

A CONGRESS ON THE AFFAIRS OF GREECE.—The belief that a Congress will be held to define the succession to the Greek throne grows confirmed.

A WARNING TO THE KING OF NAPLES.—It is understood that a warning has been given to King Ferdinand of Naples, that if any outbreak takes place in his dominions, he is not to look to foreign assistance from any quarter for its suppression.

The editorial Recorder, in Hazard's Gazette of last Saturday, deigns at last to notice our comments on his conduct, in a manner so ludicrous that a feeling of pity for the state in which he finds himself placed before the public, almost induced us to refrain from any reply which might render him still more uncomfortable.

The learned gentleman was quite figurative in his illustrations, which, however, did not strike us as being very felicitous. As Mr. Lawson's lucubrations are not very generally read, we may state, for the information of the public, that he instituted a comparison between his conduct on the occasion alluded to, and that of a professional man applied to by a private client, and setting before him the arguments in his favour and those which would make against him, triumphantly asks, where is the difference between the suppositions and real case?

Mr. Lawson's view of the obligation of the Common Council to act on his advice, irrespectively of their own opinions of its correctness, or their want of confidence in himself, evinces a most modest desire on his part to usurp the whole Civic functions, and render the Municipal body a mere Caudle appendage to his Honor.

The reference to the relative duties of a captain and pilot of a ship, did not strike us as being very much in his favour, and we can only say, that if his argument were carried into practice, the captain would not require the service of the pilot, for the ship would be as long as one plank stuck to another.

We had intended to devote a more lengthened notice of the recent effusion of the Recorder, but shall defer the pleasure to some future occasion.

A LIBERAL REWARD will be given to the party who shall, within six months from this date, discover the meaning of the following extract of an editorial in last Hazard's Gazette:—

"There is not the least doubt but that the expenditure of a body of men with their officers and adjutants, circulating £6,000 or £7,000 annually, drawn from a source out of the Island, does in effect increase the exportation to that amount, and without the risk of shipwreck, and the drawbacks of freight, insurance, &c., and although nothing actually remains but the profit, yet, that of itself is no small advantage."

IMPORTANT TO GAS CONSUMERS!—GAS FOR NOTHING!!—The Editor of Hazard's Gazette informs the public that a saving of 100 per cent. can be obtained by the use of some newly invented gas burners to be seen in operation at Mr. Stamper's book-store.

UNITED STATES.

SMASH UPON THE CENTRAL RAILROAD.—ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY SWINE SLAUGHTERED.—SIX FREIGHT CARS DEMOLISHED.—An accident, the result of miscalculation and want of perception, occurred at West Albany last evening, which, while it resulted in no personal injury to any one, caused great damage and loss.

The hind cars of the foremost train, when the two trains came in collision, were piled one upon the other, in great confusion. The debris presents a sorry sight, as the produce is nearly all rendered unfit for consumption.

The accident, it is said, was caused by the miscalculation of the flag man, who, not thinking that the rear train was so near, did not get far enough around the curve to prevent a collision.

The MACKEREL FISHERIES.—The fisheries this season promise to be very successful, both the cod and mackerel. The early arrivals from Labrador have been so, and they report an abundance of fish.

Banks. Vessels arriving at Marblehead and other points, engaged in the Banks fishing, have found fish of the largest size, and are arriving with full fares.

Of the mackerel catch the report is favourable. On our shores they have done well, and the latest returns from the Bay of St. Lawrence declare them plenty and fat.

THE BOAT RACE BETWEEN NEW YORK AND ST. JOHN.—This race is looked forward to with considerable interest. The preliminaries (says the N. Y. Clipper) were recently arranged in Boston, between Mr. Walter Welsh, on the part of St. John, N. B., and Mr. Stephen Roberts, on the part of New York.

It is needless to say that this match is attracting attention in the States as well as in the British Provinces. Both crews are now engaged in training, and will continue with their exercises until the eventful day arrives.

EXTRAORDINARY FREAK IN NATURE.—Mary, a negro woman, belonging to Dr. John H. Handley, near Mooresville, Ala., gave birth, on the 10th instant, to three living infants, two whites and one black.

COLONIAL NEWS.

DISGRACEFUL ROW AT THE FALLS.—On Monday last there was an excursion of firemen from Toronto to Niagara Falls. After their arrival at the Falls a dispute arose between some of the party and a Cabman about the fare which led to a fight, and the Cabman was badly beaten.

The Niagara Mail says the Wheat crop in Canada is generally harvested, and on the whole, the result is most satisfactory. The Mail is of opinion that "a competent scientific commission should be appointed by Government to investigate into the origin of the weevil."

DEATH FROM DROWNING.—On Saturday last four boys were playing in a canoe at the shore of Mr. Patterson's Cove, when the wind being off the land, their frail bark drifted some distance from the shore.

MAN KILLED.—A fatal accident occurred at River John on Monday last. A number of men were engaged in raising the stern post of a new vessel which is being laid on in Mr. Charles McLellan's shipyard.

THE FISHERIES AND THE CROPS.—It is gratifying to hear that our fisheries have been very successful the present season. First, the catch of Spring herring, with the exception of a partial failure in one or two localities, was very abundant.

LOCAL NEWS.

ADDRESS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIET. GOVERNOR. At a meeting of the City Council, on Wednesday evening, the 10th September, 1856—

PRESENT: His Worship the Mayor, Councillors Barnard, Sims, McCraith, Davies, Smith, Pettick, Rankin, and McIsaac, His Honor the Recorder.

It was unanimously Resolved, That a respectful Address be presented to His Excellency Sir Dominick Daly, requesting him to use his influence in the proper quarter to obtain a renewal of the Garrison in this City.

To His Excellency Sir Dominick Daly, Knight, Lieutenant Governor and Commander-in-Chief, in and over Her Majesty's Island Prince Edward, Chancellor, Vice Admiral and Ordinary of the same, &c. &c. &c.

We, the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Charlottetown, beg leave to approach Your Excellency with sentiments of high respect.

From the uniform desire to advance the material prosperity of this Island, which Your Excellency has manifested since your assumption of its Government, we are induced to address

Your Excellency on the present occasion, for the purpose of earnestly requesting that you would be pleased to exercise your influence, in the proper quarter, to obtain for the Island at large, and the City in particular, a renewal of the benefits formerly derived to its inhabitants from the presence of a Military Garrison in Charlottetown.

Now that the restoration of peace has rendered disposable large bodies of troops, recently required for active service before the enemy, we feel that the knowledge which Your Excellency has obtained of the loyal attachment the people of Prince Edward Island have ever manifested to the person of their Sovereign, will form a sufficient apology for bringing this subject under the notice of Your Excellency, and entreating your favorable consideration of its object.

To which His Excellency was pleased to make the following REPLY.

I assure you I am perfectly sensible of the great advantage that this community would derive from the restoration of a Detachment of Her Majesty's Troops to this Island, and I have not failed to bring the subject under the notice of Her Majesty's Government.

D. DALY, Lieut. Governor.

A DARING ENCOUNTER WITH A BEAR.—On the morning of Friday last, the loud howling of a cow under torture was heard in the Big Marsh Settlement, Lot 42.

Would the man who has sufficient nerve and courage to wield an axe over a real, living, infuriated and aggressive bear—and in the bear's own territory—be likely to gain laurels in taming a Russian Bear?

At Mount Mellick, on the 29th August, by the Rev. George S. Milligan, Mr. Alexander Jenkins, to Joyce Lester Lane, daughter of Samuel Lane, Esq., all of Lot 49.

At Bedouque, on the 31st instant, after a short illness, Donald, eldest son of Mr. Alexander Macfarlane, aged 14 years and 2 months.

On the 10th inst., after a lingering illness, which he bore with Christian resignation to the Divine will, Mr. Francis Lauchlin MacPhee, of this City, in the 24th year of his age.

At Pomeroy, Ohio, a few weeks since, Mr. Peter Barclay, in the 48th year of his age, leaving a widow and three children to mourn the loss of a kind and indulgent husband and father.

Marine Intelligence. PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

SEPT. 5.—Schr. Rival, Mutch, Boston; goods and passengers. Lady LeMarchant, Pictou; mails. Lively Lass, Robertson, Pictou; coal. Ploughboy, Robertson, do; do. Ariel, Moore, Sydney; do. Lady Jane Gray, Paul, Bay Verte; coal. Brig Intended, Bala, do; do. Mary Ann, Wood, Pictou; coal. S—Industry, Allen, Dalhousie; shingles. Mary, LeBlanc, Arichat; bal. LaRouge, Davidson, Boston; goods Emma, Hobbs, Sydney; coal. Conservatrice, McFadyen, Pictou; do. Favourite, Babine, Port Hood, limestone. Elizabeth, Scott, Shemogue; coal. Bee, Oulton, Bay Verte; coal. Virginia, Bears, Pictou; coal. Woe, McDonald, Pugwash; limestone. New Messenger, Siteman, Halifax; goods. Unity, Green, Sydney; coal. 10—Aurora, Hume, do; do. Unicorn, Galtant, Shediac; coal. Armament, Aylward, Newfld; bal. Mayflower, Bears, Pictou; coal.

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Prices Current. CHARLOTTETOWN MARKETS, SEPTEMBER 13.

Table with columns for Provisions, Poultry, Fish, Lumber, Sundries, and Vegetables. Lists various goods and their prices.

Lippincott's Cloth Mills, WEST RIVER, PICTOU, NOVA SCOTIA.

The subscriber respectfully informs the inhabitants of Prince Edward Island that he has now got his large and new establishment for dressing and dyeing cloth in full working order; and from the general satisfaction which his work has given, he trusts that he will this season again receive a liberal share of public patronage.

Fulling, Dyeing, Dressing, &c. ALEXANDER GRANT, East River, Pictou, Nova Scotia.

Reduced Fare between Bedouque & Shediac. —Passage 2s. 6d.— THE subscriber having put the favorite Schr. "OREGON" in good repair, will run her, during the remainder of the season, as a PACKET between the above places, leaving Bedouque every Monday and Thursday evening, after the arrival of the Royal Mail Stage from Charlottetown—and returning, leaving Shediac the following days.

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New Advertisements.

BY WILLIAM DODD.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

THE following LANDS, and PREMISES will be temporarily submitted to Public Competition, at the Court House, Colonial Building, in Charlottetown, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th day of OCTOBER next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, viz:—

PASTURE LOTS Nos. 233, 234 and 235, in the Royalty of Charlottetown, fronting on the St. Peter's Road, and situate about three miles from Town, containing in the whole 26 acres, a little more or less.

Also—That beautifully situated PROPERTY, forming part of COMMON LOT No. 18, in the Royalty of Charlottetown, fronting on the Hillsborough, and in the immediate vicinity of Government House, lately in the occupation of Captain Beazley, R. N., bounded on the north-west by the Road leading to Government House, and on the east by West-street, and extending on said Street 233 feet, a little more or less, with the large and commodious DWELLING HOUSE, OUT-BUILDINGS and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Also—That valuable piece of Ground, with the DWELLING HOUSE and PREMISES, known as the present residence of Mr. David Wilson, fronting 40 feet on Richmond street, and extending in depth 50 feet, a little more or less, forming part of TOWN LOTS Nos. 4 and 5, in the second hundred of Town Lots in Charlottetown. This property is subject to an annuity of £50 currency per annum, charged thereon for the use and benefit of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Wilson, from and after the decease of her present husband, (in case she shall survive him), and so long as she shall remain his widow and unmarried, and it will be sold liable thereto.

For terms of sale and further particulars, enquire of the undersigned Trustees for Sale, &c., under Deed of Release and Conveyance, bearing date the 21st day of December, 1855, executed by the above named David Wilson and his said wife, with the other parties therein named, to the undersigned, and duly registered, and as the same is amended by an addenda thereto, dated the 10th day of May ultimo, endorsed thereon, and also duly registered.

Dated at Charlottetown, this 10th day of September, 1856. JOSEPH HENSLEY, JOHN LONGWORTH, ROBERT STEWART.

It is requested that the following books, the property of the Legislative Library, already detained beyond all reasonable time, be returned immediately:—

- Memoirs of Walpole, 2d volume, 2d volume, 2d volume, Alison's Europe, 1st volume of 2d series, Layard's Ninveh, 1st volume, 1st volume, Macaulay's Speeches, 2d volume, 2d volume, Macaulay's History of England, 1st volume, 1st volume, Mill's Political Economy, 2d volume, 2d volume, Bentham on Legislation, 1st volume, 1st volume, Continuation of Hume and Smollet's History of England, by Hughes, 1st volume, 1st volume, Fall of Napoleon, 1st volume, 1st volume.

To Let, A SHOP and WAREHOUSE near the Queen's wharf. Apply to the Subscriber, JAMES MORRIS.

Hourly expected, PER schr. "New Messenger," and will be sold at Auction on arrival— 25 barrels Calcined PLASTER, a superior article. B. DAVIES, Queen-street.

Flour, Meal and Leather. 60 HALF-BARRELS FAMILY FLOUR, 50 barrels kiln-dried CORNMEAL, 20 sides SOLE LEATHER, Also— 12 barrels new ONIONS. For sale cheap for cash by SAMUEL E. FOWLE.

Benevolent Irish Society. A Quarterly Meeting of the above Society, held on the 10th September, at the Society's Room, Mr. RICHARD B. REID was elected Secretary, in the place of Mr. Richard Walsh, resigned.

Dissolution of Partnership. THE partnership heretofore carried on under the name and firm of DAVIS & FELWICK, is from this date dissolved. Notice is hereby given that I will not be answerable for any debts or contracts contracted by George Felwick.

Auction Of the effects of the late Hon. Dr. Conroy. ON THURSDAY, the 18th instant, commencing at 12 o'clock, by Auction, at the late residence of the Hon. Dr. Conroy, Water-street, the whole of the Household Furniture, HORSE (Farmer), COW, Carriages, Sleighs, Harness, Firewood, &c. &c., all of which will be sold without the least reserve.

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SELLING OFF! H. HASZARD begs leave respectfully to inform his customers and the public in general, his intention of selling off the large Stock of Goods, he has now on hand at a great reduction in prices, to make room for the New Importation expected in a few weeks.

His Stock of Merchandise will be offered at very reduced prices, comprising a large assortment of DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, GROCERIES and HABERDASHERY, among which will be found a large Stock of READY MADE CLOTHING in good style; a large stock of Brussels, Scotch, Kidder, Fout and Hemp CARPETING, Bar Iron, Window Glass, Putty, Oils, Paints, &c., &c. The GOODS will be ready for Sale on SATURDAY, the SIXTH day of SEPTEMBER, and he will continue to sell at the above rates until the 1st of OCTOBER next.

As great advantages will be offered to purchasers for prompt payment, as the terms to secure the reduction in prices will be Cash only, he would invite his customers and the public to give an early call, that they may participate in the bargains he will offer. Great George Street, Charlottetown, September 1, 1856.

Dyeing and Cloth-dressing. JOHN MCP. FRASER, of Pictou, Nova Scotia, respectfully intimates to his numerous friends and the public that, owing to the large patronage extended to his establishment, he is enabled to reduce his prices from one shilling, for dyeing and full dressing black and brown, to TEN-PENCE, and other work in proportion. Cloth entrusted to his agents will be done with his usual care and dispatch.

AGENTS.—Charlottetown, Peter Macgowan, Esq. Georgetown, Finlay MacNeill, Esq. White Sands, David Johnston, Esq. September 4, 1856. (all papers, 2m.)

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For freight or passage please apply to Messrs. D. Cannon, Son & Co., South Castle Street, Liverpool, or to W. W. Lord & Co., Charlottetown. Charlottetown, 30th June, 1856.