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DECEMBER 10, 1880.

Opening of Parliament.

The representatives of the people of this young nation met together, at Ottawa, yesterday, under the most auspicious circumstances. There is plenty in the land. There is peace. Politics are calm. Commerce is prosperous. Though the cost of living has not been perceptibly increased to any ordinary family—though the burden of taxation is not felt to be heavier by the mass of consumers—a series of heavy deficits has been succeeded by a swelling revenue, and a great impulse has been given at once to the young and rising industries of the towns and to the development of the great natural resources of the country.

Under these circumstances, the Government met Parliament, yesterday, rejoicing in the confidence and sympathy of a large majority of the people of Canada, asking the representatives of the people to concur in the bargain by which the people will, to a certain extent, be relieved of the cost, risk and responsibilities of building and maintaining the Canada Pacific Railway, and directing their attention to the necessity of Civil Service Reform, the improvement of the Criminal Law, the revision of the laws relating to Government Railways, and other highly important subjects requiring Parliamentary enquiry and action.

If the work indicated in the Governor-General's Speech be not hindered by a too voluble opposition—if it be performed in a statesmanlike spirit, with an earnest regard to the interests of the whole nation—the results of the present session of Parliament cannot but be good and lasting.

Sir Charles Tupper.

Nothing, apparently, gives Sir Charles Tupper greater pleasure than to refute the calumnies of his enemies. His latest triumph has been obtained in the matter of the "Section B Slander." There is now confusion and dismay in the camp of those ultra-Tupperphobists—the Toronto *Globe*, the Halifax *Chronicle*, and the Charlottetown *Patriot*.

Journalists at the Capital.

As far as known, the press gallery this year will be composed as follows: *Globe*, Messrs. Matheson, A. C. Campbell, and Hawke; *Mail*, Messrs. Lumsden and Wallace; *London Free Press* and *Hamilton Spectator*, J. T. Bell; *St. John Telegraph*, J. B. McCready; *Montreal Gazette*, J. G. A. Creighton and F. Bradley; *Halifax Herald and Mail*, Wm. Dennis.

On the part of THE EXAMINER we have made arrangements for regular correspondence and telegrams of important news.

Latest News Notes.

A meeting was recently held in Philadelphia for the purpose of forming a branch of the Land and Industrial League in order to co-operate with those in Ireland.

At the height of a hot discussion between two Jews, one cried, "Godness! don't eat me!" The other cried, "Get out now; you know our religion forbids it!"—*Jewish South*.

An "alleged" British Nobleman, "Charles Pelham Clinton," will be given an opportunity in the Court of Special Sessions of New York, to prove his high degree while on trial on a charge of obtaining money by false pretences. New York police magistrates are no doubt well posted in heraldry and the Clinton peerage.

The Spanish "Imparcial" says:—"It is reported in Ministerial circles that the government has decided to place restrictions on the admission of French monks into Spain, and that the Minister of Justice has had a conference with the Papal Nuncio on the subject. It is reported that the government's course has received the approval of high episcopal authority."

A COTTON FACTORY.—A Halifax despatch says: Mr. J. H. Mann has obtained from England plans and estimates for the building and machinery of a cotton spinning and weaving mill of a power of 20,000 spindles and 250 looms, and he is canvassing our dry goods and general merchants with a view to raising the requisite capital.

At the Smithfield Club cattle show, the first prize for the best animal was taken by a polled Aberdeen. In the sheep classes, a Southdown was declared first; but the Shropshires ran very close. The Prince of Wales was present at the Exhibition. Ontario and Manitoba squashes and roots on exhibition were much admired. The Canadian exhibit was regarded as first-class. Sir Alex. Galt was present.

A trial was made in Berlin the other day in presence of Count Moltke of a newly invented traction engine, adapted to military purposes. This engine drew five heavy guns of 15-centimetre bore through the streets for over two hours at the cost of two marks an hour. The trial was considered

by Count Moltke and the staff very satisfactory. Probably the traction engine will become an institution in the German army.

Hanlan's day of doom is approaching. A Belleville clergyman has a presentiment, and that settles it. He says: "I have a presentiment that Hanlan will be defeated in the forthcoming race with Laycock, but never had it in connection with any of his previous races." Judging from the way they invested their money, a good many people had a similar presentiment before but they paid for indulging their fancy.

Bee, Chinese Consul General at San Francisco, has been a busy bee in collecting information concerning the Chinese in America. He says there are only 80,000 Chinamen in the United States, of whom 52,000 are on the Pacific coasts and that the number is decreasing. He further says that the Chinese Government is going to call on the United States to indemnify Chinese citizens for losses in the California riots.

Since the beginning of the sixteenth century more than 800,000 acres have been won from the water in Holland, and reclamation still goes on at the rate of about eight acres a-day. Since 1850, the Lake of Haarlam has been converted into a region of farms and villages, and the pumping out of the Zuyder Zee, now to be done, will surpass in magnitude all previous endeavors, and give fresh force to Zeeland's motto, *Luctor et emergo*.

A lady writing from Washington says: "I am only slightly acquainted with Mrs. Garfield, but my impression of her is that she is retiring and diffident among strangers, not fond of general society, and that it would kill her in a year if she undertook what appears to be no effort to Mrs. Hayes to perform. Mrs. Hayes has a perfect physique and the most robust health. Mrs. Garfield is more fragile. Mrs. Hayes possesses an exuberance of spirits; Mrs. Garfield is subdued. The two women are so unlike that their administrations will be different. Mrs. Hayes' popularity will never suffer by comparison with any one who succeeds her. Her reign will always stand by itself, although her successors may all be representative women of whom we may be proud."

A carriage in the train bound from Vienna to Pesh contained one evening lately five passengers—an Englishman, two Magyars, a mild-looking man of 60, and a handsome young German, who seemed dreadfully sleepy. The Englishman observed that the sexagenarian essayed to chat with the young German, who, however, yawned, and soon slumbered. The sexagenarian became garrulous, and lamented his son's carelessness in money matters. "See him now, going to sleep in a carriage full of strangers. I think I will give the young man a fright for once in his life," and lifting up the lapel of his coat, he laughingly drew out a pocketbook. At Pressburg the careful father said he must get out for a minute, but when the train moved on he didn't return. When the young man woke up they told him that his father had got out and taken his pocketbook. "My father!" he shrieked, and, clutching his empty pocket, burst into a volley of most unfilial imprecation. "I haven't got a father," he howled out. "I never saw the old scoundrel before. Good God! that pocket book contained 3,000 florins. He must have seen it when I took my ticket." Not unlikely. That genial *son disant* parent has not yet been heard from.

Information Required.

DEFECTIVE ARRANGEMENTS RESPECTING THE "NORTHERN LIGHT" SERVICE.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

SIR,—The "Northern Light" has now been plying between Georgetown and Pictou over a week, without any notice having yet been published by the Post Office Department regarding the closing of foreign mails. Nor has the new Superintendent of the P. E. Island Railway published a time table for the running of special trains in connection with this service.

Surely the public have a right to expect some information to be given through the Press, without being obliged to send messages several times a day to the different departments to hunt up what frequently proves to be unreliable information.

Yours, &c.,
MERCHANT.

Dec. 10th, 1880.

Weather Probabilities.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Dec. 10—10 a. m.

Northeasterly to north-westerly winds, fair, cold weather, possibly light snow in some places.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

Dec. 8th.—E J Crabbie, Fredericton, Lot 16; Angus McDonald, Cardigan; James E McDonald, do; P W McLachlan, Souris; Wm May, New London; A W Bourke, Red Point; A W McLeod, Alberton; A R Boutlier, Halifax. Dec. 9.—Geo E Thurston, Gloucester, Mass; Edward Jones, New Quay, Wales; R A Clark, Alberton; James Kilbride, Lot 11; D A McKay, Kensington; James Ellis, O'Leary.

ROCKLIN HOUSE.

Rev J B Woodland, Cavendish; Hon John Lefurzey, Summerside; Miss Lefurzey, do; Wm Coiley, New London; John Coiley, do; Stephen Black, Bedeque; J P Cook, Victoria; W F Starr, Crapaud.

MR. LONGFELLOW can take a worthless sheet of paper and by writing a poem on it make it worth fifty dollars. That's genius. Mr. Vanderbilt can write fewer words on a similar sheet and make it worth fifty millions dollars. That's capital.



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THEO. L. CHAPPELLE.

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West India Warehouse.

WINTER 1880 & 1881 STOCK.

Hhds. Bright P. R. SUGAR, Bbls. do. do., Boxes Paris Lump SUGAR, 50 chests and half-chests TEA, 200 bbls. Superior Extra FLOUR, 500 bbls. Choice Extra do., 50 bbls. Kilm Dried CORNMEAL, 20 bags No. 1 NAVY BREAD, 10 bags No. 2 do. do., 200 bags fine WHEAT SHORTS, 300 bags BRAN, 30 tubs choice BUTTER, 200 quintals No. 1 CODFISH, 50 boxes Extra do., 100 quintals No. 1 HAKE, 50 do. No. 2 do., 50 bbls. FAT MACKEREL, 60 bbls. HERRING, 20 half-barrils LABRADOR HERRING, 10 cases LOBSTERS, 20 bbls. MESS PORK, 20 bbls. PRIME MESS PORK, 100 tins LARD, 100 Sugar-Cured Hams, 100 boxes Valencia RAISINS, } New Fruit
75 boxes London Layer do., }
20 boxes Nixey's BLACK LEAD, }
30 cases STARCH, }
10 bbls. WASHINGTON SODA, }
20 tins CREAM-TARTAR, }
30 casks American KEROSENE OIL, }
50 tins do. do. }

For sale by HORACE HASZARD.

Lobster Packers' Supplies.

500 boxes TIN PLATES, 50 ingots REFINED TIN, 50 pigs LEAD, 10 bars COPPER for Soldering Irons, 600 cases made CANS (1 lb. Tins), 5 casks TURPENTINE, 50 coils MARLINE, 50 coils ROPE, 6, 9 and 12 thread.

For sale by HORACE HASZARD.

Pork Packers' Supplies.

500 PORK BARRELS, 1000 bush. Turk's Island SALT.

For sale by HORACE HASZARD.

WHITE OATS FOR SEED.

125 SACKS New Zealand WHITE OATS, weighing 49 lbs. to the bush, arriving per steamer "Prince Edward."

For sale by HORACE HASZARD.

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Musical and Literary.

THE Prince Street Methodist Sabbath School will give one of their popular Entertainments,

IN THE BASEMENT OF THE CHURCH,

—ON—

Monday Evening, 27th inst.

A choice programme. To commence at 8 o'clock. Admission only 10 cents. Dec. 10, '80—2aw.

COCOANUTS!

FRESH and NICE. Only a few bags left. H. COOMBS.

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Cape Cod Cranberries.

VERY FINE. ONLY AT RETAIL. H. COOMBS.

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ORANGES.

A FEW LEFT. H. COOMBS.

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CLEARANCE SALE OF GENERAL DRY GOODS! TREMAINE & METCALF'S, 88 QUEEN STREET.

Y. M. C. A.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Young Men's Christian Association, for the election of officers and transaction of other business, will be held in their Hall, on FRIDAY, December 10th, at 8 o'clock, p. m. A full attendance is requested.

T. C. JAMES, President.
LEWIS W. GOFF, Hon. Sec'y.
Ch'town, Dec. 10, 1880—li

APPLES. 200 BARRELS RECEIVED TO-DAY via Georgetown. Choice, for sale by W. D. STEWART.
Dec. 9, 1880.

ONIONS. 100 BARRELS in splendid order, for sale by W. D. STEWART.
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TEA. 100 CHESTS EXTRA CONGOU. Warranted A1. For sale by W. D. STEWART.
Dec. 9, 1880.

VALUABLE PICTURES AT AUCTION.

I HAVE RECEIVED A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF Chromos and Oleographs, In Alhambra Gilt Frames, from the celebrated house of S. HILDESHEIMER & Co., London, which I will sell by Auction, on

WEDNESDAY, the 22nd inst., AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M., AT THE

Queen Street Auction Rooms. The Pictures will be on exhibition Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday before the day of sale.

W. D. STEWART, Auctioneer.
Dec. 9, 1880—

A LARGE STOCK OF Illuminated and Perforated Mottoes, Picture Frames, Photo. Frames, Easels, &c., &c.

VERY CHEAP. Just opened at BREMNER BROS.
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DR. N. E. McKAY, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. OFFICE—At "Rocklin House," Kent Street, where he may be consulted professionally. Charlottetown, Dec. 8, 1880.

JUST RECEIVED! From Messrs. L. Prang & Co., Boston.

A NEW LOT OF CHRISTMAS CARDS Including the \$2000 Prize Designs, Satin, Bannerefts, Japanese Cards, &c. BREMNER BROS.
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NORTHERN LIGHT. WHEN the Prince Edward Island Steam Navigation Company's Boats cease running, the S. S. "Northern Light" will ply, making daily trips when practicable—leaving Georgetown at 6 a. m.; and Pictou, at 1.40 p. m., on arrival of the train from Halifax. WILLIAM MITCHELL, Agent of Dept. of Marine, Charlottetown, Nov. 26, 1880.

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

WANTED—A general Servant of good character. Must be kind with children. For address apply at this office. [de 7 3i pd]

BOARDERS—A few permanent Boarders can be accommodated at the "Rankin House" at very moderate terms. [de 7 1w]

WANTED—By a competent person, employment for the winter to make up books and accounts. Apply at this office. [de 1]

MILK COW—Newly calved. Apply to A. McRAE, Pownal. [no 30 tf]

BOARDERS—Three or four Boarders can be accommodated with first-class board and apartments at very reasonable rates, in a pleasant and one of the most convenient localities in the city. Apply at this office. [no 6 tf]

TO LET—A House containing 8 rooms, with stable, coach house, and a large garden attached, fronting on Rochford Square. Possession given immediately. Apply to J. T. CROCKETT, at the Fish Market. [no 2]

TO LET—A Tenement House, situated on Kent street, next door to Dr. Creamer. Apply to MRS. OFFER, Queen street. [no 13 tf]

Charlottetown, November 18, 1880.