THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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Mr. Davies and the Fishery Award.

OUR readers have not forgotten the great cry which went up from the Grit party all over this Island, for some years past, that the only way to advance the claim of Prince Edward Island to a share of the Fishery Award, was by electing Mr. Louis H. Davies to the House of Commons. With characteristic modesty Mr Davies put the matter in a somewhat different way. He declared that our late representatives had utterly failed in their duty in not bringing our claim before the House of Commons separate and distinct from that of the other Provinces. A few days ago we quoted from Mr. Davies' election card a strong impeachment of our late representatives. We now quote from a letter published by the same gentleman in the EXAMINER of the 12th April 1881. This letter speaks for itself. The italics are Mr. Davies':—

"The fact is, the remedy and only hope of our Province in this matter *lies in an appeal to the Dominion House of Commons*, and yet, strange to say, *that is the only quarter where we have never formally presented our demand, and ask d for justice.*"

"The Local Government will not leave the question for decision in the hands of the only tribunal that can fairly decide it, the Dominion House of Commons, but they carry a resolution to test the question in the Courts of Law. What does this mean? Simply this, that the whole question is to be tied up, till after the next general election."

"There are equities in our claim which the House of Commons could recognize, and the Law Courts could not, and there are technicalities against us which would bind the Law Courts, and not be listened to in the House of Commons. Therefore, I say it is treason to carry the case into the Law Courts before testing fairly the opinion of the Commons. Why has not this been done? What is the reason that our representatives have never moved a resolution in the Dominion House of Commons affirming the right of this Island to a share of the Fishery Award?"

"We are represented in the Cabinet by Mr Pope, the Minister of Marine, and the Cabinet decide against our claim. We are represented in the House of Commons by six members, five of whom are as docile and obedient followers as Sir John himself could desire. They all loudly maintained, when elected, that our claim was a good one; they still, with bated breath, say their opinions are unchanged; and yet not one of them has had the courage of his opinions sufficiently to move a resolution asking the House to affirm its belief in our rights. No one thinks of abusing Sir John, or Sir Charles, or Sir Leonard, because they do not see eye to eye with the people of this Island on this fairly debateable question. But we do blame and condemn, and will continue to blame and condemn, those who, representing us in Parliament, proclaim that they believe in our rights, and yet won't submit the matter for the decision of the House. It has been said that Mr. Mackenzie repudiated the Island claim. I should like to know *when* or *where*? The matter has never been submitted to him for his vote as a member of the House. Perhaps the arguments on the part of the Island may yet convince him. Why we should determine that his vote would necessarily be against us, I don't know. The same may be said of Mr. Blake, Mr. Cartwright, Mr. Anglin, and others. They have not yet had the matter fairly placed before them for decision, and, therefore, it is folly to say that the Opposition have already decided against us. The adverse vote of the House on the resolution in favor of appropriating the Award for the benefit of the Maritime Provinces generally, moved by Mr. Ritchie, of Halifax, does not, by any means, imply that our claim will be also decided upon adversely. The grounds upon which we claim a share of the money, are entirely different from those on which Mr. Ritchie's resolution was based; and we have no reason to doubt that the claim, which seems so good to us on the Island, will yet recommend itself to a majority of the Commons."

Mr. Davies has now sat for over three months in the House of Commons, but he has, not as yet, moved his hand nor opened his lips in behalf of the claim of this Province to a share of the money. Why is this? Did he write all these letters and make all these promises on the subject, for the purpose of deceiving the electors of Queen's County, or has a cold, clamy hand, been placed upon him forbidding him to move? The silly excuse of the *Patriot* that Mr. Davies' term has not yet expired, is undeserving of an answer. The above extract shows how virtuous Mr. Davies' indignation was in 1881, at the delay which had then taken place on account of the neglect of our representatives.

Perhaps the attention which THE EXAMINER has now called to Mr. Davies' extraordinary silence, in regard to a subject on which he made such loud-mouthed promises, may even yet prompt him to bring the Fishery Award to the notice of the House of Commons before the close of the Session. A motion on the subject after many of the members leave for their homes, and when all are impatient to go, may satisfy the faithful Grits, but will not be equally satisfactory to the independent electors of Queen's County. But even this kind of consideration (if it be given) will be due to THE EXAMINER.

—The death of Joe Brady, the first of the Irish Invincibles to suffer for the murder of Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke, is an act of justice which will meet with the approbation of every right thinking person. When a body of men deliberately bind themselves together by solemn oaths for no other purpose than that of murder, and who seize every opportunity to committ such a horrible crime, there is no penalty that the law can inflict too severe or too stringent by which such cowardly assassins may be punished. The history of this dreadful crime is fresh in every mind so that it is unnecessary to relate it again. The foul deed was perpetrated at a time when, whatever the wrongs of the Irish people, and doubtless they had and have yet grave wrongs to be remedied, an honorable line of conduct would have done much to win for them the sympathy of the whole world. But, unfortunately for her, Ireland has ever been cursed with such men as Carey, who instead of having her real interests at heart, were willing to sacrifice them in order to gain public notority. Probably Carey had a deeper motive than mere notority. He evidently expected that large rewards would be offered by the Government, which, as time rolled on, would be doubled and trebled, and, that by selling his dupes into the hands of justice, he would be able to procure a free pardon, besides thousands of pounds. We feel far from condoning with the actual murderers, viz., Brady, Kelly, etc., but the man who concocted the bloody deed, who lured men into performing it, who superintended it while it was being done, and who winds up by selling his confreres without scruple, into the clutches of the gallows, should be hounded out of existence.

The Fisheries Exhibition.

The grand International Exhibition of fisheries was formally opened at South Kensington, on Saturday last, by the Prince of Wales on behalf of Her Majesty who was unavoidably absent, owing to ill-health. Though the weather was very unfavourable, still a tremendous crowd assembled to witness the inauguration of this novel show. Their Royal Highnesses were received at the entrance by a salute from the guard of honour of the Royal Naval Volunteers, and the boys of the Arethusa training-ship, while the Guards band played the "National Anthem." Walking in pairs, the Prince of Wales, the Dukes of Edinburgh, Connaught, and Albany, preceded by the architect and contractor, and followed by the officers of her Majesty's household, slowly advanced along hundreds of yards of red carpet to thrones on a dais which was surrounded by a canopy of fishing-nets upheld by gilt tridents, and flanked by banks of flowers and banners, in the north gallery. On the entrance of the royal party, a full band and a choir of four hundred voices broke into the National Anthem, while the audience rose and uncovered. Deputations of fishermen from all parts of the United Kingdom lined the whole route, and among them might be seen, dressed in their picturesque costume, a band of Canadian Indians.

It would be useless to attempt to describe even briefly the contents of the extraordinary exhibition, which covers twenty-three acres, and the official catalogue, of which consists of nearly six hundred pages. The countries which occupy the largest area, next to Great Britain and the colonies, are the United States, Sweden, Norway, Belgium, and the Netherlands. Besides the national courts are galleries devoted to machinery in motion, machinery for electric lighting, a fish market, a fish dining-room, and a fine aquarium. In the gardens are ponds stocked with fish and fish-eating birds, and the gigantic skeleton of a whale belonging to the Marquis of Exeter.

It is needless to say that Canada takes a foremost part in this exhibition. The Prince of Wales, referring to it, remarked the Canadian exhibits were remarkably good, while the Duke of Edinburgh said they were far ahead of all the colonies, and, in some respects, equal to the United States.

Our Advertisers.

J. H. Myrick wants two good can makers, and a man to take charge of a can making shop.

A. McNeill will sell, on Market Square, to-morrow at twelve o'clock, a nice lot of young apple trees.

W. E. Dawson & Co., are receiving, to-day, oranges, lemons, logwood, potash, window glass, etc., which will be sold cheap.

A. McNeill will sell at auction on Tuesday, 22nd inst., at 12 o'clock, on Market Square, ten young pigs, from the Stock Farm.

P. G. Fraser announces that the premises on Queen Street, at present occupied by him as a drug store, will be sold by auction on the 29th inst., at 11 o'clock.

Carvell Bros. announce that either the "Carroll" or "Worcester" will leave Charlottetown for Boston every Thursday. Passengers will find this route the cheapest and best one to take when going to Boston.

James Coleman, Superintendent P. E. I. R., informs the public that excursion return tickets at one first-class fare, will be issued to and from all Stations, on Thursday, May 24th, good to return up to and including May 25.

J. Brignell wants 150 laborers to work on the Western Counties Railway between Digby and Yarmouth, N. S. Applicants for work would do well to consult Mr. W. Fraser, who will be at the Rocklin House until Tuesday next, from whom full particulars can be obtained.

GOLDEN RULE.—A new Division of the Sons of Temperance called "Golden Rule," No. 105, was organized on Wednesday evening, 16th inst., at Murry Harbor, by the Grand Scribe. The following are the officers:—

W. P.—Albert P. Prowse, Esq.
W. A.—John McKinnon.
R. S.—Ezra Henry.
A. R. S.—Alexander Ball.
F. S.—William H. Prowse.
Treas.—Albert Clements.
Chap.—David Brehaut.
C.—Alex. Creighton.
A. C.—Wesley Roberts.
I. S.—Daniel Hyde.
P. W. P.—W. G. Dobson, Esq., M. D.

The W. P. was appointed Deputy of this Division. The night of meeting is Wednesday. "Golden Rule" Division will ere long take a foremost stand among the Divisions of this Island. We wish them success.

PROMINENT CANADIANS.—Among prominent Canadians in the United States are Mr. Lewis, the able contributor to the Detroit *Free Press*, who comes from Ontario. The actor McKee Rankin was born in London, Ont. Miss Clara Morris, the exponent of the emotional school of acting was born in Toronto. Lawrence Barrett, the delineator of Shakespeare's finest characters, was born in Hamilton. Mr. Hill's, the wealthy member of the Syndicate, was born in Hamilton. Kittson, the millionaire of St Paul, hails from Sorrel; and George Munroe, the New York publisher, who has given $60,000 to found a college in his native Province, is from Nova Scotia.

ORANGES, Lemons, and Apples at W. F. CARTER'S. [may17 3i

Five thousand dead bodies are sent to the New York morgue every year, and 4,500 of them are the victims of intemperance.

A LARGE supply of Ball's self-adjusting Corsets, just received at YOUNG'S.

Mrs. Langtry, the Jersey lily, thus described the impression American women had made upon her: In the first place American women have very pretty faces, bright and winning. One sees many more pretty faces here than in England. Then I think they have beautiful hair, and very pretty hands and feet, but their figures are really very bad. The American standard of figure is altogether too plump for me. Mrs. Langtry considers Mary Anderson to be the finest looking woman she has yet seen in America.

Whatever claims to recognition as a legitimate sport the "manly art" of pugilism may have, sparring encounters appear to have an unwholesome influence on many minds. The coal regions of Pennsylvania have been demoralized by it, and it is a common thing there for old and young to settle disagreements in the prize ring. Recently a furnished drawing room in Ohio was the scene of one of these brutal exhibitions, which find favor among not only the ignorant, but also those who hold a relatively high position in social circles.

BOSTON STEAMERS.

STEAMERS:

Carroll, 879 tons, Capt. Brown,
Worcester, 865 tons, Capt. Blankenship

ONE of the above FIRST-CLASS STEAMERS will leave

Charlottetown for Boston

EVERY

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AT 5 P. M.

PASSENGERS will find this the Cheapest and most pleasant trip to Boston. Accommodations on both steamers are splendid.

CARVELL BROS.,
AGENTS.

Ch'town, May 17, 1883.—pat her sj

LANDING TO-DAY.

EX S. S. "WORCESTER,"

14 Boxes Oranges and Lemons,

30 cases Babbitt's Potash,

10 BOXES LOGWOOD,

(30 lbs., assorted).

W. E. DAWSON & CO.

May 17.—3i

Landing ex Erema,

AND IN STOCK,

400 Boxes Window Glass.

W. E. DAWSON & CO.

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APPLE TREES.

BY AUCTION, TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), May 18th, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Market Square, a nice lot of young Apple Trees, which must be sold at any price,

A. McNEILL,
Auctioneer.

Ch'town, May 17.—1i

P. E. Island Railway.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

EXCURSION RETURN TICKETS, at One First-Class Fare will be issued to and from all Stations on this Railway, on Thursday, the 24th instant, good to return up to and including the 25th instant.

JAMES COLEMAN,
Supt.

Railway Office, Ch'town, May 16, '83.
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AUCTION.

To be sold at Public Auction,

On Tuesday, the 29th day of May,

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises, the

DRUG STORE,

lately occupied by P. G. Fraser, comprising the leasehold interest, with right of purchase. Sale positive, unless previously disposed of.

P. G. FRASER.

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LONDON HOUSE.

Spring and Summer Importations.

WE HAVE FINISHED OPENING

165 Cases and Bales English,
60 " " Canadian and American

GOODS,

Bought Carefully from the Best Houses.

Our Stock will be found complete in all Departments, and will be constantly replenished throughout the summer.

We Invite the Inspection of Cash Buyers.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, May 15, 1883.

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.

J. B. MACDONALD

IS now showing a magnificent stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Millinery and Clothing, bought in the English, American and Canadian markets, on the very best terms. I am in a position to give my customers and all who favor me with their patronage the very best value to be had in the city.

Special attention is directed to the splendid range of Worsted Cloths for gentlemen's suits and ladies' mantles. Ready-made Clothing Department is well stocked, and at cheaper prices than ever.

CUSTOM TAILORING.

Suits made to order in the latest style and good fits guaranteed and at prices that cannot be beaten. Also

250 Half-Chests Fine Congou Tea,

warranted extra quality, sold low. Wholesale and Retail.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Ch'town, May 10, 1883.—wkly pat pres ne

British Warehouse.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

HAVE JUST OPENED

45 Cases and Bales of New and Fashionable

SPRING GOODS

From the London and Foreign Markets.

A large lot of BRUSSELS CARPETS (new designs) of excellent value, just to hand.

A lot of cases of GLASGOW AND MANCHESTER GOODS daily expected.

Establishment will close every evening at 6 o'clock.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Ch'town, May 4, 1883.

LOBSTER PACKERS' SUPPLIES

SPRING, 1883. SPRING.

10,000 cases (1 lb.) TALL CANS,
2,500 " " FLAT CANS,
500 boxes TIN PLATES,
200 ingots REFINED TIN,
50 pigs SOFT LEAD,
5 bars COPPER (1¼ and 1½),
600 coils ROPE (6, 9, 12 and 15 thread),
10 bales MARLINE,
20 puns. MOLASSES,
30 brls. SUGAR,
25 brls. HARD BREAD,
200 chests and half-chests TEA,
100 suits OIL CLOTHING,
750 brls. FLOUR (Choice Superior),
125 brls KILN DRIED CORNMEAL,
100 brls. MESS PORK,
200 brls. PRIME MESS PORK,
300 HAMS (Smoked and Green),
50 brls. MESS BEEF,
100 tins LARD,
25 tubs BUTTER,

Now in Store and to Arrive, at Lowest Wholesale Prices.

HORACE HASZARD.

Ch'town, April 28, 1883.

TURK'S ISLAND SALT.

To arrive, in a few days, per brigt. "Kitty Clyde," a few thousand bushels coarse Salt, which will be sold low ex ship.

HORACE HASZARD.

Ch'town, April 28, 1883.

St. James' Church.

CONCERT PROGRAMME.

Thursday, May 17, 1883.

PART I.

1. Anthem—There is an hour of hallowed Rest.....Bradbury
Wesleyan Choir.
2. Vocal Solo—Eve's Lamentation....King
Dr. Creamer.
3. Anthem—I will praise Thee, O Lord....Towne
Zion Church Choir.
4. Solo—Lord have mercy on me..Pergolesi
Mrs. Malcolm McLeod.
5. Cornet Solo—Fading, still fading.....
Mr. Fletcher.
6. Anthem—How excellent is Thy Name....
Bible Christian Choir.
7. Vocal Solo.....
Mr. Cant.
8. Vocal Solo—Consolation.....Hatton
Miss M. McLeod.
9. Quintette—Incline Thine ear....Mozart
St. James Church Choir.
10. Solo—The evening prayer.....Glover
Miss Finlay.

PART II.

11. Anthem—Shepherd of Thine Israel....Nicholson
Zion Church Choir.
12. Bass Solo—Light of our way.....Cole
Mr. Reid.
13. Solo & Chorus—Consider the Lilies.....
Miss Knight and others.
14. Violin Solo.....
Mr. Vinnicombe.
15. Vocal Solo—Resignation.....Lindsay
Mrs. W. Longworth.
16. Chorus & Solo—The Pilgrim Fathers....Marshall
Methodist Choir.
17. Instrumental Duet—The war march of the Priests.....Mendelssohn
Messrs. Earle and Watson.
18. Vocal Solo—One sweetly solemn thought..Ambrose
Miss McFarlane.
19. Solo, Duet and Chorus—Saviour, breathe an Evening Blessing.....Emerson
Bible Christian Choir.

N. B.—Tickets for sale at the Drug Stores of Mrs. Watson, Messrs. Dodd, Rankin and Fraser & Reddin. Admission, 25 cents.

STOCK FARM PIGS.

BY AUCTION, NEXT TUESDAY, May 22nd at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Market Square, TEN YOUNG PIGS (Improved breeds) from the Government Stock Farm.

A. McNEILL,
Auctioneer.

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WANTED.

TWO good Can Makers, and a competent man to take charge of a Can Making Shop. Apply at the Fish Market.

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Western Counties Railway.

LABORERS WANTED.

150 LABORERS wanted to work on Western Counties Railway, between Digby and Yarmouth, N. S.

Wages to good men $1 25 per day, and from Three to Five months work.

Mr. W. Fraser, our Agent, will be at the Rocklin House, Charlottetown, until TUESDAY, the 22nd inst., from whom parties wishing to engage can get full particulars.

J. BRIGNELL,
General Superintendent.

Yarmouth, N. S., May 17.—3i wkly li pd

BOARDS, PLANK, SHINGLES, &c.

BY AUCTION, NEXT FRIDAY EVENING, May 18th, at 5 o'clock, at

PAUL LEA'S FACTORY,

GRAFTON STREET,

1,000 feet Matched Spruce Flooring,
4,000 feet Dry Pine Boards,
10,000 feet Mouldings (assorted),
Lot Sashes and Frames, lot Spouting.
Lot Dry Hardwood Plank.
25 Turned Hewn Posts, lot Turned Balusters.
Large lot Kindling Wood, 15 M. Cedar Shingles.
1 Water Cart (in good order), and sundry other articles.

A. McNEILL,
Auctioneer.

Ch'town, May 16.

FLOWERS, FLOWERS.

BY AUCTION, at our Salesroom, corner of Queen and Water Streets, on

Saturday Next, 19th instant,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK,

A choice assortment of House Plants (in bloom), comprising Pelargoniums, Geraniums, Fuschias, Heliotropes, Begonias, Campanulas, Verbenas, Acacias and other leading varieties.

The above are good hardy plants, not forced for auction, are far superior to imported stock.

It is sufficient to say that they are from the celebrated nursery of Thomas Ridgeway, Esq.

CAMPBELL & RAYDEN,
Auctioneers.

Ch'town, May 16.—3i

WANTED AT ONCE,

ONE OR TWO good CABINET MAKERS, at the P. E. Island Furniture Warerooms, Kent Street.

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