holton, Emily Harbor, White Bears, Smoky Tickle, Bake Apple Bight, Indian Harbor, Rigoulette, Tub Island, Indian Islands, Pack's Harbor and independent, the two last places alternately.

Long Island and South-east Cove, alternately.

Cardwright Harbor, (Sandwich Har.) Black Island, each alternate trip. Indian Tickle. Domino. Batteaux, each alternate trip. Punch Bowl. Seal Island and Comfort Bight, alternately.

Bolster's Rock. Venison Island. Tub Harbor. Snug Harbor. Dead Harbor. Triangle.

Scrammy Bay. Ship Harbor, each alternate trip. Fishing Ship's Harbor. Francis Harbor Bight. Little Harbor.

Murray and Spear Harbors, alternately, and thence to Battle Harbor.

The following trips will be the same, except after the first round trip in September the steamer will not be required to go north of Hopedale; but on and after the last trip in August, must call at all Harbors between Batteaux and Battle Harbor for herring fishery news.

The steamer "Plover" will leave St. John's on the 29th July, and fortnightly during the performance of the Labrador Service, and will make the usual calls in the Straits as follows, connecting with the "Hercules" at Battle Harbor:—

Blanc Sablon, Bonne Esperance, Forteau, Lance-a-Loup, Red Bay, Chateau, Henley, Chimney Tickle, Cape Charles, and Assizes Harbor.

GENERAL POST OFFICE,
St. John's 18th June, 1886. jy8,12i.

NEWFOUNDLAND
Railway Lands.

80,000 ACRES
On the line between Salmon Cove and Tilton, now offered for sale to actual settlers, on liberal terms.

Apply to
JOHN BARTLETT,
Acting Land Agent, Brigus.

or to
E. H. SAVILLE,
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FLOUR. FLOUR.

FOR SALE.
By **SHEA & Co.,**

The following choice Brands, just landed, ex "Polino,"

300 Brls Bijou
250 Brls. White Star,
(JUNE INSPECTION.)

ALSO,
300 Brls Selected NEW YORK SUPERS.
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CAKE! CAKE! CAKE!

THE SUBSCRIBER offers to the Trade CAKE at wholesale prices, equal to any imported and at a cheaper rate.

LIBERAL DISCOUNT.
J. B. & G. AYRE.
jy6,3w [mer.]

NAMES OF STEAMSHIP LINES.

To those who understand this nomenclature of ocean steamships it is unnecessary to say that the Oregon was not a born Cunarder. Her name shows that. A writer in the Rochester Democrat gives some interesting information as to the rules observed by the different lines in naming their vessels:—

"The Guion ships for instance are named after States and Territories in the North-West, including Wisconsin, Nevada, Arizona, Alaska, and Oregon. The last mentioned vessel, whose sad fate awakens so much notice, was purchased by the Cunard Company from the Guion. The White Star Line prefers names ending in 'ic,' as the Germanic, the Celtic, the Britannic. The Cunard Company selects names ending in 'ia,' such as the Scythia, the Persia, the Servia and the Aurania; and the Anchor Line pursues the same practice. The National Line very properly uses the names of nations, such as Greece, Spain, Egypt, while the Inman Line honors various distinguished cities, such as Chicago and Berlin. The State Line goes for States and names its ships Pennsylvania, Nebraska, etc.; but the Hamburg Line dips into literature and calls its ships the Wieland, the Gellert, and the Lessing, with other distinguished names. The French on the other hand love wines more than books, and hence the Bordeaux Line names its vessels after the best brands, such as Chateau Leon Ville and Chateau Lafitte. The Bremen and Hull vessels are named after birds, and the United States and the Brazil Line selects names ending in 'ance,' such as Finance, the Advance, the Reliance. The Monarch Line, on the other hand, deals in Monarchs, and its lists comprises the Assyrian Monarch, the Lyndian Monarch, the Grecian Monarch, etc. In this manner a remarkable degree of uniformity is preserved in the midst of a wide variety of taste."

It might also be remembered that the Allan Line names its steamers after countries, but ending the name with "ian." All the original vessels of the Furness Line are named after cities, such as Washington City, Boston City, while the Dominion Line name their vessels after places in Canada and the United States, as the Vancouver, Sarina, Oregon.

EVIL EFFECTS OF GOSSIP.

A common fault is that of needlessly criticising others. Almost every day, we see those whose infirmities tempt us to make light of them, whose singular looks or awkward habits or careless dress make them the ready objects of satire. There are faults peculiar to different classes of people; and one of criticism, though occasionally committed by the ignorant or vulgar, is particularly the fault of people of culture,—at least, of people of cultivated and refined tastes. They see the incongruities as no others do, they are shocked at the improprieties and take a kind of satisfaction, and sometimes delight, in pointing them out, talking of them, and laughing over them. This makes up much of what is called the harmless gossip of society; but it surely is not a very noble employment, and, if the reflections must arise in our minds, it were better that they should stay there. I think something of reverence ought to pass over us when we speak of any human being. We may seek to improve, to correct, to refine others, and this is all consistent with respect for them; but I see not how we may make light of them, for this is the opposite of respect. And, surely, I need not speak of scandals and of the devilishness of the delight which some people take in it. Human nature never seems meaner than when so occupied. Scandalous things there are in the world; but why repeat them, why pass them on? Would it not be a good habit not to hear them, save for self-protection or for the protection of others? Yes: I might add, would it not be a good habit not to believe them, to distrust those that bring them to our notice, and in every case demand a justification for their doing so? Gossip is the occupation of idle minds; scandal is the occupation of ungenerous ones. Hate scandal and scandal mongers, would, I think be a good rule of ethics. Spread the reports of goodness in the world; and if we have no such reports, let us, in heaven's name, keep still. We shall at least do one good thing by doing this.

Wit and Humor.

WHAT HAD THEY DONE TO HER.—One little girl was heard to say to a playmate: "When I grow up I'm going to be a school teacher."

"Well, I'm going to be a mamma and have six children."

"When they come to school to me I'm going to whip 'em, whip 'em."

"You mean thing! What have they ever done to you?"

SHE TOOK THE FIRST PRIZE.—Fond Husband—Well, my dear, what are you sobbing about?

Young Wife—Why, that sponge cake I sent to the Agricultural Fair has just taken the first prize. Boo-hoo!

Fond husband—What is there to cry about in that? You ought to feel proud, my dear, of the knowledge of the culinary art.

Young wife—But you don't understand. The judges gave it the award as the best specimen of concrete sent in. Boo-hoo!

HE WAS THOROUGHLY POSTED.—"You are going into the lecture field, they tell me?"

"Yes, I think some of doing so."

"Have you ever had any experience in public speaking?"

"No, I never tried to address an audience in my life."

"But, my good sir, how can you hope to succeed if you know nothing about the lecture business?"

"Oh, I'm posted on the lecture business. You can depend on that."

"But how does that come?"

"Come?" Why, great Scott, man, I've been married twenty-two years!"

LEVEL-HEADED, THOUGH TIPSY.—Wife—This is a nice time of night to come home—ain't you ashamed of yourself? Husband (pulling off his boots and putting them carefully on the bureau)—Don't—er—scold. Couldn't get away—er—moment sooner. Had a—hic—big argument.

Wife—Big fiddlesticks!

Husband—Fact, I sure you. Whadcher think? All—er—boys of the lodge in it. Queshen was which of us had—er most amiable and—er—beautiful wife. I beat 'em all. Described you—hic—beautiful eyes, silky hair, cheeks roses, teeth pearls, lips cherries—temper—er hic—like nangel. Offered to fight 'em if they wouldn't adm't. They gave in, 'n here I am—late, late—er victorious, finest wife in—er world.

Wife—(with a sweet smile)—You are a bad fellow, John! I'm afraid you'll never be anything better. Let me help you to take off your coat, dear.

WHAT FRIGHTENED MRS. LONE.—Bill Drawbar is the kindest-hearted man that ever twisted a brake. Nevertheless he scared poor old Mrs. Lone, the widow, so bad that she had nervous hysteria for two weeks, and then married Deacon Fourscore because she was afraid to live alone. You see Bill was making up second 73, and just as Mrs. Lone started to cross the track at the upper end of the yard Bill yelled to the brakemen: "Jump on her, Ben! Jump on her as she comes down; cut her in two and run her down the siding behind the elevator; now, then, catch her! And then the poor old woman gave one feeble little screech for mercy and fainted dead away; and poor Bill can't imagine what "scart her."

SHE WANTED A DANGER SIGNAL.—Ethelbertha—I want a pair of slippers for pa; No. 10, please, and—squeaky.

Genial shoemaker—Squeaky, Miss I'm afraid we haven't any of that kind.

Ethelbertha—I am so sorrow. Can't you make him a squeaky pair? There is a certain young gentleman who visits me frequently, and—and it would be very convenient for him to know just when pa is coming.

WHY A WOMAN HATES.—"By the way, John," said a Philadelphia wife to her husband as he was leaving for the office in the morning, "I wish you would tell Mr. Stuckup to inform his wife that I won't be home this afternoon."

"Where are you going?"

"Oh, I'm not going out, but I hear that she has a new sealkin sacque, and I don't want her parading it before me. We have a prayer meeting at the church to-night, and I don't want to go there with my heart filled with hate."

"We're in a pickle now!" said a man in a crowd. "A regular jam!" said another. "Goodness preserve u!" said an old lady.

KEROSENE OIL—CASKS AND HALF CASKS.

FOR SALE
By CLIFT, WOOD & Co.,
100 Casks } KEROSENE OIL.
50 Half Casks }
To arrive ex. "Lizzie," from Boston.
j23.

CHARTS.

Admiralty Sheets of the Coast of Newfoundland, Labrador, &c., Corrected from the most authentic Surveys to August, 1885.

Newfoundland Island—2 large sheets. St. Genevieve Bay to Orange Bay and Straits of Belle Isle. Cape Onion to Hare Bay. Notre Dame Bay—with plans, &c. Orange Bay to Gander Bay—including Notre Dame and White Bays. Change Island Tickle, Fogo Harbor, Hare Bay, Seldomcome-Bay, &c. Gander Bay to Cape Bonavista. Cape Bonavista to Bay Bulls, including Trinity and Conception Bays. Bay Bulls to Placentia. Placentia to Burin Harbor. Burin Harbor to Devil Bay. Miquelon Islands and Fortune Bay. Devil Bay to Knife Bay. Knife Bay to Cape Anguille. LaPoile Bay. Burgeo Islands. Codroy Road to Cowhead Harbor. Cowhead Harbor to St. Genevieve Bay—with Canada and Labrador Coast.

LABRADOR, &c.

Hudson Bay and Strait. Labrador—with plans corrected, 1884. Sandwich Bay to Nain—including Hamilton Inlet, Webeck Harbor, Hope-dale Harbor, Aillic Bay, &c. Cape Charles to Sandwich Bay—with plans of harbors. Curlew Harbor and approaches. Indian Tickle. Occasional Harbor, &c. Domino Run. Boulder Rock to Domino Run. St. Lewis Sound and Inlet, &c.

J. F. Chisholm.

j19.

TREMONT HOTEL,

(Formerly Atlantic Hotel.)

Water Street, St. John's, Nfld.

Mrs. McGrath, thankful for the patronage extended to her in the past, respectfully intimates that she has removed from her former residence, and has leased the central and commodious premises formerly known as the Atlantic Hotel, near the Custom House, Water Street.

The "TREMONT HOTEL" will be opened on and after MONDAY, June 21st, for the accommodation of

PERMANENT & TRANSIENT BOARDERS.

She hopes by attention to the comfort of her guests to merit a continuance of the patronage of the public, which is respectfully solicited. j19, 1m.

CARD.

JAMES B. SCLATER

Manufacturers, Commission and forwarding Agent Office and Sample Room,
151 WATER STREET,
Over O'Mara's Drug Store,
Mills & Hutchison, Canadian Woolens,
H. E. Hounsell, Ltd., Lines and Twines.

See SAMPLES to select from at the above Rooms. m29

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Another Shipment of

Roofing,

(CHEAP.)

William Campbell.

Jul 12.

NOW OFFERED, AT

W. R. Firth's



300 Pairs Mens' Boots,

at 11s. per pair,
CASH DOWN ON THE NAIL.
100 Pairs Long Wellington,
100 Pairs Lacing Balmorals,
100 Pairs Elastic Sides,
made of the very best materials—worth 14s. a pair.

See Them. may 21.

HATS AND BONNETS.

Just received, per steamer "Caspian,"
A few London made

HATS AND BONNETS

Also, a Job Line Ladies' BLACK AND COLORED STRAW HATS, which will be sold at a very low price.

Mrs. R. FENNEL,

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j17.

ON SALE,

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1 NEW HERRING BUNT,

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BARKED, ROPED, CORKED AND LEADED.

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P. JORDAN & SONS,

GENERAL IMPORTERS OF

Provisions & Groceries.

Stores, 178 & 130, Water Street,

TEAS of all Grades. BREAD of the best Baking.

BUTTER from Dairy and Creamery.

The above are being sold at the lowest rate in the market—either by Wholesale or Retail.

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SUGARS—Brown & Refined. MOLASSES—Barbadoes—of excellent quality. Morton's Celebrated PICKLES and other Goods. Extensive lines of

HAVANA CIGARS—choicest brands,

Forming one of the most advantageous stocks for dealers to select from. Special attention invited to these Goods. —ALSO—

SOAPS—Fancy, Laundry, Family—143 lb. boxes. PALE OLIVE—better than Scotch—4 lb. boxes.

AMERICAN OIL CLOTHES—Cape Ann & Shield brands—double & single.

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P. JORDAN & SONS,

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Bedsteads! Bedsteads!

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A Fine Assortment of

IRON and BRASS BEDSTEADS.

—ALSO—

A Few Iron Bedchairs.

Newfoundland Furniture & Moulding Co.

C. H. & C. E. ARCHIBALD.

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ON SALE, AT

B. & T. MITCHELL'S,

100 BARRELS NEW FAMILY

FLOUR.

50 Tubs Canadian BUTTER.

50 " Nova Scotia "

jy3.

JUST RECEIVED, PER "ELITE," FROM LONDON,

By J. J. O'Reilly,

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CHAPTER IX.—(Continued.)

THE MISSES SLEAFORD AT HOME.

'And tell Frank Livingston, Dan, to fetch young Lamar,' suggests Lora. 'I am dying for a dance. I saw two or three of the girls down at the Corners yesterday, and they were asking when we meant to have another spree.'

'Dan means to go to the city next Tuesday,' suggests Jud, 'and as he ain't particularly useful or ornamental on an occasion like that, I vote we have the high jinks while he's gone.'

This resolution is unanimously carried by the house, and next Tuesday is fixed for the Sleaford *fete*. The young ladies at once set to work to prepare their costumes and decorate the house. Dan issues the invitations verbally, and all are accepted, including that extended to Master Geoffrey Lamar. Frank goes without saying. With a load off his conscience now that Olga is recovering, Frank is in wild, high spirits, and ready for anything. He is generating a great deal of steam in those days of Olga's convalescence, and requires a safety-valve of some sort. He spends considerable of his precious time in the sick-room, and it is found does Olga more good by his lively presence than all the doctor's stimulants. Geoffrey Lamar and Leo Abbott, too, are there a great deal—their conversation and company excite the child a little, but the good results counterbalance the evil. Still four or five days of this sort of thing—this state of unnatural goodness—has a depressing effect on Frank, and the Sleaford 'swarry' is hailed with rejoicing.

'We always present some little delicate offering to the young ladies on these occasions,' he remarks to Geoffrey, 'not bouquets or floral litter of that sort; but something sensible and solid. On various festive seasons of this nature, I myself have contributed a ham, a plum cake, a turkey, some port wine, and other graceful trifles of that sort. The present being a special festival, it is my intention to appear in company with two imperial quarts of champagne. You, young sir, being a lily of the field, and this your *debut*, will be exempt from taxation. The honour of your presence is sufficient in itself.'

'It rather reminds one of Mrs. Nickleby and the love-stricken old gentleman in small clothes, who threw the vegetable marrows,' says Geoffrey, laughing. 'I wonder, Frank, you care to mingle with such a lot. You really seem to like it.'

'And I really do, my aristocratic young friend. Human nature in all its varieties interests me in the abstract; human nature, as represented by Miss Lora Sleaford, interests me consumedly in particular. A romp with that girl is equal to a boxing-match any day to put a fellow in condition. Leave all your fastidious notions at Abbott Wood with your evening dress, put on a shooting-jacket and come and be happy.'

They are the latest guests. The old red farm-house is all alight when they draw near, the scraping of Jud's violin is their greeting as they enter. Some half-dozen young ladies in gay muslin dresses, gilt brooches and chains, and rainbow ribbons are there, and represent the Sleaford 'set' in Brightbrook. The young men are generally of a better stamp and muster stronger; the lower room looks full to overflowing as the two late guests arrive. A momentary hush and awe greets Geoffrey Lamar, but it does not last; the festive group here assembled are not awed easily or long.

'For Heaven's sake do not introduce me to anybody!' whispers Geoffrey nervously, afraid of a torrent of Frank's chaff; 'just let me alone, and I'll drift into port myself.'

There is one face present that he recognizes, that of George Blake, and he seeks refuge by his side. Blake is a bright young fellow, poor, but of good connections; his mother, a widow, teaches music in the village. George, an only son, is at present beginning in the office of the Brightbrook "News." He is about eighteen or nineteen—indeed some of the gentlemen are on the aged side of twenty.

But Mr. Blake is destined for higher duty than playing protector—Miss Liz Sleaford sails up, resplendent in crimson ribbons and cheap jewelry, and claims him as her own. They are all

in the parlor—Jud, the musician, is perched on a sort of pedestal in a corner, to be out of the way, as there is not an inch of spare room for the coming engagement. The dance is a waltz. Frank is spinning round with Lora, as a matter of course, Mr. Blake is blessed with Liz, five other couples revolve and bump against each other with much force and great good humor.

Geoffrey has seen a great many waltzes, but the energy, the vim, the 'go' of this one he has never seen equalled. And it is a night in early August. The full harvest moon is pouring its pale splendour over the warm sweet world without; the faces of the waltzers are redder in ten minutes than the moon when it rose. The living whirlwind flashing past him so confuses Geoffrey that he gets up at last, and with some difficulty makes his way into the kitchen. This apartment has but two occupants—Dan Sleaford, and a small, scantily-dressed damsel of twelve, who appears to be assistant cook. Dan is *chef*. At an early age he developed one talent, a talent for clam chowder; many years of cultivation, and that talent has soared to the heights of positive genius. No 'swarry' at the Sleafords would be considered perfect without a chowder; it is indeed the *piece de resistance* of the feast, and is generally the only dish contributed by the givers. So Dan, in a state of threatening spontaneous combustion, bends over the steaming cauldron, from which odors as of Araby the blest are wafted out into the silent night. The youthful person with him, in a sulky and slipshod manner, is emptying numerous baskets, and arranging their contents on the two deal tables, covered at present with very white cloths, and set out with the blue delf, two-pronged forks, and a miscellaneous collection of knives. It requires some skill on Mr. Sleaford's part to keep one eye on the chowder and bring it to the pith of perfection for which he is so justly celebrated, and keep the other fixed sternly on the small assistant and see that she purloins none of the provisions. On the present occasion the spread is something gorgeous. There is first of all the champagne—two silver-throated beauties contributed by Frank. Then a basket of able-bodied mutton pies, the delicate attentions of Mr. George Blake, who has a weakness that way. Then a plum cake, with sugar coating an inch thick, the luscious offering of the young Brightbrook baker. Then a leg of lamb, 'with fixings,' *anglaise* peas and mince sauce. A bottle of mixed pickles, a wedge of cheese, a can of sweet biscuits and sundries, the tribute by the representative of the grocery.

In addition a great earthenware pot of tea is steeping for the ladies, while the whisky and other spirituous fluids, together with a box of cigars, adorn a shelf of the cupboard. These delicacies, with the chowder—always with the chowder—comprise a supper fit for Brillit Savarin or the Olympian gods. Geoffrey takes a seat on the sill of one of the open windows trying to catch a breath of cool air, and amused in spite of himself by the novelty of all this. Dan Sleaford politely essays conversation, but distracted between the children and his handmaid, the attempts are not brilliant. In spite of his Argus eyes, Joanna has managed to filch a mutton pie, a handful of mixed biscuits, and a piece of cheese, and secretes this victual somewhere about her garments. Geoffrey watches the elfish child with curiosity; she is of a type he has never seen before. He has a chivalrous veneration for all things feminine, engendered by his beautiful and stately mother; but this changeling—it is difficult to imagine her belonging to the same order of things as his sister Leo or Olga Ventnor. This evening, her best frock, such as it is, has been donned; she wears shoes and stockings, and an effort has been made to brush down the thick shock of darkly-reddish hair. He sees the pale, pinched features—features not homely in themselves, but spoiled by an expression of settled sullenness and gloom. She looks uncanny and most pathetically unchildlike. When Dan Sleaford grins at her she shrinks as if she expected a blow. Her hard life is written in every line of her downcast and smileless face.

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SATURDAY, JULY 10, 1886.

CONCLUSION OF EXAMINATION AT ST. BONAVENTURE'S.

The Examinations at St. Bonaventure's College were resumed to-day at 11 a. m. and concluded at 2 p. m. The answering of the boys throughout was most accurate, and reflected the highest credit on the working of the Institution. Anything equal to the knowledge of Geography and Grammar as displayed by the junior boys, under Professor Ryan's systematic training we have never heard before in all our experience. The self-possession of the students, in all the classes was remarkable, as school boys generally, whilst undergoing examination are nervous and excited. We presume that this self-possession arose from a conscious ability to answer any questions put to them in their respective classes and nothing could be more convincing that the work done in St. Bonaventure's is thorough.

The following is the syllabus of subjects of to-day, placed in the hands of each examiner.

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On Tuesday evening next there will be an exhibition of athletic exercises and sports accompanied with music; and on Wednesday following the annual distribution of prizes will take place.

THE RAILWAY FOG-HORN.

A correspondent calls our attention to the annoyance of the fog-horn on one of the engines, working at present on one end of the line. He says:—"To people in health it is bad enough, but to invalids it is much more serious, and there are several cases of sickness close to the track. To alter the fog-horn for an ordinary railway whistle could easily be done, and would cost but little."

The Railway authorities will, no doubt, heed the representations of our correspondent, who is a gentleman who would not complain in this matter without good cause, as we are sure they would give any annoyance to the public that could possibly be avoided.

ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE.

Mrs. James Carroll, the wife of the unfortunate man who attempted to commit suicide on Thursday morning, called at this office to state that the accounts published in our daily contemporaries, to the effect that her husband was in a state of intoxication at the time, is not correct. He was abstemious in his habits, and had not taken any kind of intoxicating liquor for twelve months previously. During the past three months he has suffered with a lightness in his head, and has been in a state of melancholy. For three weeks past his wife noticed that he was quite deranged, and made the case known to a physician. On Thursday morning he got out of bed about 4 o'clock and went into an adjoining room. His wife speedily followed him, and was horrified to see him in the act of cutting his throat with a razor. She struggled to take the razor from him and succeeded in doing so only after he had made a frightful gash in his throat, and had inflicted a deep cut in his thigh. Mrs. Carroll, had one of her hands severely cut; and after getting the razor from her

husband, she immediately ran to the Police Office for assistance. Sergeant Lacey went for Dr. McKenzie, who rendered all the aid he possibly could to the unfortunate man, by bandaging his wounds and going with him to the hospital. The wound is not fatal, and there is hope of his recovering. Mrs. Carroll made a brave effort to save the life of her husband, and being in distressed circumstances needs and deserves the sympathy of the benevolent. She has two infant children depending upon her for support, and has certainly a heavy cross to bear.

THE HANLON HOSMER RACE.

Hanlon and Hosmer rowed a three-mile race at Lake St. John, Quebec, on the 29th.

The start, says a Quebec paper, was all that could be desired and was loudly applauded. Both carsmen got away with about 36 strokes to the minute. There seemed to be no advantage to either at first, but gradually Hosmer took the lead. The half-way buoy was rounded by Hosmer in 9.05 and by Hanlon in 9.23. The latter made a start and came at once again to the front, leading for a time by two or three lengths. The distance was quickly reduced, however, and Hanlan was apparently about to pass the stake boat by a lead of a boat's length, when Hosmer made a final effort and reduced by one-half the distance then existing between them. The result of the race was, of course, received with loud applause. Hosmer remarked to Hanlon, soon after the finish, that only for the bad weather he believed that they would both have beaten the best previous record. The official time for the race was 20 minutes and 10 seconds.

Hanlan and Hosmer and those from the city who witnessed the race returned to town by six and seven o'clock trains, and at nine o'clock a grand reception was given in honor of the oarsmen by the citizens, in the Roller Skating Rink.

Mayor Langelier presented both contestants to those present and each in turn was loudly applauded.

Hanlan made a few remarks in acknowledging the honor done him, and said he was going to England next month to row against Beach, and would do his utmost to maintain the honor of Canada and to bring back here the championship of the world. He also expressed his intention of returning to Quebec next year to row in another match. Messrs. Hanlan and Hosmer then returned to their hotel and will leave together for Montreal this afternoon. Hosmer remarked last night that he hoped to return later to Quebec and also that he had serious thoughts of going to England next month with Hanlan.

Correspondence.

The Editor of this paper is not responsible for the opinions of correspondents.

ENERGY AND SYMPATHY OF NEWFOUNDLANDERS.

(To the Editor of the Colonist.)

DEAR SIR,—In the case of the discovery of the remains of the late John Crimp much credit is due to such men as Mr. P. Smith, Louis Mullowney and M. Dalton, who used every endeavor to recover the remains which were lost in the Lake in Bay Bulls, whilst trouting, on the 24th ult. When we consider the season of the year in which this unfortunate occurrence took place, a season when every man is employed in earning a subsistence for himself and family to meet the demands of a cold and inclement winter, one cannot but admire the self-sacrificing spirit of the people of Bay Bulls and Witless Bay, who, rather than engage in their ordinary avocation or industry, for the time being, devoted their energy to the rescuing of the body of a fellow-creature. The papers talk of wonderful exploits and of occurrences that have transpired elsewhere, of which but a casual notice comes under our view; but I ask the unprejudiced reader to view this case from an unbiased standpoint, and answer if Newfoundlanders are not as sincere and patriotic as any people under the rising sun. Newfoundland, through her generous and grateful sons, have shown herself to be fearless in every danger, and such jealousy as may exist in the hearts of young Newfoundlanders is only that of emulation, each

vying with the other to see who would accomplish the greater good. The foregoing came to my mind as I stood on the brink of one of the knolls leading into the lake in which the melancholy accident occurred, and viewed the crowd standing in silent amazement awaiting the result of the search for the body. Every available means was brought from the aforesaid settlements and the people of these districts evinced a determination to sacrifice even their prospects for the coming winter, in order to hand the remains of the unfortunate youth over to the keeping of his immediate relations, who desired to consign him to consecrated clay. It is a matter of congratulation to the people of Newfoundland in general to find that their representatives in Witless Bay and Bay Bulls have shown their entire disinterestedness in their own worldly concerns to perform an act of humanity; and when we reflect that these good people were not of the same religious faith as the deceased, it should do much to allay any of the rancor that may still remain among members of the different denominations.

In conclusion permit me to say, our thanks are due to Fathers Driscoll and Roche, for their publications and directions from their Altars; and Sergeant Collins, Constable Kane and Furlong, who availed themselves of every opportunity to make a successful investigation and to wish them every success in the balmy future.

Yours truly,
OBSERVER.

WHAT'S GOOD FOR THE GOOSE IS GOOD FOR THE GANDER.

(To the Editor of the Colonist)

SIR,—On the same principle what's good for Protestants is good for Roman Catholics and vice versa: political movements which should be in the interests of the state as a whole, perverted by a party for class distinction or self aggrandizement, must affect the social well-being of society at large. Thus the body politic is dependent on the healthy action of every section of the community, for the prosperity or depression of the whole state, just as a man with a foot out of joint, or an arm crippled, prevents the man from engaging in any of the pursuits of life, where the physical capabilities of a sound man are required. And here, I would say, that so long as we look at ourselves as legislating for the interest of one part of society and not the whole, so long shall we be like a man trying to do a day's work with a broken arm.

Here we have the legal professor, racking his brains night and day to get hold of the public chest, to the exclusion of all others. The mercantile party cries out the lawyers will fleece us if we let them alone. The divine, with all the worldliness of the other two, steps in and cries your Church is in danger, your soul is imperilled if you sustain that party. Thus the laborer that has to subsist by the sweat of his brow, with no spare time to think, no time to spare to investigate the cause of the social evils that surround him, and the way to remove them, becomes the victim of class, creed and party distinctions. By some instinctive inate action of the soul, he sees the evil and divines the cause, but the power of reason is cramped, and the best methods of political economy are so far beyond the intellectual grasp of the masses, that any plausible promises for their better accommodation, from what they consider the upper classes of society are sure to be swallowed as the panacea of every future ill.

Thus we have society disjointed. Covetousness has paralyzed the hand of labor and the unrighteous "grab all you can" (the shoes from the feet of the poor, the stockings from off the legs of the needy, and the pillow from under the head of the widow) has so branded, so permeated all society, that its terrible consequences cannot be realized. But there is this difference after all, the poor are hungry while the rich are not. As I was passing two young men on the street the other day, one of them said to the other, "where are we going, it is dinner time!" "I don't know," was the reply. "I would ask you to come up to the house but I know there is nothing there to eat." "And I am sure there is nothing in our house" was the answer in return.

These young men were not vagrants or tramps, nor drunken spendthrifts, but men quite willing to work and ready to engage in any labor that would give them bread to eat.

You ask me what has party politics to do with that! I will try to answer in my next.

COSMOS.

ELOQUENT WORDS OF REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER ON IRELAND AND IRISHMEN.

Rev. Henry Ward Beecher is on a visit to England. A delegation of members of the committee having in charge the arrangements for the great Liberal meeting at Liverpool, at which Mr. Gladstone spoke, called on him, and asked him to attend and make an address. Mr. Thomas Snape was the chairman of the delegation, and Mr. T. P. O'Connor, of the late parliament, was of the party. Mr. Beecher said to the committee in response:

"I have come to England mainly for rest and recreation, and with no purpose of taking part in the political controversy. It is not for me to attempt to tell the British people what they should do in this important crisis. At the same time I do not hesitate to say that I am with Mr. Gladstone, first, last and at all times. I hear it said that the Irish are not capable of self-government. As to that I might almost say that they govern us in America. I regard them as having the elements of as noble a people as ever have been created on the face of the earth. It is notorious that the Scotch-Irish are the men that are conspicuous in our commercial relations for their shrewdness, their industry, the acquisition of wealth, and general respectability, and success in everything that pertains to morality as well as commerce. For respectability, shrewdness, wealth, production and cautious conservatism, they are almost by-words with us.

"No. Of course I cannot come to England at a time when there is under discussion the adoption for Ireland of the substantial principles which underlie our own government without profound interest. If I were a born citizen of this kingdom I would go into this conflict with all my heart and soul. I am restrained from it by considerations of delicacy. My heart goes with Mr. Gladstone and with the general principles which he advocates. There are many details, many modifications that lie beyond my reach, but his direction is right, and it seems to me that every good and hopeful man should join to promote the success of the effort which now is so largely centered in his hands."

Mr. Beecher, however, accepted an invitation to a seat on the platform, and despite his declination to speak, the committee were hopeful that when the time came he would reconsider. As they left, one of them remarked to his fellow-callers: "It will be all right when we once get Mr. Beecher on the platform. It will be an impossibility for him to resist the calls that will be made upon him by the audience."

GENERAL NEWS.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company is gradually purchasing up all the railways in Canada not of the Grand Trunk system. Their acquisition of the Intercolonial is only a question of a very short time.

Mr. Gladstone, when speaking at Edinburgh, wore a white waistcoat, long clerical frock coat, liberal shirt front, conservative looking white studs, and a plain black tie, with loose ends flying a la Captain Cuttle. His trousers were Scotch gray. At his *boutonniere* were tuberoses and maidenhair fern.

The Supreme Court of North Carolina will soon be called upon to define the status of the turtle as a deadly weapon.

A negro in Raleigh hit another over the head with a 12-pound turtle. The assailant was charged with committing an assault with a deadly weapon. An exception was taken, and the Supreme Court must settle the question. The same tribunal has already decided that a bulldog is a deadly weapon within the meaning of the statutes.

A New York society woman has been found plucky and sensible enough to snub an English lord. This is Mrs. Beach-Grant, the mother of Adele Earl Cairns, who was, but is not, engaged to borrow money of his rich mother-in-law elect, was politely but firmly refused, lost his temper and his manners and was dismissed from the family.

A goat in a herd at Lamerigues, France, finding the waistcoat of the goatherd lying about, nibbled at some papers sticking out of the pockets, and when the owner of the vesture returned

he found that the animal had devoured 900 francs in bank notes out of 1,800 francs which he had saved up. The goat is doing well.

Local and other Items.

There was no fish at Bonavista yesterday.

The steamer "Curlew" left St. Pierre at 3 a.m. to-day, bound west.

Local fishermen fared badly on the neighboring ledges this morning.

Caplin is reported plenty at Torbay and Middle Cove, but fish is scarce.

Traps in Bay Bulls and Witless Bay yesterday secured catches ranging from 5 to 25 qtls. of fish each.

The traps in Petty Harbor and Black Head got only about half a quintal of fish each on yesterday.

The highest point attained by the thermometer during the last twenty-four hours was 71, the lowest 49.

It is rumored that a public meeting will take place some night next week, to re-appoint a Regatta Committee.

The banking schooner "Mercury," Captain William Williams, arrived at Bay Bulls yesterday, with 500 qtls. of fish.

The examination in the case of a man who, it is alleged, placed stones on the Railway track on last Monday evening is still pending.

Mr. Thomas Prendergast trapped 30 qtls. of fish yesterday, at Cape Broyle, other traps in the place got from 3 to five qtls. of fish each.

A telegram from St. Mary's states that fish is plenty there, but the weather is rough. Many traps were badly wrecked on Thursday last.

Three shops on Water Street were entered during the last two nights and money and goods taken. The police are on the track of the burglars.

Mr. Denehy arrived here in the str. "Coban" this morning, from Montreal, after an absence of thirty-two years from his native country. We wish him the fullest enjoyment of his holiday.

The following is the list of passengers per steamer "Polino" for Montreal:—Mrs. W. B. Williams, Master G. Williams, Master W. Williams, Mr. J. M. Graham, Cow Bay—Miss Lake, Mr. C. J. Swan; 32 in steerage for Montreal.

The banking schooner "Mary Joseph," Captain P. O'Reilly, arrived here last night from the banks, with 130 quintals of fish. Captain O'Reilly parted his anchor and lost some of his trawls, and had to run for this port. He says that it was impossible to catch fish with caplin, the most of his catch having been taken with squid bait which he procured on the banks. The Captain refitted to-day and sailed for Placentia, which port he will leave immediately for the banks again.

The steamer "Coban" arrived here to-day from Montreal, Charlottetown and Pictou. The ship had a good run to this port. She brought a family in the steerage who are going to settle in St. George's Bay in the farming business. The following is the list of passengers:—Montreal—M. Denehy and wife, Mr. D. G. Ludlow, Miss Calt, Mr. and Mrs. Sevier, Miss Blackmire, Master Wm. Brook, Mr. Mrs. Miss and Master Munn. Charlottetown—Mrs. Towan, Mr. Irwin Smallwood, Miss Coral Roberts, Pictou—Miss M. J. Geary, C. Brownell, Mr. R. E. Brayley, Mr. John McDevine, Mr. P. Devine, and 11 in steerage.

THE FIRE AT POKEHAM PATH LAST NIGHT.—A fire broke out about 1.30 this morning in a house on Pokeham Path, belonging to Mr. Taylor. The fire originated in a room behind a shop which is in front of the house, but from what cause is not known. A messenger was despatched to the West Fire Ward, and the firemen of that section were soon on the ground. The flames were subdued in a short time and outside of injury by water very little damage was done. Another alarm sounded at eight this morning from James Street, from a house belonging to Mr. Chislett, but a few buckets of water, in the hands of neighboring men, subdued the flames before the arrival of the firemen.

Hotel Arrivals.

ATLANTIC HOTEL.
July 7.—Rev. E. Walsh, Brigus, 8—J. B. L. Hould, Three Rivers; A. T. Briggs, London. 10—J. Scriber and wife, Henington; R. E. Brailey, S. Munn and wife, Master S. Munn, Miss J. S. Munn, Montreal; D. J. Laidlaw, Kensington, Ont.