

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

JUNE 4, 1881.

Illness of Hon. J. C. Pope.

YIELDING to the desire of his immediate friends we have not till now referred to the serious illness of the Hon. J. C. Pope. It is very gratifying that the first announcement we have to make is that Mr. Pope is decidedly better. Indeed Dr. Hobkirk hopes that, permitted to rest, the hon. gentleman will soon recover strength, and be "all right again."

Pictou and Colchester.

THE "business engagement" of Hon. A. G. Jones will not admit of his becoming a candidate in Colchester. In other words Mr. Jones is so busily engaged in the sugar business, and has so much money invested in the Halifax Refining and Cotton Factory that he cannot devote his time to politics. Well, we admit, this is at least one good result of the National Policy!

MR CHAS. N. CUMMINGS, a farmer and merchant, has been selected to bear the Grit banner in Colchester.

The St. John Telegraph says that "in both Counties the enthusiasm is on the side of the Liberals. But it often happens that enthusiasm evaporates in the light and heat of fact and argument; and if we have not misjudged the intelligence of the Scotchmen of Pictou, the enthusiasm of the Grits will have quite fizzled over, and dried up by the evening of the day of election."

There is one fact that will come home to all electors at this juncture, notwithstanding the hopeful predictions of the Grits, and the fact that fairly good times have, all over Canada, taken the place of stagnation and ruin, while, instead of an annual deficit amounting to millions of money, we have an abounding revenue, prices have not, on the whole, advanced. Any man or woman can easily verify this great and important fact by reference to his or her personal and household accounts.

Our Water Supply.

A LADY informs us that water taken from the well in her neighborhood, when put into her kettle and heated, "can be smelled all over the house." This lady is strongly in favor of having water works to supply pure water to poor people. Indeed, we believe, that the ladies are unanimous on this question.

The St. John Sun has an article on water works for Charlottetown, in which it is said that "the people of Charlottetown would not give up a good water-supply system at any price, if they had a month's enjoyment of its blessings, and should not hesitate a day to undertake the construction of one of the systems described in Mr. Murdoch's comprehensive and able report." As the writer in the Sun resides in a city which enjoys the advantages of a water supply, his advice is worthy of attention.

The Revenue for May.

Table with 2 columns: Source, Amount. Includes Customs (\$1,334,246), Excise (372,005), Other Sources (511,893), Total (\$2,218,144).

Reduction of the Legislature.

THE reduction of the Legislature is now the live and important question in the local politics of this Province. We, therefore, make no apology to publishing the speech of Hon. Donald Ferguson on the abolition of the Legislative Council. Mr. Ferguson gives a complete view of the situation with reference to this question, previous to the back down of the opposition, on the Bill providing that it should be submitted fairly and squarely to the people at the polls.

Provincial Exhibition Notes.

THE Committee appointed by the Board of Commissioners to prepare a Prize List for the Provincial Exhibition, met yesterday at the Legislative Library.

When the important work of this Committee is completed, a general meeting of the Board of Commissioners will be convened, at which the Report of the Prize List Committee will be submitted.

In the meantime agriculturists and manufacturers should be preparing for the great Provincial Exhibition, 1881. All articles and animals which may be deemed of sufficient merit to be sent from this Province to the Dominion Exhibition at Halifax, can also be exhibited, if the owners of such exhibits think proper, at our own Provincial Exhibition.

INSURANCE.—Marine, Fire, Life and Accident effected in most reliable companies. W. HYNDMAN, Agent.

Contemptible—Surely.

THE leading article of the last issue of the Patriot is devoted to the fact that the Hon. Mr. Sullivan and the Hon. Mr. Ferguson did not attend the examination of Prince of Wales College. When Mr. Davies and other friends of the Patriot were in power, THE EXAMINER had to call attention to their absence from the same ceremony. But we never made a leading article about it, though we think as strongly as the Patriot that public men should, by their presence on these occasions, give an outward and visible sign of the interest they take in the highly important department of which Prince of Wales College is the head.

Now, what are the facts? On the day on which the examination took place, Hon. Mr. Sullivan was unwell. Hon. Mr. Ferguson was in King's County, attending to his duties as an official of the Government and a representative of Cardigan; and only returned to town last evening. Hon. Mr. McLeod, another member of the Government, showed his interest in the College by giving two handsome prizes to stimulate the emulation of its students.

Mr. McMillan, one of the strongest supporters of the Government, was the donor of another prize. In the light of these facts, how mean and truly contemptible is the statement of the Patriot that "the head and members of our Provincial Government deliberately stayed away from the examination," because they came to the conclusion "that it was more politic—that more was to be gained—by being absent."

The Patriot could easily have learned the truth. But, as usual, it preferred to report the thing that is not, because the report might make trouble about the School Question, and help to bring about again the religious differences by which the Patriot profited so largely a few years ago.

Correspondence.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the statements or opinions of our correspondents.

"Tenants' Right League."

To the Editor of the Examiner. Sir,—The last issue of the "Summerside Journal" contains a lengthy article on what he terms a bogus meeting. The Secretary and Treasurer being unfortunately from home, I do not feel warranted myself in replying to his queries, but no doubt the "Summerside Journal" man will be attended to on their return, when every information consistent with the rules and regulations of the Tenants' Right League will be given him.

Yours, etc. ONE OF THEM. 4th June, 1881.

The Civic Protection Association.

JOIN IT AND HELP TO KEEP DOWN THE TAXES.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

Sir,—I am instructed to request you to publish the following resolution adopted unanimously by the members present at a meeting of the Civic Protection Association of this city on Friday evening last:

"Resolved, That the members of this Association, feeling deeply the injury entailed upon the inhabitants of this city by the extravagance of the City Council, and the exorbitant and oppressive amount of taxation now imposed and being collected from the unfortunate taxpayers to sustain the same, do earnestly call upon the inhabitants of this city at the present crisis, to connect themselves immediately with this institution, and thus help us not only to restrict taxation, but to stop measures now in contemplation, such as the water scheme, which, under the present embarrassed state of the city finances would be altogether unbearable, and destructive of our best interests."

Yours etc., H. C. DOUGLASS. Ch'town, June 4, 1881. Sec'y

Personal.

LORD DUFFERIN will leave for Constantinople to-day.

PRINCE BISMARCK is confined to bed by illness.

THE Italian Ministers have decided to increase the war budget twelve million francs.

It is announced that Sara Barnhardt on Saturday, the 4th June, will marry M. Angelo, who has been travelling with her in America.

It is rumored that some of the Parnellites intend going over to the Ministerial benches.

MR. J. C. ROBINSON dropped dead at his residence in Westmeath township, Ont., on Wednesday last. He was in his usual health a few minutes before the awful occurrence. Disease of the heart was the supposed cause of death. Deceased was formerly a merchant at Front Westmeath, and was well known and respected throughout this section.

THE Panama canal not being enough to have on his hands, M. De Lesseps is now negotiating with the Greek Government for the construction of the long-sought Isthmus of Corinth, to connect the gulf of the same name with the Aegean.

EITHER Sir George Campbell or Mr. Grant-Duff, Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, is said to be likely to succeed the late Mr. Adam as Governor of Madras.

HON. NEAL Dow is to spend his vacation this summer in Prince Edward Island.

THE Empress of Russia is described as looking like a corpse rather than a living being, sitting speechless and unmoved, as though neither seeing nor hearing anything. It was, perhaps, a premonition of the terrible terrors that made poor Dagmar so depressed when, as a bride, she travelled to meet the Czarevitch. The girl had to have her white face painted, it is said, before she entered the native city of her future husband, that the people might not notice all the misery of her expression.

Local and Other Items.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER will arrive in Charlottetown this evening.

THE arrival of emigrants at Montreal during May, was 4,384.

A NEW Broom sweeps clean. Get it at B. Balderston's. 2w law.

SIMS REEVES, the English tenor, is very ill, and his life is despaired of.

A Superior stock of Rodgers' Pocket Knives just received at Bremner Bros. J4 1w ood pat

HIS LORDSHIP the Bishop of Nova Scotia arrived in this city last evening. He is the guest of E. J. Hodgson, Esq.

EDWARD HACKETT, Esq., M. P., was registered at the "Royal" in St. John, on the 1st inst.

MISS FARRAR, the eldest daughter of Canon Farrar, is going to be married to the Rev. J. S. Northcote, third son of Sir Stafford Northcote.

THE Inspector of Fisheries will be found by those having business with his department, during the coming week at the office of Marine and Fisheries, Dominion Building.

A lot of Holly Photo Frames, and Panel Mounts for Hand Painting, Picture Frames, etc., etc. at Bremner Bros. J4 1w ood pat

HIS LORDSHIP the Bishop of Nova Scotia, will administer the rite of Confirmation tomorrow in St. Paul's Church at forenoon service, and in St. Peter's at Evensong.

THE U. S. debt statement shows a decrease in the public debt during May of \$11,150,721 87; cash in Treasury, \$235,496,085 18. The reduction of the debt since June of last year is \$39,250,323 83.

EDWARD MAYNE, Esq., of Washington, D. C. (son of late Commander J. R. Mayne, R. N.) is on a visit to his relatives in this city. Mr. Mayne has not been on the Island for many years. He is a leading lawyer in Washington.

WE are selling out stock of Customs Duty Entries until the first of July at half price. Bremner Bros. J4 1w ood pat

DIVINE SERVICE in the Prince Street Presbyterian Church, to-morrow, will be conducted as follows. At 11 a. m. by Judge Young, at 6.30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Paradis.

ATTENTION is directed to the advertisement of Messrs. Reid Brothers in another column. They are enlarging their capacity for making cloths by fifty per cent., and they say will soon be able to produce a better class of tweeds than ever before. Success to home industries.

THE letter of Mr. J. W. Hughes, on the importance and necessity of improved Winter Communication, is held over on account of its length. We cannot promptly get long letters into a small paper. Moral for correspondents: Make your letters short and pointed.

A General Stock of Stationers' Sundries, such as Pocket Books, Pens, etc., very cheap, just opened at Bremner Bros. J4 1w ood pat

THE Woollen factory of Rhodes, Curry & Co., at Anneton, N. S., was destroyed by fire a few days ago. Over seventy-five men were thrown out of employment. Loss \$18,000.

PARTIES engaged in gold mining at Waverly, N. S., recently struck some rich "finis" in what is known as "barred quartz." Some of this quartz was exhibited in Halifax a few days ago. It is of dark slate color, and was thoroughly impregnated with precious metal.

MR. R. C. McRAE, of Glasgow, is visiting his parents at Pinette. Mr. McRae is a young man who, during the short time he has been absent from the island, succeeded remarkably well and now holds the honorable position of assistant to Sir William Thompson, Scientist, of Glasgow University. We learn that Mr. McRae will remain in this province two months.

BEAUTIFUL BUILDING AND Paddock Lots remaining for sale of valuable building and Paddock lots, on the Upper and Lower Esplanade's front to take place on Monday, the 6th inst., at 11 o'clock, on the grounds, by Wm. Doid, Auctioneer. Some of these lots are among the most beautiful in the neighborhood of the city, and their freedom from city taxes recommends them as building sites to capitalists and others. Sale to commence on the Upper St. Peter's Road.

MR. HENRY CLARKE, Manager of the Dunk River Fish Breeding Establishment, returned to this city to-day from B. d'Arny, where he had been placing over sixty thousand young salmon in the Brudenell River. Mr. C. reports that over three hundred and fifty thousand salmon were hatched at the Breeding Establishment this season—sixty thousand of which were put in Morrell River, sixty thousand in Trent River, Lot 10; sixty thousand in Brudenell, and the balance in Dunk River.

ENGLISH Methodism has again suffered a severe loss in the sudden death of the Rev. W. O. Simpson, one of the chief organizers of the Sunday-School Union, and for many years a missionary at Madras. Within a few months Wesleyan Methodism has had to mourn the loss of four of its most distinguished ministers, namely, the Rev. S. Coley; the Rev. D. Jobson, the Rev. W. Morley Pughon, and the Rev. Mr. Simpson.

THE population of London is, by the late census, found to have reached the enormous aggregate of 3,814,871. In 1871 it was 2,254,260, so that it has increased 560,311 in ten years, or at the rate of more than 14 per cent. In 1871 the population under the jurisdiction of the Metropolitan Police was 3,825,641; it must now be considerably in excess of 4,500,000. Truly London is a growing place.

THOROUGHBREED CATTLE.—The thoroughbred Jersey cow, Flip, and the thoroughbred bull, Tourbillon, have been a hit by Messrs. L. T. & J. B. Gilchrist, North, to Mr. James Gibson, Marlyville, at paying prices. The Messrs. Gilchrist, at paying prices, sold twenty thoroughbreds and high grades of their own raising within the year, and have thirty head on their farm now, including fifteen Jersey cows. It is not generally known perhaps, that there is so large a stock farm within so short a distance.—St. John Sun.

Another Great Project.

The National Bank of Greece is negotiating with the Government in the name of M. de Lesseps, with a view to constructing a ship canal through the Isthmus of Corinth to connect the Gulf of Corinth with the Aegean Sea. A decree has been signed granting M. de Lesseps a concession to cut a canal through the Isthmus of Corinth. Work will probably commence in 1882, and be completed in five years.

NOTICE.

THE public are warned against cashing a cheque drawn by us on the Bank of Prince Edward Island in favor of Young for \$25.19, the same having been paid by us to our store. Any person cashing the cheque will oblige by leaving it at our store. ARTHUR & TOOMBS. June 4-2i



Auction Sale.

I AM instructed by the Department of Public Works, Canada, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on Thursday, the 9th June, in t.

AT THE FOOT OF GREAT GEORGE STREET, A Condemned Dredge Slew.

Now lying at Peake's No 3 Wharf, and the most blocking in about the said Slew.

The purchaser to take it in its present state, and where and as it now lies. Terms cash, and payment to be made at time of sale and before delivery. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. June 4, 1881—s m t w

ENCOURAGE

Home Industry

TRYON WOOLLEN MILLS

SPRING, 1881.

Buy No More Imported Shoddy!

BUILD UP YOUR ISLAND HOME by purchasing pure honest TWEEDS from our Agents. We have now in the hands of the different Agents

A WONDERFUL VARIETY OF Tweeds, Blankets and Flannels.

We are now at work enlarging our Mills and are putting in 50 per cent. extra of new and more improved machinery for the production of a better class of TWEEDS than have heretofore been made on the Island. Our new machinery will be in full blast about the 1st of July, and after that date Wool Growers and Cloth Buyers may rely on the dawn of a New Era in the manufacture of Cloths.

We will have in operation about the 29th June, Yarn Twisters and Winders, and will be prepared to fill all orders for Stocking and other Yarns.

We invite the public generally who are anxious to give the Island a push in the right direction to call at our Agents' and examine our Goods, and if they should not fancy the Cloths then in stock, wait for the arrival of our New Makes about the 1st July.

AGENTS:

HON H. J. CALLEBROCK, Charlottetown ANDERSON & BURROUGHS, Summerside. BEER & SONS, Montserrat. BEER & SONS, St. Peter's. BEER & SONS, Cardigan. T. H. SIMS & SON, Kensington. ALEXANDER MACLEOD, Alberton. McDONALD, McDONALD & CO., Senior. W. M. REID, St. Eleanors.

June 4, '81—tu

OPENING

Bremner Bros. Bookstore

A LARGE STOCK OF

Royal Readers, Arithmetics, Grammars, French Readers, Dictionaries, &c.

A nice assortment of the Revised New Testament, Psalms Books, etc. BREMNER BROS. June 3, 1881—pat 2i

Bank and Steamboat Stocks.

I WILL SELL AT AUCTION, at my Sale Rooms, Queen's Square, on FRIDAY, 10th inst., at 12 o'clock, noon—

20 shares in Merchants Bank P. E. Island, 10 shares in Union Bank P. E. Island, 40 shares in Bank of Prince Edward Island, 5 shares in P. E. I. Steam Nav. Company. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. June 3, '81—4i s m th

Steam Navigation Co'y

OF P. E. ISLAND.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at their office, corner of Great George and Lower Water Streets, at seven o'clock on THURSDAY EVENING, the sixteenth day of June, 1881.

By order of the Directors, F. W. HALES, Secretary. June 2, 1881.

BY PRIVATE SALE.

A VERY DESIRABLE RESIDENCE situated on corner of Pownall and Kent streets. For further particulars apply on the premises to EDWARD CORRETT. May 25, '81—3w sat tu

To Lobster Packers. LAND SALE.

For Liverpool Direct.

THE FAST-SAILING BRIG ALPHETA, 300 tons register, classed A1 at Lloyd's. No less master, having the greater part of her cargo now ready, will

Sail from Charlottetown on or about the 18th inst.

Carrying Lobsters at one shilling sterling per case. Loading Berth—Peake's No. 1 Wharf. For freight apply to JOHN HUGHES, Charlottetown. June 3, '81—till 18th

Grand Magic Lantern Exhibition

AND ENTERTAINMENT, UNDER the auspices of the Cadets of Temperance, to be held in the Academy of Music, on TUESDAY, June 7th, inst. Commences at 8 o'clock. Tickets 15 and 10 cts. [ju 2 2i]

NOTICE TO SHIPPERS

BY BOSTON STEAMERS, NO FREIGHT will be received after three o'clock on days of sailing. Bills of Lading must be presented for signature by four o'clock. CARVELL BROS. June 1, '81—law wed

Glen Stewart Market Garden.

All the leading kinds of Vegetable Plants now ready and will be offered for sale at the MARKET HOUSE on Market days and at the Garden at all hours, at reasonable prices. JAMES BOURKE. Half mile from Southport Village. Address all communications to Southport Post Office. [ju 2 4i pd]

WANTED.

A YOUNG MAN to take charge of a small Furniture Factory at North Sydney, Cape Breton. None but a sober man need apply. Apply to EDWARD McDONALD, North Sydney, May 30, '81—1m [ju 2

BARGAINS

CASH CUSTOMERS All Classes of Goods, As I am anxious to reduce my stock, R. W. TREMAINE, June 1, '81. 83 Queen Street.

CARPETS,

Lace Curtains, &c A CHOICE ASSORTMENT just opened, and will be sold at very low prices at R. W. TREMAINE'S, June 1, '81. 83 Queen Street.

Union Bank of P. E. Island.

DIVIDEND NO. 34. NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of eight per cent per annum has this day been declared on the Capital Stock of this Bank, for the past half year, payable at its Head Office and Branches forthwith. GEO. MACLEOD, Cashier. Charlottetown, June 1, 1881. pat Lec Fe rg 2w

THE BEST

TURNIP SEED, BEER & SONS. May 31, '81—od

NO. 61 QUEEN STREET.

HATS, HATS! HATS! CHRISTY'S LONDON HATS, IN FUR, WOOL AND FELT.

TO LET. A WELL FURNISHED SHOP on Queen Square, opposite the Post Office. Rent, \$200. Enquire at the office of J. & T. MORRIS, Queen Street. May 31, 1881.

Cornmeal.

200 BARRELS HERRING. For sale by H. RICE HASZARD. May 17, 1881—6i eod

Cornmeal.

100 BARRELS KILN DRIED JUST RECEIVED. HORACE HASZARD. May 17, 1881—3i eod

Wants, Lost, Found, &c

TO BE LET—One-half of a double tenement house on Sydney Street, adjoining the residence of H. J. CALLEBROCK, Esq. Possession can be given immediately. Apply to FRANCIS P. McCLELLON. [ju 3 4i pd]

WANTED.—A smart steady boy, about 15 or 16 years of age, to attend in a general store. One who has had some experience preferred. Apply at this office. [ju 3

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A first-class HARNESSE MAKER, to whom good wages and constant employment will be given. Apply to K. R. MORRISON, Eldon, Belfast. [2w 2w

TWO TENEMENTS To Let, and one Slaven for sale. Apply to JOHN STEINERD, Inllborough square. [2w 4i—ap 27

LAND SALE.

I AM instructed by the President and Directors of the Bank of Prince Edward Island to sell by Public Auction, on the grounds, on

MONDAY,

the 6th day of June Next, 1881,

at 11 o'clock, a. m., All the unsold portion of "Strawberry Hill" Estate, situate in Charlottetown Royalty (formerly belonging to the Hon. J. C. Pope, now owned by the Bank of P. E. Island). This property extends from the Upper or Main St. Peter's Road to the Hillsborough River, having a good frontage on that Road and on both sides of the Lower St. Peter's Road. It contains seventy-three acres, and is laid off in lots of about one acre each, and comprises some of the finest Building sites in the neighborhood of the City. A plan of the property can be seen at my office. Sale to commence at the Upper St. Peter's Road. Terms easy and made known at sale. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. Ch'town, May 30, 1881.

REVISED

NEW TESTAMENT! JUST RECEIVED

HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE, Queen Street. May 27, 1881.

\$4000 IN CENTS!

Wanted Before July 1st, Four Thousand Dollars in cts. GOODS SOLD AT LOWEST PRICES. Any quantity taken from Cash purchasers or in payment of old accounts. W. E. DAWSON & CO. May 27, 1881—1w

HATS! HATS!

HATS A SPECIALTY. BYRNE BROS. HAVE NOW OPENED THEIR LARGE AND VARIED ASSORTMENT English Canadian and American HATS. The newest and most approved styles. BYRNE BROS., Queen Street. May 27, '81—6i pat no

SIGN OF THE ELEPHANT.

W. R. BOREHAM. BRGS to thank his customers, and the public in general, for the very liberal patronage extended to him during the time he has been in business, and to inform them that he has leased and is now fitting up the Store on Grafton Street (formerly occupied by Miss Ellis), where he hopes to see all his old customers, and as many new ones as will favor him with a call; also that he will

Sell at a Considerable Discount FOR CASH, His Large, Fashionable and Well Selected Stock of Boots, Shoes & Slippers, Commencing on May 29th, until removal. No reasonable offer refused. Don't forget the place. W. R. BOREHAM, Sign of the Elephant. May 25, 1881—till rem

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