

THE DAILY EXAMINER. OCTOBER 23, 1883.

A Question Answered.

A CORRESPONDENT wishes to know how it is that persons who have not paid their taxes can be gazetted as "defaulters," seeing that the year for which the tax is levied is not yet closed. In reply we may state that the law (43rd Vic. Cap. 15, Sec. 29) provides that all taxes are due to the city ten days after the notices of them have been served. Being due, those who do not pay them are by the law called "defaulters," and are so gazetted.

Whether or not the gazettement of such "defaulters" is right or expedient? is another question. We presume it is done in order that the whole body corporate may know who among its members are unable to bear or try to shift the burdens incident to life in Charlottetown. But this object would be better obtained if the publication were in one or both of the daily newspapers instead of the Gazette.

What About Annexation?

A CORRESPONDENT of the New York Times has been travelling in Oregon and British Columbia, and thus writes from Victoria:—

"Inquiry among the citizens has developed almost no sentiment in favor of annexation to the United States. The fact is that no Anglo-Saxon (possibly no civilized man) changes his nationality readily, although we sometimes talk lightly of annexing the territory of our neighbors with their consent. The people of Victoria have a stable and honest Government, a delightful abode, and possibilities in the future. They feel that their island will be of inestimable value to the Imperial Government, as their naval station is of prime importance in the maintenance of British naval strength in the Pacific Ocean. The certain prospect of the completion of the Canada Pacific Railroad, an event now fixed for 1886, also serves to knit the people of British Columbia more closely to the Dominion, of which it forms an integral part.

Cable Telegraphy.

Several prominent business men of New York City, principally from among the membership of the Produce, Cotton and Stock Exchanges, have associated themselves into a company to lay additional telegraph cables between the United States and England. The chief object is to meet the requirements of commercial business, and to this end the cables are to make a direct connection as possible between New York and Liverpool. The western terminus has already been fixed at a point only a few miles from New York. The rates for business will be about half those now charged, and guarantees against amalgamation or pooling will be provided. The President of the new organization is Thomas L. James, ex-Postmaster General, and among the Directors are David H. Bingham, E. R. Livermore, John H. Hebbert, A. D. Straus, John F. Plummer, E. A. Quintard, W. H. Guion, of Williams & Guion, and A. H. Rice, ex-Governor of Massachusetts. Mr. J. C. Hueston, late General Agent of the New York Associated Press, will be Secretary. Nearly all the money is assured, it is said, and contracts are in negotiation for the cables of a new type, at once, cheaper and better than any heretofore manufactured.

The Langevin Banquet.

FOUR HUNDRED AND FIFTY gentlemen—many of them distinguished—attended the banquet at Windsor Hotel, Montreal, on Thursday evening, in honor of Sir Hector Langevin. In the course of his reply to the toast of the evening, Sir Hector said:—

"In consequence of the fiscal policy the Government had adopted our credit abroad had revived, our own population were afforded a means of subsistence, and a sufficient revenue was provided to carry on the great public works needed by the constant growth of the country. For the last three or four years instead of deficits we have had surpluses, and during the year just finished the surplus of revenue over expenses was more than \$7,750,000. (Loud cheers.) This money did not go into the pockets of Ministers, but had been mostly expended in making public improvements throughout this vast country. The Government had thought better to use these large surpluses in paying for the construction of the C. P. R. instead of leaving the payment of that road to be a burden on a future generation. (Hear, hear.) In this way they were rapidly building up on this continent a great monarchy modelled upon that of Great Britain. This great railway also furnished us the means of attracting hither a large immigration. The Government had made special efforts to bring immigrants from Great Britain, France, Germany, and Scandinavia, but their duty would be but half done if they forgot that

ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE LINE

there were many thousands of our fellow countrymen anxious to return to Canada, and it was with the greatest pleasure he was able to say to-night that the Government intended to take energetic measures to bring back to Canada all countrymen on the other side who were desirous of returning. (Loud cheers.) Those present would understand that at a banquet like this he could scarcely be expected to reveal in detail a ministerial measure that would be presented next session, but in any case he could assure them that our countrymen in the United States, whether of French, English, or any other origin, were not forgotten, and all that could be done for them would be performed. (Loud cheers.) The result of all these great measures was to-day that we had

A CONTENTED PEOPLE

and a prosperous country. Our credit was re-established, and whereas a few years ago

we had to pay seven to eight per cent. interest on foreign loans, to-day capitalists were anxious to take our bonds at four per cent.—(applause)—and he was convinced that the time was not far distant when we would get all the money we needed at three or three and a half per cent. (Cheers.) During the last session of Parliament on the suggestion of the Finance Minister a measure was passed sanctioning a considerable

REDUCTION IN THE TAXES

of the country, and the effect had already been a diminution of at least two million dollars in the burdens of the people. (Cheers.) If he looked at Montreal he found its population had increased from 107,000 to 140,000, or about 31 per cent., but owing to the fostering influence of the National Policy the industries of Montreal had increased from 1,100 establishments to 1,763 in the same period, or an increase of 60 per cent. (Cheers.) The number of employes had been increased by 66 per cent., and the amount of wages paid to workmen had increased from five million dollars in 1871 to nine and one-half million in 1881. (Cheers.) This was sufficient answer to those who said that the National Policy had only served to enrich a few manufacturers at the expense of the workmen. (Hear, hear.) The present Dominion Government knew no province, no nationality, no creed. Its motto was

EQUAL JUSTICE TO ALL.

He wished very formally to declare that the Province of Quebec and its citizens, be they French, Canadian, English, Irish, or Scotch, were no obstacle to the progress of the other provinces. (Loud cheers.) To whatever nationality we belonged we demanded our rights, privileges, and liberties, but we demanded them equally for all other provinces as well. (Hear, hear.) We claimed the integrity of our territory and we also claimed the integrity of the other provinces. We did not ask for our province a single inch of territory that did not belong to us, and we demanded that our sister provinces adjoining us should not have an inch of territory either that did not belong to them. (Loud cheers.) But on the other hand if there was an inch of territory that belonged to us and we did not possess, we should take measures to obtain it, and if any territory belonged to any of the other provinces which they did not now possess, we should endeavor by our votes and our influence to have that territory annexed to the province to which it belonged. (Loud cheers.) He desired to make this declaration to-night, because he saw before him representatives from almost every county in Quebec, and he asked if this was their opinion, if this was their desire, if this was their conviction. (Loud applause.)

Our Cotton Industry.

NUMBER OF MILLS, LOOMS AND SPINDLES IN THE DOMINION—FOREIGN IMPORT OF COTTON.

The Montreal Star gives the following particulars regarding the cotton factories of the Dominion:—In 1883, the gross capital invested amounts to \$8,850,000, and the estimated product of the single item cloth is equal to about 115,000,000 yards. The computed value of total production of the twenty-one mills in the following table is \$10,400,000 for the year. Number of employes 10,200; wages per annum, \$1,110,000:—

Table with 4 columns: Factory, Location, Looms, Spindles. Lists various cotton mills across the Dominion.

Of these twenty-one mills, nine are in the Province of Ontario, running 3,700 looms and 171,000 spindles. Six are in Quebec, with 4,030 looms and 188,100 spindles. Four are in New Brunswick, with 1,500 looms and 68,750 spindles. Two are in Nova Scotia, with 750 looms and 34,000 spindles.

A Would-be Suicide.

Early on Saturday morning last one Elizabeth Farragher, a domestic employed in the family of Mr. Fred. Tapley, Douglas Road, Portland, N. B., attempted suicide by cutting her throat with a carving knife. For some days previous to making the attempt on her life Mrs. Farragher had complained of failing health, and showed signs of derangement of the mind, and on the morning in question Mr. Tapley, at her request, procured a permit for her admission to the hospital from Dr. Walker. Returning home with the permit and a hack for the conveyance of the unfortunate woman, he was shocked, on entering the house, to find her hacking her throat with a carving knife. He wrested the knife from her hands, and with some assistance, succeeded in placing her in the hack that was standing at the door, when she was at once driven to the police station, where the ragged cut in her throat was sown up by Drs. Gaynor and Woodford, who happened to be passing at the time, and she was then conveyed to the hospital where she now lies. It is not thought likely she will recover.

Our Advertisers.

David Small is expecting a consignment of Labrador herring which he will sell cheap. Wm. Dodd will sell at auction, to-morrow at eleven o'clock, 100 brls. choice apples. AYER'S HAIR VIGOR cleanses and invigorates the scalp; cures dandruff and itching; and elegant dressing. [Oct 22 1w wcky]

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Arrival of the New Governor-General.

QUEBEC, Oct. 23. The Marquis of Lansdowne arrived here yesterday, at 9.10 p. m. The Government steamer "Druid," with all the Cabinet Ministers on board, put off to meet the "Circassian," as soon as she was moored. Lord Lorne presented the whole party. The swearing in takes place to-morrow. Lord Lansdowne thanked the party for meeting him. He, with his party will not land till to-morrow. They had a rough passage. A large number of rockets were sent up from both sides of the river, and crowds cheered lustily. After being sworn in Lord Lansdowne will receive a citizens address, and then leave by special train for Ottawa. Mrs. Russell Stephenson, sister of Lady Dufferin, arrived via "Circassian."

The Recent Cabinet Changes Gazetted.

OTTAWA, Oct. 23. The appointments of Sir John McDonald as President of the Privy Council, of the Hon. D. L. McPherson, as Minister of the Interior, of Senator Miller, as Speaker of the Senate, and ex-Speaker Blanchet as collector of Customs at Quebec are gazetted.

A Fatal Railway Accident.

FORT EDWARDS, Oct. 23. A train on the Glens Falls Branch of the Delaware and Hudson Railroad went through a bridge near Fort Edwards to-day. About twenty passengers were badly injured, three killed outright.

Unnecessary Alarm.

LONDON, Oct. 23. Much excitement prevails owing to the statement that American and Canadian Detectives have unearthed an unmistakable clue to a plot of dynamiters to murder Lord Lansdowne when he lands at Quebec.

A New Invention.

MONTREAL, Oct. 23. Two Montreal men claim to have invented a new mode of steam propulsion by which the Atlantic Ocean can be crossed in three days. They are in communication with the British Admiralty on the subject.

A Spanish Item.

PARIS, Oct. 23. The French Ambassador at Madrid has resigned, and it is believed he will be succeeded by Gen. Billott.

Losses by the Recent Gale.

PROVINCETOWN, MASS., Oct. 23. Many more reports of additional losses by Saturday night's gale keep coming in.

Illness of a Bishop.

LONDON, Oct. 23. The Bishop of Peterborough has had a serious relapse.

A Famous Novelist Dead.

LONDON, Oct. 23. Captain Mayne Reid, the famous novelist, died last evening.

Telegraph Notes.

An avalanche at Asaro, in Catania, recently, buried six employes, five of whom were killed.

It is understood that one thousand pounds will be paid to Mr. Shaw, British Missionary, from the French Secret Service Fund.

Several Jews have been arrested and placed on trial at Breslin, charged with having fired their synagogue to obtain the insurance.

It is now stated Midhat Pasha was not released from his exile in Arabia by the Sultan, but that he escaped and is now at Medina whence he will shortly proceed to England.

A platform crowded with spectators at Harvard scrub races, on the Charles River, broke down and many were seriously hurt. One student will probably die, and nine others received injuries consisting principally of fractures of the limbs.

In an interview recently Cardinal Jacobini said the Pope decided to adopt the views of the bishops generally with regard to the location of the proposed Catholic College in England without reference to the opposition of Cardinal Manning to its establishment at Oxford.

General Koubar, military attache of the Russian embassy at Vienna, has been ordered by the Czar to proceed at once to Sofia and assume the duties of minister-of-war, tendered him by the Bulgarian Government. Koubar has been instructed by the Czar to use his influence in adjusting the existing difficulties in the Bulgarian army.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, October 23—10 a. m.

Light to moderate winds, generally fair weather, stationery or slightly higher temperature.

MARRIED.

At St. Peter's Church, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. W. B. King, Frederick Theodore Foster, of Jersey, Channel Islands, England, to Mrs. Sarah Hafey of Charlottetown.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

A VALUABLE NERVE TONIC. Dr. C. C. Olmstead, Milwaukee, Wis., says: "I have used it in my practice ten years, and consider it a valuable nerve tonic."

YES! NOW IS THE TIME.

WE are receiving daily our FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF SHELF AND HEAVY

HARDWARE,

English, Canadian & American Markets

CITY HARDWARE STORE.

Having facilities for purchasing for cash, direct from the manufacturer, we are enabled to give our customers good value for their money in every line. We have received

- 5 tons Horse Shoe, 2 tons Horse Shoe Nails, 1 tons Manila Rope, 10 tons White Lead and Colored Paints, 250 sets Carriage Axles, 7,000 feet prime Whitewood.

Also a general assortment of Shelf Hardware, and expected in a few days from England, a large stock of Cutlery, Oils, etc. We sell as low as it is possible, to place a good article on the market, and guarantee satisfaction in quality and prices. Two car-loads Carriage Stock to arrive about 1st November.

NORTON BROS., City Hardware Store.

N. B.—Goods delivered, free of charge, at Railway, and Steamboat Wharves. Ch'town, Oct. 15, 1883.—2aw 3w wcky 4i pio 2w

EXHIBITION WEEK!

WE invite the Citizens and those who may be visiting the Town, during the week of Exhibition, to the inspection of our immense stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

WE HAVE JUST PLACED UPON OUR SHELVES THE CONTENTS OF Two Hundred and Sixty Bales and Cases,

ENGLISH, AMERICAN, AND CANADIAN, DRY GOODS,

Comprising everything necessary for Household and General use.

Varieties complete in every Department at the Very Lowest Prices for Cash.

UPWARDS OF Fifteen Thousand Grain Bags,

And a Large Stock of Very Choice CHINESE AND INDIAN TEAS,

Wholesale and Retail. GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Charlottetown, Oct. 6, 1883

NEW FALL GOODS

J. B. MACDONALD'S.

I am now receiving New Goods for Fall and Winter.

Ladies' Dress Goods, in all the newest fabrics. Ladies' Mantle Cloths, in the newest makes. Ladies' Mantles, Shawls, Silk Velvets, Velvetines. Brocaded Silks and Satins. Ladies' Straw, Plush and Silk Hats, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons. Woolen Squares, Scarfs, in variety.

IN THE GENTLEMEN'S DEPARTMENT: A heavy Stock of Cloths, in Beavers, Worsteds, Tweeds and Fancy Coatings, Ready-made Clothing, for Men and Boys. Underclothing, Flannel Shirts. Also Parks' and other makes Cotton Warps, at the lowest cash prices.

J. B. MACDONALD, Ch'town, Sept. 13, 1883.—wcky pres he Queen Street

APPLES.

TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY), 24th inst., at 11 o'clock, at my room,

100 Barrels Choice Apples, Gravenstiens, Ribstons, Colverts, Baldwins, Bishops, etc., etc. (perfect beauties). WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. Ch'town, Oct. 23, 1883.

LABRADOR HERRING, DAILY EXPECTED.

600 BARRELS per brig. "Maxwellton," Apply to DAVID SMALL, Queen's Wharf. Ch'town, Oct. 23, 1883.

LIGHT. LIGHT.

PERSONS who may wish to illuminate their shops and stores during the Xmas and New Year's season, should use the McKenzie Rappley Light, now in use at Diamond Bakers. These burners give double the light that can be obtained from the ordinary burners, consuming the same quantity of gas. Orders should be given at the Gas Works early, to ensure their being obtained in good season. Ch'town, Oct. 23, 1883—1m eod

BRICK FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber has on hand and offers for sale, about 100,000 BRICK, which he will deliver at Vernon River Bridge or at his Brickyard. FRANCIS FINNIGAN, Vernon River, Oct. 19.—2aw wcky 1i pd

FINAL NOTICE.

PERSONS indebted to the undersigned, before the 2nd July last, will take notice that they can settle with me up to the 25th October, after which date the Books, etc., will pass out of my hands. J. D. McLEOD. Oct. 18, '83.—3i eod wly ti date

CHEAP SCHOOL BOOKS AT NELMES'.

A GOOD SUPPLY of Copy and Exercise Books, Slates, Chalks, Slate Pencils, Foolscap Paper, Slate Pencil Sharpeners, and other School Requisites, at low prices.

S. T. NELMES, Standard Bookstore.

Ch'town, Sept. 19, 1883.—eod tf

MUSIC.

MISS BAYNE, graduate of Professor Duane's Musical Academy, Halifax, wishes to receive pupils for instruction in Pianoforte. Address:—Rev. Donald McNeill, Prince Street. Charlottetown, Oct. 3, 1883.—eod tf

FANCY SALE.

THE MEMBERS of St. Peter's Church Sewing Society intend holding a Sale on WEDNESDAY, 12th December. Ch'town, Oct. 6, 1883.—oaw sat

BUY THE DAILY EXAMINER, the Cheapest and Newest paper in the Province.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

FOUND—About two weeks ago, a bunch of KEYS. The finder can have the same by applying at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. [Oct 23]

FOR SALE—A good upright Pianoforte, in perfect order, will be sold at a bargain. Apply at this office. [Oct 22 3i]

WANTED—A reliable Cash Boy and Parcel Boy at once. W. & A. BROWN & Co. [Oct 20]

LOST—On 18th inst., at North River Road, a Horse Rug. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at THE EXAMINER Office. [Oct 20]

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Nurse-maid to go to Stellarton, N. S. Apply to MRS. COL. GRAY, Inkerman House. [Oct 19]

FOR SALE—A Stewart Cooking Range, in use one year. Good as new. Highly recommended.—H. J. CUNNELL. [Oct 19]

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A House-maid, in a small family. Apply at this office. [Oct 17]

FOUND—At Canoe Cove, Lot 65, a BOAT, about fifteen feet keel, with one mast and sails. The owner can have her by paying expenses and proving property.—NEIL McKINNON, Canoe Cove. [Oct 16]

STRAYED OR STOLEN—From Morris pasture, Malpeque Road, on the 11th instant, a dark red HORSE, with black legs, about ten years old. Information regarding the above may be left at THE EXAMINER OFFICE, or at THOS. GREEN'S CHAIR FACTORY, Great George Street. [Oct 16 wcky]

TO LET and possession given immediately the two story Dwelling House, corner of Prince and Fitzroy streets. Apply on the premises to J. FISHER or W. E. DAWSON. [Oct 2]

FRENCH LESSONS—A Lady wishes to form a French class for young girls. For particulars apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [Sep 24]