The Daily Examiner

JULY 15, 1885.

Hotel Accommodation.

THE St. John *Sun* puts in a good word for "mine host" of the Rankin House, and says:—

"The tide of summer travel has set in, and many of our visitors from across the border, as well as the health seekers of our own Province, are wending their way to that lovely spot, Prince Edward Island."

So far, however—we regret to say it—the "tide" has not been strong this season. Indeed, it has not been so strong as in some former years. It is but a very low neap tide, and brings very little wealth with it. "Slack times in the States" is one of the causes. But the chief cause undoubtedly is the want of first-class accommodation. The tide of travel is branching off to the West and East of the Island. Tourists are going to points in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia—because they cannot have here the conveniences to which they are accustomed at home. Our hotel keepers do as well as they can. But they lack capital, and the community hasn't the public spirit to combine and provide the means required to erect and start a first-class hotel. So, though nature has specially favored the Island, we lose a large proportion of the profits accruing to a Summer Resort. Our steamers, railways and stores lose thousands of dollars every year.

Blake and Brown.

THE *Patriot* quotes the Halifax *Chronicle's* justification of Mr. Blake for negociating with one "J. E. Brown." for a supply of information about the North-west—said, "information" to be obtained by Brown as a surveyor in the employ of the Government. We fear that no explanation that either Mr. Blake or his organs can make will satisfy the public that the Leader of the Opposition has not been guilty of a mean act and a very gross impropriety. The letters prove, say the Toronto *Mail*, that Mr. Blake "is capable of enjoying, using, profiting by dirty work, and that he is not above taking personal part in it, if no "confidential friend" is at hand to aid him in the operation. To encourage a man to take service in the Government surveys and then give Mr. Blake the benefit of all the information and communications the spy might get—was that honorable conduct? Suppose we sent a reporter (it would be, we think, impossible to find one to do it) into S. H. Blake's office to spend a few months there as a clerk and get all the party secrets—would the public call *that* honorable conduct? Suppose we got a reporter to go to the *Globe* (no reporter would do it, we are sure) and collect for us all the information that he could get from his chiefs in the office? Would the public consider that honorable conduct? No, the public would say it was scandalous, indecent, indefensible; and the man who would be guilty of it would forfeit the countenance and friendly hand of every man who had a particle of self-respect in his composition."

Industrial Education at Home.

SOMETHING like a new departure in education, or perhaps we should say an experiment, has been successfully tried at Salem, Mass., this season. An exhibition of about 150 articles made by the pupils of the Bowditch Grammar School, was an agreeable surprise to every one of the many who attended. All the articles were made at home by the children of the school, without any hope of reward or idea that the articles would be publicly exhibited. The only assistance which the pupils received was in the way of suggestions from teachers and parents. The first movement was made about five months ago. Some idea of what has been manufactured, may be gathered from the mention of a few sample articles: waste baskets, mats, a full dress, tidies, aprons, scarfs, pillow-cases, darning, quilts, button-holes, sofa-pillows, paintings etc., from the girls. The boys made engines, chairs, cabinets, bird-houses, boxes, drawings, boots and curried leather, besides many other things. The girls also exhibited some excellent specimens of plain and fancy cooking, and the loaves of beautiful, and delicious bread, made by the little girls would do credit to the best housekeeders. One loaf especially took a prize. Perhaps nothing in the exhibition showed more skill than the large side of leather which one little fellow tanned, curried and finished with his own hands. It is said that industrial work will be taken up in several other of the schools of Salem another season. This is what may be called real practical education. As a rule, education on this Continent has had a tendency to make pupils dissatisfied with industrial occupations. This fact has been receiving much attention amongst the thoughtful in the United States, and the experiment we here chronicle is one of the outcomes of the discussion which has taken place on the subject. The experiment, it appears to us, has one important feature. It will have a tendency to develop and make known the natural bent of young people for an occupation. Many mistakes are made by parents and others in choosing for young folks occupations in life for which they are utterly disqualified. They often make a poor parson of one who would have made an excellent blacksmith, or a brief-less lawyer of one who would have shone as pastry-cook. A little observation in such experiments would soon convince the old folks of the bent of genius of the young people; and we, therefore, recommend the attention of friends of education here to this matter

Address to the Retiring United States Consul.

At three o'clock to-day a large number of the friends of Mr. Worden assembled at the Legislative Council Chambers, and on their behalf, His Lordship, the Chief Justice, presented him with the following

ADDRESS:

TO WARREN A. WORDEN, ESQ.

We, the undersigned citizens of Charlottetown, have learnt with much regret of your removal from the office of Consul of the United States of America for Prince Edward Island.

During a sojourn amongst us of nearly two years, we have had many opportunities of appreciating your courteous performance of the various duties pertaining to your position, and your manly integrity of character has deservedly earned for you universal respect and esteem.

Socially, as a gentleman of culture and ability, you have at all times thrown your influence quietly, though none the less effectively, toward the assistance of many of the philanthropic and charitable efforts of our citizens, and as a favored guest in our private homes, left many a pleasant remembrance of your agreeable and entertaining companionship.

Your admirable and well-chosen speeches in public were always worthy of the occasion and of your office, and as a representative here of the American people, your judicious conduct has added to that friendly feeling which it was your evident desire should exist between Canada and the neighboring Republic.

With renewed expressions of regret and esteem, we beg to wish you a kindly farewell, and to Mrs. Worden you will please convey our regret that the exigencies of the service to which you belong deprive us of the society of a lady whose many good qualities have endeared her to all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance.

A. A. MACDONALD,
Lieut. Governor.
EDWARD PALMER,
Chief Justice.
JAMES H. PETERS,
J. HENSLEY,
W. W. SULLIVAN,
L. H. DAVIES,
R R. FITZGERALD,
L. C. OWEN,
and about forty other citizens of Charlottetown.

REPLY.

TO HIS HONOR THE HONORABLE THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR, HIS HONOR THE CHIEF JUSTICE AND THE HONORABLES JUDGE PETERS, JUDGE HENSLEY, AND GENTLEMEN:—

I cannot undertake to thank you in suitable language for this expression of your appreciation and esteem, and for the very kind and flattering terms in which you refer to Mrs. Worden and myself.

It may have been your misfortune at sometime to say good-bye to those for whom you cared, and if so you have experienced the difficulty I find in giving utterance to words to express myself in fitting phrase. They rise to the lips but the tongue cannot form them.

For the terms of approbation in which you refer to my conduct of the Consular Office, accept my thanks. I can say with all sincerity that I have discharged those duties according to my instructions, and impartially towards all. If I have done well, I have but done what I ought.

On a number of occasions, it has been my good fortune to meet you at public entertainments and banquets. At those times my heart has been made to beat with a quicker pulse while listening to the encomiums passed by your several speakers upon my country, her institutions, and her progress; and I have often thought that could the great majority of my people know of the warmth of feeling that is growing steadily for them, how rapidly would the obstacles to a more perfect commercial understanding, and to a reciprocity of interests, dissolve and become a memory and a wonder to the coming generation. The Protectionists should all be made Consuls and sent to Canada.

It is nearly two years since first Mrs. Worden and myself came to the shores of this beautiful Island, and I well remember as I sailed up the Straits from Pictou, one perfect summer's day, how vivid was the impression made on my mind by the ever-changing but continuous loveliness of the scenery; and neither of us have found occasion to change the impressions first formed of the quiet beauty of Island shores and landscapes.

A further charm was woven about us in our associations and intercourse with you, and I cannot help thinking what a fortunate man my successor is to have his Consular lot cast in such pleasant places.

Had we had the desire to resist these spells, we still would have found ourselves more and more entangled in the web of courtesy, kindness and hospitality that has continued to this time. Probably it is well that we should bid you good bye now while the power of self-will is left us. But we will still carry away a lengthening chain which can only be unbound when we at some future time—if Fate is kind to us—return, picking up the links and drawing ourselves nearer to the hospital shores of Prince Edward Island. To slightly change the wording of an old stanza though,—

These eyes may miss thee many a year,
But unforgotten every charm,
Though lost to sight to mem'ry dear.

Let me once more renew Mrs. Worden's thanks, and add to them my own for your very flattering and kind words of farewell, and in bidding you good-bye, wish most heartily that prosperity and good fortune may attend you and yours.

THE Halifax company's new steamer Ulunda, due from Boston Monday morning, brings 800 tons of cargo and one hundred saloon passengers—all the cabin staterooms and officers' berths being occupied. There was a lively time on West India wharf this morning.—*Hx. Herald, Monday.*

IN Ontario the cost per pupil in public schools is $6.69; in High Schools, $29.47. The legislative grant per pupil in public schools is 54c.; in High Schools, $7.17.

St. Swithin's Day.

TO DAY, July 15, is ominous; for "if it rains on St. Swithin's Day there will be rain the next forty days afterwards." St. Swithin (or Swithum according to his Saxon name) was of the parentage. He received the tonsure in the church at Winchester, England, and became a monk in the old monastery there, of which after being ordained priest, he was made Provost or Dean. For his learning and virtue, Egbert, King of England, appointed him his priest. He was tutor to Ethelwolf, who on ascending the Throne, procured for Swithin the Bishopric of Winchester, anno 852.

St. Swithin established Tithes in England, and Ethelwolf enacted a law by which a tenth of the land was given to the church, on condition that the king should have a prayer said for his soul every Wednesday in all the churches *forever*. This character was placed by Ethelwolf on the altar of St. Peters, at Rome, in a pilgrimage there, and the Pope confirmed it. St. Swithin died July 2, 862.

The reason for expecting rain on St. Swithin's Day, rests on the following:—St. Swithin desired that he might be buried in the —— churchyard, and was so. Afterwards, however, when he was canonized, some monks determined to remove his remains to the chancel of the Minster, and appointed the 15th of July for the proceeding, but it rained so violently on that day, and for forty days after, that the design was regarded as heretical and blasphemous, and abandoned; but, instead, a chapel was erected over his grave, at which many miracles are said to have been wrought.

"St Swithin's Day! if you thou raine,
For forty days 'twill so remaine;
St. Swithin's Day! if thou be faire,
For forty days 'twill raine na maire."

A pleasant conceit is still noted in some part of England when it rains on the 15th of July, which supposes that the good Bishop is "christening the apples."

Noble and Heroic Rescue from Drowning,

OF THREE POOR FISHERMEN, A FEW MILES OFF LONGWORTH'S FACTORY, RAMSAY'S SHORE, WEST CAPE.

An occasional correspondent at West Cape writes:—About 4 o'clock p. m., on Friday last (July 10th), we sighted a small sail bearing north-west from the factory, and running before a gale. We watched her until she got abreast of us, when they took in the foresail. Just as they had finished taking it in a squall struck them, and they went over. Mr. Smith (foreman), who was standing on the stage head, gave the alarm to his fishermen, who immediately manned two boats and started for the wreck. On account of the strong wind blowing at the time they were unable to raise a sail, and were forced, with great difficulty and danger, to row their boats against a heavy sea. The cool bravery and heroic courage displayed by those fishermen—Hubert, Thistle and Rogers, of Georgetown, and the other boat's crew of Buctouche—will long be remembered by the people of West Cape. They reached the wreck just in time to save the lives of three fishermen belonging to Tignish (all that were on board), and landed them safe on shore, where they were kindly cared for.

She was Getting Tired of it.

He was seeing her home for the two thousand eight hundred and eighth time, that being an average of six times a week for a period of nine years. They were wending their way over a dilapidated sidewalk. "Aint the sidewalk in a desperate state;" she remarked. "Remember long ago when we were sing— oh dear, I was nearly saying when we were single—when we were young, they were then smooth and pleasant to walk upon." But time changes all things; and when we take into consideration the great number of fellows that have nightly promenaded these streets with their girls for the last nine years, we cannot wonder that the sidewalk don't last forever. Besides, this thing appears to be getting so ridiculously monotonous, that I am glad they are wearing out. It is a good thing to see a change somewhere, even in the sidewalks."

"Yes," said he, wishing to change the subject. "I wonder if Gillis will be able to prove an *alibi*?"

"A what?" she screamed, "is that the thing they are putting on the top of the LePage building?" and then there was a lull.

Boston Markets.

BOSTON, July 11.

CHEESE.—Under the influence of the active movements and the high prices in the country, buyers here have been operating more freely, and sales to a considerable extent have been effected at 7½ to 8c per lb. At the close receivers are asking 8 to 8¼c for extra New York stock, but buyers do not respond to over 8c. Medium grades are selling at 6½ to 7½c. The Liverpool quotation advanced to 40s 6d on Thursday, but dropped to 40s yesterday.

EGGS—The market continues dull and prices are weak. Eastern extras are quoted at 14½ to 15c, but only strictly fresh, which are scarce, will command this range. Very few sales of Northern or Provincial can be made at over 13½c per dozen. Western move slowly at 12 and 12½c per dozen, P. E. Island at 13½c

FISH.—The receipts of mackerel for the week at Boston have been 2,866 bbls, including 319 bbls from foreign and 2,547 bbls, from domestic ports and fleet. Total mackerel landed by New England fleet up to date, 32,723 bbls against 50,032 bbls same time last year. The market has been quiet, but receipts are light and prices are maintained. Sales of shore mackerel in fare lots at $4 to $4.25 for plain, and $4 50 to $3 75 per bbl for rimmed. A lot of 300 bbls inspected sold at $4.25 for medium rimmed 3's, and $7.25 for 2's. Old Mackerel are not as firm, and some lots could be bought at $3.25 per bbl. Nova Scotia Mackerel are quoted at $7 per bbl., but sales to any extent could not be made at that figure, as dealers are not anxious to buy. Codfish are in light supply, but the demand is limited, and prices are without much change. Sales of dry Bank at $3 50 and $3 75 for large, and $2.50 and $2.75 for medium; and Shore at $3.12½ per qtl. for large. No pickled cured Bank offering. Hake are quiet at $2, and Haddock at $1.50 and $1.75 per qtl.

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L. E. PROWSE will, during July and August, clear out the balance of his Summer Goods, at prices that must sell them.

A job lot of LACE CURTAINS, regular price $4.20, now $3 25; $5.50 for $4.25; $6 for $4 75, newest patterns and extra good quality. A large lot of

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Ch'town, July 15, 1885.

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THE Subscriber begs to tender his sincere thanks to the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, the Captains of the fire engine companies and their men, the Captain and men of the Salvage Corps, and the Captain and men of the Hook-and-Ladder Company, George Davies, Donald McKinnon, Wm. Boyle, Esq., and Messrs. McKinnon & McLean as well as the men from the Tanneries and Foundry, and other citizens, who rendered valuable assistance at the fire at his residence on the 13th inst.

BENJ. HEARTZ.

July 15th, '85.

Gas and Bank Stock.

TO be Sold by Auction on TUESDAY next, 21st inst., at 12 o'clock, at my office, Queen Square:—

28 Shares in the Charlottetown Gas Light Company.

20 Shares in Merchants Bank of P. E. Island.

WILLIAM DODD,

Ch'town, July 14, 1885.

EXCURSION TO ALBERTON.

SPECIAL TRAIN leaving Charlottetown at 6 a. m. (local time) on THURSDAY, 16th inst., in connection with the Methodist Tea at Alberton, will make the run through in five hours and a-half. Train will stop at all stations where there may be excursionists to pick up, but there will be no other detentions, going or returning.

July 14—2i

AUCTION.

TO be Sold by Auction, on THURSDAY, July 16th, at 11 o'clock, a. m., at James Wooldridge's Quarry, Mount Edward Road, 200 Perch BUILDING STONE, in lots to suit purchasers.

E. NEEDHAM,
Auctioneer.

Ch'town, July 13—3i

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Those two conveniently situated Cottages on Fitzroy Street, between Weymouth and Cumberland Streets, in good repair, with immediate possession.

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A. McNEILL,
Auctioneer.

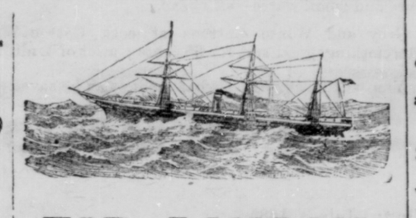
July 13—w w

THE TELEPHONE COMPANY, of Prince Edward Island.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of Subscribers to the Stock of the above Company, will be held at the Office of Messrs. Palmer & McLeod, in Charlottetown, on THURSDAY, the 16th day of July, instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing the first Board of Directors and transacting general business.

JOHN INGS,
CHARLES C GARDINER,
MALCOLM McLEOD,
Three of the persons named in the 1st section of the Act of Incorporation.

Ch'town, July 4th, 1885—dy tl mtg.



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Ch'town, July 11, 1885.

SCOTTISH GATHERING.

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Special arrangements are made, and cheap rates secured from all points by Railways and Steamers

For full particulars get Programme.

JOHN M. CAMPBELL,
Sec'y of Games Committee.

July 4—tf

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Ch'town, June 19, '85—tf.

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