

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

JULY 20, 1883.

A Question.

The Presbyterian, we note, endorses the statement of the Herald that there is a clique of "intriguing wire-pullers" who, by means of the Government, have the official patronage of this Province.

Now we demand proof of the existence of this clique. Let us have this thing out. If there be such a clique let it be exposed. Of whom is it composed? In what way? and at what time? and under what circumstances has it intrigued with the Government? Let us know something definite about it.

The Game Laws.

We are glad to learn that some of our leading sportsmen are making a determined effort this season to enforce obedience to our Provincial game laws.

This, we believe, will have a good effect. For years, a wholesale slaughter has been permitted of our most valuable game in the close or breeding season; and before the unfortunate feedings have left the protection of their mothers' wing.

This Province would abound in game, if some measure of protection were afforded. Our partridge, black duck, woodcock and snipe are all the finest birds of their class, and compare in size and flavor more than favorably with any of these species in this Continent.

It will be observed that the framers of our game laws have given no occasion for their infraction. On comparing the Ontario statute with ours, we see that in almost every instance we have a shorter close season.

This Statute provides that all violations of it may be punished by a single Justice of the Peace on summary conviction, and that the fine for each bird shot before this time shall not exceed twenty-five dollars.

There is no necessity of any proof being given of the actual shooting. Our Statute requires only proof of the birds being in the possession or on the person of the offender.

—Reviewing the work of the Legislature of Manitoba, which has recently closed its session, the Winnipeg Times says that the Opposition began it with the idea that by some lucky accident they might overthrow the Government; but its close found them weaker than before.

"The Herald contends that Roman Catholics have not received justice in the more prominent and lucrative appointments, that very few of his co-religionists have been appointed to positions with \$1,000 a year or above that sum. The EXAMINER cannot and does not successfully deny this fact."

LIST OF LIBERAL-CONSERVATIVE APPOINTMENTS TO THE CIVIL SERVICE WHO RECEIVE \$1,000 A YEAR AND UPWARDS:—

Table listing appointments and salaries: Collector Currie \$1,800; Auditor Pope 1,800; Brigadier Major Freeland 1,300; Appraiser Hogg 1,000; Inspector Duvar 1,000; Inspector Lord 1,000; Judge Reddin 2,600; Judge Kelly 2,600; Inspector McDonald 1,900; Inspector Reddin 1,000.

It will be seen that the Catholic officials appointed by the Liberal-Conservatives draw yearly \$8,100; the Protestant officials \$7,900.

We have not included the Lieutenant Governor, because his position is a special prize and it is not, as the others are, held for life but only for a short term.

—The Montreal Gazette remarks that those who remember the wild abuse which was heaped upon Sir John Macdonald by the Globe and the Liberal party on account of his action in assenting to the Washington Treaty, will learn with surprise from that journal that "the abrogation of the Treaty will be very injurious to the people of the Maritime Provinces."

Mournful Drowning Case.

DEATH OF MR. C. BAGNALL.

From a New Zealand paper we clip the following account of the sad death at Turua, of Mr. Charles L. Bagnall, son of Mr. George Bagnall, who formerly resided at New Glasgow in this Province, and who left the Island for New Zealand in the year 1863:—

"A deep gloom was cast over the community yesterday morning by the intelligence that Mr. Charles L. Bagnall, of Turua, had met with his death by drowning. The circumstances of the occurrence, which are of a peculiarly distressing nature, are as follows:—On Wednesday evening a party was given by the Bagnall family at Turua, at which a large number of their relatives and friends resident at the Thames were present, having been conveyed up the river in the steam launch "Miranda," belonging to the mill.

After spending a pleasant evening it was proposed to return Thames-ward, but the now deceased gentleman prevailed upon his friends to wait until morning, promising to have the steamer ready at an early hour. At about six o'clock yesterday morning—just about day-break—he left his home to get up steam in the vessel, and was not afterwards seen alive.

Shortly afterwards his brother, Mr. L. J. Bagnall, walked down to the wharf to see what progress was being made, but could find no trace of deceased. On the deck of the steamer was found the wood prepared for kindling the fire, as if he had been on board, but had returned for something he was needing. After vainly searching the neighbourhood he became alarmed, and roused the family and guests, who also made a fruitless examination of the river banks and every place where it was supposed the missing man could be. About an hour later Messrs. G. H. Rolton and J. P. Cox were engaged in dragging around the punt, when they found the body of Mr. Bagnall lying under the stern of the vessel in about four feet of water. Rolton at once plunged in and brought up the body, which was, of course, quite lifeless, having been, it is supposed, submerged more than an hour.

The friends and relatives were painful to behold, and the employees of the mill, with whom the deceased was a great favorite, added their share to the general lamentation. An eye-witness describes the scene upon the wharf as the most heart-rending he had ever witnessed.

Our Advertisers.

Dr. T. W. Pomeroy has arrived on the Island, and can be consulted at the Osborne House.

Geo. E. Full wants to let the premises on Queen Street, at present occupied by Messrs. Davies, Sutherland & Weeks.

Carvell Bros. announce that the "Miramichi" will carry canned lobsters and canned mackerel to Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, and other Western cities, at very low rates.

LARGE CUCUMBERS.—On sale at Mr. Gay's stall in the market to-day, were a half dozen large cucumbers grown in the garden of Edward Bayfield, Esq. One of the number measured fifteen inches long and weighed two and three quarter pounds.

MAGGIE WATSON, the girl who was stabbed at West Point, on the 4th instant, has almost recovered.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Scott Act!

SIR,—Allow me Mr. Editor, through the columns of your journal to advance my opinion of the Scott Act or rather the Canada Temperance Act. In the first place I would say that I am fully convinced of the necessity for temperance reform, and most certainly I approve of the strenuous efforts which have been made by temperance men to mitigate the great evil of which they so justly complain.

There is not the least use to talk about the Act as it stands at present in any other way than this: that it is the greatest curse that was ever foisted upon a people. I mean in this way, and let me be plainly understood—that so long as rum is allowed to be imported into the Dominion it will be sold and drunk; that some men (and alas! women too) do not care to come into an unlicensed house and, in defiance of the law stand at the bar to drink, but a bottle will be purchased and taken out.

In a few words, I would say that since its inauguration there has been more injury—more strife engendered in families than its repeal will ever remedy. In a conversation with a highly respected lady a few days ago, she told me that she "was married 17 years, that she never saw her husband the worse for liquor until the Scott Act came in force."

Such being the case, am I wrong for having written that the Scott Act is the greatest curse the country could be troubled with? Now, let me say, that so far as the City Marshal is concerned, I cannot see why your correspondent of yesterday should so unfairly charge him with having given notice of his intention to inspect certain houses upon a certain day, when it is a well known fact that long before the day in question it was publicly declared by the Magistrate in open court that he would cause an immediate examination of all suspected houses, and put down the liquor traffic.

Respectfully yours, SPECIAL BLEND.

Summerside Exports.

Table of exports: Shipped per steamer "St. Lawrence," Evans, master, for Point DuChene: 24 Horses \$2195.00; 1 Wagon 130.00; 59 cases Eggs 248.00; Total \$2,573.00.

IN MEMORIAM.

CHARLES LEWIS BAGNALL ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED AT TURUA, THAMES RIVER, JUNE 14, 1883; AGED 21.

Oh joyous eve! ah morn of gloom! Fair shore Where he, the "best beloved," fell "neath the wave;— How tender hands would fain have saved the brave, Who now must be to us, one "gone before."

—W. S. BRUCE.

A VERY sad drowning accident occurred at River du Loup on the 17th. The victims were three youths, one the son of Mrs. Widow Marchand, aged about 16, and the others both sons of Mr. Lord, a tailor, aged 13 and 15 years respectively.

Sponges.—Fine bath sponges, toilet sponges, carriage sponges, and all kinds of sponges at THE APOTHECARIES HALL.

LORD DUFFERIN was entertained at a banquet by the Empire Club, in London, on the 11th instant. Among those present were Mr. Lowell, Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, and Sir Charles Tupper.

LONDON HOUSE. NEW SUMMER GOODS.

- New Black Cashmeres, New Colored Cashmeres, New Black French Merinoes, New Colored French Merinoes, New Plush Velveteens, New Satin Parasols, New Silk Sunshades, New Silk Jersey Gloves, New Tartan Frillings, New White Cottons, New Brown Hollands.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, June 22, 1883.

JULY. SUMMER GOODS.

REDUCED PRICES.

J. B. McDONALD'S.

- Ladies' Straw Hats, Men's Straw Hats, Parasols and Umbrellas, Dress Material in Short Ends and Remnants, Good Grey Cottons for 5 1-2 Cts. per yard, Good White Cottons for 7 1-2 Cts. per yard, Good Strong Tweed for Men and Boys, 25 cts. per yd.

NOW RECEIVING: New Cashmeres, New Crapes, New Gloves, New Ribbons, New Feathers, New Satins.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Ch'town, July 6, 1883.—pres he Queen Street.

British Warehouse.

To the Wholesale and Retail Trade.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

HAVE now opened the completion of their large stock of SPRING AND SUMMER

DRY GOODS.

They are offering special inducements to cash buyers.

It will be to your advantage to inspect their stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Establishment closes every evening at 6 o'clock (Saturdays excepted.)

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Ch'town, June 1, 1882.—wkly

Great Summer Resort of P. E. Island.

SEASIDE HOTEL.

Rustico Beach, P. E. Island.

This beautiful and well known watering place will be opened for the season on July 1st. The Proprietors have taken pains to improve this establishment, so as to merit the continuance of the distinguished patronage of former years, from Charlottetown and all parts of the world.

For charming scenery, beautiful shores, shady walks, boating, surf bathing, fishing, gunning, etc. "The Seaside Hotel" is unrivalled, in America.

TERMS—\$1.75 to \$2.00 per day, \$10.00 per week, \$8.00 per week per month. Special rates for families for lengthened periods.

Coach will leave Charlottetown every Wednesday and Saturday Evening, calling for Guests; returning every Thursday and Monday Morning, at 9 o'clock, p. m.

Trains leave Charlottetown for Hunter River at 6.45, 9.20 a. m., and 4.15 p. m.

Hunter River for Charlottetown 9.04 a. m., 2.25 and 7.11 p. m.

Hunter River for Summerside 7.45, 11.06 a. m., and 5.40 p. m.

Summerside for Hunter River 6.45 a. m. and 12 noon, and 5.40 p. m.

Mr. Bagnall will meet trains from all points at Hunter River to convey passengers to Seaside.

JOHN NEWSON & CO., PROPRIETORS.

June 7—24m

IN STORE.

OIL. OIL. OIL.

Very Best AMERICAN KEROSENE OIL, Extra AMERICAN LARD OIL, Extra AMERICAN WOOL OIL,

and a full assortment of Machinery and other Oils of all descriptions, for sale at Manufacturers' Prices.

CAMPBELL & RAYDEN.

Ch'town, June 27, 1883.

CANNED LOBSTERS

CANNED MACKEREL

Carried by str. "Miramichi"

Montreal, Toronto Hamilton,

and other Western cities, at

VERY LOW RATES FREIGHT.

CARVELL BROS.,

Ch'town, July 20.—3i

OFFICE TO LET.

THE rooms at present occupied by Messrs. T. Davies, Sutherland & Weeks. Apply by letter to

GEO. E. FULL.

Ch'town, July 20.—pat 6i 2aw

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DR. T. W. POMEROY

HAS ARRIVED ON THE ISLAND, and can be consulted at the

OSBORNE HOUSE,

FOR A FEW WEEKS.

Ch'town, July 20.

ANTHRACITE COAL.

Best Quality.

JUST ARRIVED PER BRIGANTINE "CANADIAN,"

300 tons Hard Coal,

EGG AND CHESTNUT SIZES, will be sold low while landing. Orders left at

CAPT. J. HUGHES',

July 18.—4i

HOUSE & LAND.

BY AUCTION, MONDAY, JULY 23rd, at 12 o'clock, noon, on the premises, had nice 2-story Dwelling House (flat-roof) on Land, fronting on School Street, 50x75 feet.

This property is near the residence of Geo. Peake, Esq., on high ground, and in a very pleasant situation.

Terms at sale.

A. McNEILL,

Auctioneer.

Ch'town, July 12, 1883.—m f s wly li

TENDERS

ARE solicited, and will be received, until the twenty-fifth instant, at noon, for the construction of all the buildings, swings, ring-fence, ticket-box, etc., required on the occasion of the Gathering of the Scottish Clans, on the sixteenth day of August, next.

—ALSO—

For the privilege of the entire catering on the grounds, for the same occasion.

Every information will be had at Robinson's Boarding House, head of Prince Street, on application to

JOHN A. McDONELL,

Of Games Committee.

July 17.—tl date

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

LOST—Four Canary Birds. The finder will be rewarded on leaving information which will lead to their recovery at THE EXAMINER OFFICE.

LOST—On Tuesday, at two o'clock, between G. H. Taylor's Jewelry Store and the Market, a small sum of money. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. [jy 18

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A good Dining Room Girl, also an Assistant Cook for a hotel. Apply at this office. [jy 16 3i god pd

A CHILD, for adoption, ten years old, may be obtained by a respectable farmer, on application to John Story, Charlottetown Post-office. [jy 17

WANTED—A lady wishes to receive into her family two or three young children to board and educate. Address P. O. Box, 274. da wkl

WANTED—House Maid. None need apply who have not filled that position before, and have a respectable outfit. Apply to C. LEIGH, Water Street. [jy 9 tf

WANTED—An active BOY to attend horses and cow. One from the country preferred. Apply immediately at this office. [jy 9 tf

LOST about ten days ago, a small silver Brooch, in the shape of a Maltese cross. Finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office. [jy 4

LOST on Thursday last, between West Kent Street School and Miss Ramsay's, Fitzroy Street, a bunch of keys. This finder will please leave them at this office. [jy 4

LOST between the steamboat wharf and St. Hayden's corner, Water Street, a bundle of papers, tied up in a red handkerchief. The finder will please leave the same at THE EXAMINER OFFICE.

FOR SALE—A Grand Square Piano, nearly new, will be sold at a bargain. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [june 28

TO LET—One-half of that three-story Brick House, on Upper Queen Street, containing nine rooms. Possession at once. Apply to ALEXANDER HOGUE. [june 28

TO LET—(with immediate possession) that handsome and commodious residence in the northern suburbs of the city, on St. Peter's Road, lately occupied by L. B. Archibald, Esq. Enquire of LONGWORTH & HASZARD. [july 16, 1883