Ten Sufficient Reasons Why the Government Should be Sustained.

1. It is admitted by both parties that the present Government have been economical.
2. If they are not sustained there will no inducement to practice economy.
3. The Government have encouraged agriculture as no previous Governmet ever did.
4. If they are not sustained, the electors will show that they do not care to have agriculture encouraged.
5. It is part of the Government Policy to reduce the Legislature.
6. If they are not sustained, taxpayers will show that they are quite willing to bear the present unnecessarily large expense of legislation.
7. It is desirable to prosecute diligently our claim to a share of the Fishery Award.
8. If the present Government are not sustained, the men who renounced that claim in 1873 will get into power; and every chance of obtaining it will be gone forever.
9. It is desirable that there should be no taxes to pay.
10. If the Government are not sustained, the first act of their opponents must be, on their own showing, to re-enact the Assessment Act, which they say should never have been repealed.

THE CITY'S CANDIDATES.

HON. NEIL McLEOD

—AND—

PATRICK BLAKE, ESQUIRE

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

MAY 3, 1882.

THE CAMPAIGN.

THE popularity of the Government, throughout the country at large, is assured. What we fear is over-confidence, and, as a consequence, "the take it easy" kind of work, which may give the Taxationists (who are working desperately) some advantages over the taxpayers. The hardihood of some of the Oppositionists is almost past belief; but in the present contest there is,—

. . . . in every honest hand a whip,
To lash the rascals through the land,
Even from the East to the West.

Let the taxpayers see to it that the whip is used. On Monday morning, let the word go forth—"Up, boys, and at them."

West River.

OUR advices state that the feeling in the West River District is growing stronger and stronger in favor of McKay and Shaw. The latter gentleman is proving much too able for Mr. Farquharson.

Carnigan.

WE are informed that "prospects are bright for the election of Messrs. McDougall & Owen, who, if returned, will spare no efforts to carry out all necessary improvements in their district."

Murray Harbor.

A CORRESPONDENT at Montague Bridge, writing on the 1st inst., says:—Saturday night's meeting in the Hall was on the whole, favorable to the Government, for, though a number of speakers addressed the meeting on behalf of the Opposition, Mr. Prowse was more than a match for them. One of the Opposition's speakers remarked, on leaving the hall:—"Not one of the speakers broke down a single point Mr. Prowse presented." The Holy horror of the Opposition for fear the Sabbath should be desecrated by politics is wonderful in the extreme. But where is this zeal all the rest of the year when liquor is sold without let or hindrance all day Sunday?

Scandalous Tactics

THE only principle by which the *Patriot* seems to be guided is contained in the words "all's fair in politics."

A few days ago it slandered the Education Department with the view of damaging the Government; and though compelled tacitly to admit the fact, it has postponed its withdrawal of the slander and its apology until *after the elections.*

It is now circulating a false and malicious report to the effect that the Hon. Mr. Ferguson is endeavoring "to persuade the electors of Brackley Point and Covehead to vote for himself and Beer."

The absurdity of this report is easily seen. Mr. Ferguson came into the East River District to prevent the man who gave his casting vote in favor of "the Assessment Act, 1877," from again securing a seat in the Legislature; and now Mr. Ferguson is, according to the *Patriot*, canvassing for him! Could any report be more unreasonable?

We have read that "slanderous tongue outvenoms all the worms of Nile." The *Patriot's* pen does this; and its editor goes in the face of common sense to do it.

We know of no reason whatever why the electors of Brackley Point should not vote the square ticket—FERGUSON AND EGAN.

Have their private characters been impugned? Are they not both honest men?

Will any one dare to say that either of them has not paid, for all he has ever been indebted, one hundred cents in the dollar?

Is it pretended that they do not know the wants and interests of the district in which they both live?

Is it not conceded that the Government on behalf of which they are candidates have managed public affairs economically and prudently?

Then why should not FERGUSON and EGAN both be returned?

Electors of the third district of Queen's County, VOTE SQUARE; VOTE FOR FERGUSON AND EGAN.

The Austrian Government has issued a proclamation granting immunity to all fugitives recently engaged in the insurrection in Bosnia, on condition of their returning to their homes by the 20th of May.

ELECTORS!

Do You Want to Keep Down Taxation?

IF SO, HERE ARE

THE MEN TO VOTE FOR!

IN PRINCE COUNTY.

First District.

PETER GAVIN,
GILBERT BUOTE.

Third District.

JOSEPH O. ARSENAULT,
JOHN A. MACDONALD.

Fourth District.

GEO. W. BENTLEY,
A. E. C. HOLLAND.

Fifth District—Summerside.

JOHN LEFURGY,
DR. GILLIS.

IN KING'S COUNTY.

Second District.

W. W. SULLIVAN,
J. C. UNDERHAY,

Third District.

GEORGE F. OWEN,
JOHN McDOUGALL,

Fourth District.

SAMUEL PROWSE,
W. A. POOLE,

Fifth District—Georgetown.

DANIEL GORDON,
ARCH. J. McDONALD,

IN QUEEN'S COUNTY.

**First District.*

WILLIAM CAMPBELL,
DONALD CAMERON,
JAMES JOHNSTON.

Second District.

A. C. SHAW,
DONALD McKAY.

Third District.

DONALD FERGUSON,
DAVID EGAN.

Fourth District.

JAMES NICHOLSON,
DUNCAN CRAWFORD.

Fifth District—Charlottetown and Royalty.

NEIL McLEOD,
P. BLAKE.

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*In this district there are three candidates, on behalf of economy and careful Government. While it is pleasing to see this practical evidence of the great popularity of the present judicious Administration, it, nevertheless, gives an advantage to the Taxationists, which is to be greatly regretted. It is to be hoped that the taxpayers of this wealthy district will agree among themselves to vote square for the same two Government candidates.

AT THE POLLS.

THE Polls open at half-past eight o'clock on Monday next, and continue open not later than seven o'clock in the evening. Those who do not desire heavy taxation should be at the polls early. The Taxationists will be there never fear!

For directions as to the places at which they will vote, electors are referred to the posters which have been put up in the several polling divisions.

For Charlottetown Common and Royalty there are two polling divisions and three polling places in each division, at which electors will vote, according to the initials of their surnames, as follows:

EASTERN DIVISION—EAST OF GREAT GEORGE STREET.

A to G—both inclusive—Engine House, near Bank P. E. Island.
H to Mac—both inclusive—Engine House, King Square.
N to Z—both inclusive—D. R M. Hooper's.

WESTERE DIVISION—WEST OF GREAT GEORGE STREET.

A to G—both inclusive—at the premises lately occupied by James Curtis'.
H to Mac—both inclusive—Market House.
N to Z—both inclusive—Frederick Curtis'

FRANCHISE VOTERS.

Franchise voters in the country districts must have resided in the polling division in which they vote twelve months previous to the date of the writ of election, and have performed their statute labor or paid their commutation money. It is to be noted that some of the polling divisions have been sub-divided into sections, in each of which a poll will be held.

Franchise voters in Charlottetown and Summerside must have had a residence of twelve months, and have lived in the polling division in which they vote at least one month, and have paid their poll tax.

SPECIAL VOTE.

For schedules to be filled in by persons having special votes, on account of property they own or hold in possession in other districts of the Province, apply to the Prosiding Officers at the several polling places.

Indemnity for Duties.

Mr. McDonald (King's), in the House of Commons, on the 1st instant, asked when an answer may be expected to the memorial of W. H. Pope, addressed to the Governor General, dated January, 1879, asking indemnity for duties paid on fish and fish oil exported from Prince Edward Island to the United States in 1871 and 1872, and also to the letter on the same subject from the members of the House of Commons and Senators representing Prince Edward Island bearing date 20th April, and addressed to Sir John A. Macdonald.

Sir John said the attention of the Government had been called to this matter by letter received 22nd April and it was under consideration.

Letters received from Jews in Russia declare that they intend leaving Russia *en masse* if the persecutions continue. A recent conference of Jews at St. Petersburg, however, disapproved of a general exodus.

Notes of a Naturalist.

May Day! and the most dismal for thirty-five years. The firm ice in the harbor, and snow-banks six feet deep, are a cheerless prospect for the opening of what ought to be the flowery month. We have seen the wood-land paths and the meadows gay with blossoms at this date; but it will be long yet, this season, ere summer dares bring out her floral jewels.

Still there are smiles of the advancing season coming through the gloom. From the silvery lake opened in the harbor, the suppressed "honk" of the wild goose and the bass croak of the brent come floating on the calm air. The sea-gull has come in from the rough sea, where he braved all the winter's storms; the golden-eye has passed inland with whistling wing; and mergansers and pin-tails, and scoters have come to dapple in the shimmering streaks of wave that laugh amid the ice-fetters of winter. The old-fashioned crane, or blue heron, came two weeks ago, as if every thing ought to be ready for him, and blue enough he looked standing on the snow-covered ice and peering into the small, circular opening of a spring hole.

On land the blackbird's flute has sounded by the frozen mill-stream. Crows are carrying brush for their nests, and the jays are mating. We saw the beautiful golden-winged wood-pecker, with his flaming crest, search the old ram-poles for insects. The song sparrow sings to his mate in storm or shine, but poor robin is utterly disconsolate. Scarcely a note comes from him, and all his wits are taxed to obtain a scanty fare from a few sheltered spots by wood-land or meadow.

How readily the purple-wanded mulenberge willows respond to the faintest smile of spring! They are now shoving out the silky ferns of their katkins, though standing deep in snow. The male and female flowers are on different plants, so that the flowering has to be over before the leaves come out; and nature gives them ability to bloom thus early. By-and-bye, how their great domes of golden bloom will buz with a thousand insect voices!

The Fox Sparrows (*Paeserella ilicia*) have been here a fortnight, and still we hear the ring of their peculiar, jerking whistle. These birds are never seen with us except for a week or two at this season of the year, when they are passing from the south to their summer resorts in the far north. They are considerably larger than the Song Sparrow, and stoutly built, of a red-brown or fox-color above, and light ash speckled with brown on the breast. They are shy and retired, keeping much to the concealment of the deep fir groves.

If you wish to become acquainted with them, you must be prepared to go and look for them. You hear the broken fife-note come through the spring air from a distant grove, and you are off to look for the songster. You enter the bush and proceed cautiously, following the lead of the wild whistle. Presently you open on a glade where the full sun is flashing crimson from the polished shafts of the maples, and the soft drapery of the fir hangs rich velvet round the little scene. Here is a whole group of the birds holding a regular concert. They shift from tree to tree with loud whirr of wings, and a perfect storm of irregular whistlings makes the wildest musical entertainment you ever listened to.

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ADVICE.

(*From the Progress.*)

If you wish to return to the days of gold spectacles, and gold-headed canes, furnished to members at the country's expense,

Vote for the Opposition.

If you want W. D. Stewart again in charge of the public purse strings,

Vote for the Opposition.

If you want a return of the Assessment Act and Poll Tax, together with W. D. Stewart and his associates to power,

Vote for the Opposition.

If you want the Assessors round again valuing your property.

Vote for the Opposition.

If you want an extravagant, "Dash-away" Government,

Vote for the Opposition.

If you want an economical Goverament, who have paid off the debt left by their predecessors, abolished the Assessment Law, maintained free schools, encouraged agriculture, and have proved that it is possible to conduct the affairs of the country, without the "tax-curse" or Poll tax,

VOTE for

THE GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES.

A BRIEF Court Ship.

Perched as Judge in the *Court* we see Peters the sire,
Engaged with INJUNCTIONS, which none can admire;
Two sons—imitators unequalled we see,
Especially one who a "member" would be,
Rest a while from your *pleading*—for coming disaster,
Shall teach you the virtues contained in *Court* plaster.

Bank of P. E. Island.

CHARLOTTETOWN, May 2, 1882.

The adjourned Special Meeting of Stockholders of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 4th inst., at eleven o'clock, forenoon.

JOHN LONGWORTH,
President.

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MILLINERY.

MISS GALLANT begs to inform her friends, and the public generally, that she has commenced business in the above line, at her residence, Upper Queen Street. Having had four years' experience in the establishment of Robert Young, Esq., she feels confident of giving satisfaction to all who may favor her with their patronage.

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GARDEN SEEDS,

Garden Seeds.

Fresh and Good,

Opening To-day at

HARVIE'S BOOKSTORE.

May 1, 1882—tf

British Warehouse.

—o:—

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

HAVE JUST OPENED

26 Cases of LONDON GOODS, of the Latest Spring Styles,

SELECTED BY ONE OF THEIR PARTNERS.

Manchester and Glasgow Goods, also a large lot Carpets of New Designs and of Excellent Value, to follow by Steamship "Prince Edward."

RECEIVED EARLY BY "NORTHERN LIGHT,"

28 Bales English Paper Hangings,
3 Bales Grain Bags.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

April 28, 1882.

P. E. ISLAND FURNITURE WAREROOMS.

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ANNOUNCEMENT!

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My Stock for the Spring Trade is about completed, and will excel any previous show. Buyers of the following lines of Furniture should not fail to inspect my stock:

Bedroom Sets in Every Style,

ALL OF WHICH IS HOME MANUFACTURE.

Parlor Sets, in Birch, Walnut and Mahogany,

with all kinds of coverings at any price wished for.

Smoking Chairs, Lounges Iron Bedsteads, Office Desks in great variety, Cornices and Window Poles.

COMMON BEDSTEADS FROM $2.00 UPWARDS.

No work can be more substantial and better finished than I offer.

The profits on the above stock will in future be small. The terms are, therefore, cash.

MARK BUTCHER.

King Square, April 12, 1882—1m pres

Tickets to all Points

WEST AND NORTH WEST,

Over the Intercolonial and Grand Trunk Railways.

For sale at Post Office and Pictou Landing by

D. A. McLEOD.

May 2, 1882.

RICE, RICE FLOUR, GROUND RICE, &c.

CROP 1882, PRIME QUALITY.

Imported DIRECT from BURMAH, and Milled at their new Mills, Cote Street, St. Paul by the

MOUNT ROYAL MILLING AND MANUFACTURING CO., LIMITED.

Mills at Cote, St. Paul. Offices 65 St. Peter Street, Montreal.

Ross, Hall & Co., Montreal,

AGENTS.

This Company will be prepared to supply the Trade, at prices, freight paid to Shediac, upon the arrival of their first Steamer cargo from Burmah. [ma 1 6m 2aw

JUST PUBLISHED!

"Short Speculative Essays,"

BY ROBERT B. THOMAS.

For sale at the Bookstores of Messrs. Bremner Bros., Chappelle, Harvie and G H. Hazard. Price 50 cents. a 29 2w

MILL VIEW CREAMERY, LOT 49.

THERE are a few shares of stock in this profitable industry yet unsold. Parties wishing to invest will do well to apply immediately to

P. M. BOURKE.
Mill View, April 17, '82. 2aw wkly 2w

$20,000 City Debentures.

TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's Office, up to noon of

Saturday 6th May next,

for the purchase of ($20,000) Twenty Thousand Dollars Debentures of the City of Charlottetown.

These Debentures are of the denomination of $500 each, and are payable in twenty (20) years from date of issue, bearing interest at five (5) per cent. per annum, payable half yearly.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any Tender. Any further information required, as to the issue of debentures, can be had on application to the undersigned.

WM. B MORRISON,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office, April 12, 1882. 8w tf

TO LET.

THE premises on Water Street formerly occupied by Haszard Bros., adjoining the Bonded Warehouse. There are 2 rooms in the attic, 5 rooms on the second floor, 3 rooms and a shop on the ground floor, besides kitchen and scullery. There is a good cellar under the Building, fitted up expressly for curing Pork with Keeres and other appliances for Pork curing. Also a large warehouse attached to the Building, a small stable and moderate-sized yard in the rear. Apply to

HORACE HASZARD,
Charlottetown, April 29, 1882—1w eod

CARD.

ALL parties indebted to the Estate of the late Wm. R. Watson, Esq., are hereby notified that in order to wind up the affairs of the Estate, all Book accounts remaining unpaid on the 15th May next, will have to be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Courts for collection.

For the convenience of parties, I will be in attendance at the office of the Estate, at the City Drug Store, Queen Street, between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock, p. m., daily, where all payments may be made to me.

WILLIAM H. SHANKS.
Agent for Estate.

April 27, 1882—eod tf, ig 3i

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders in the Charlottetown Gas Light Company will take place at the Gas Works on TUESDAY, the 9th day of May next, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing Directors and the general transacting of business.

By order,
WM. MURPHY,
Manager and Secretary.

April 26, '81—2aw

To Shippers of Produce to Newfoundland.

BOWN & WOODS,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

ST. JOHN'S, N. F.,

Give particular attention to Shipments from Prince Edward Island. Consignments Solicited.

REFERENCES—
The Manager Union Bank, St. John's, N.F
Messrs. C. F. Bennett & Co., "
Messrs. Ayre & Marshall, "
John H. Cathrae, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

April 24, '82—pat 2m eod w 2m

TO LET.

THE Store and Dwelling, No. 62 Queen Street, next door to W. A. Weeks & Co's, and lately occupied by the subscriber, to whom application is to be made.

JOHN GAHAN.

Ch'town, March 21, '82—2w eod

SUBSCRIBE for the DAILY EXAMINER the Cheapest and most Newsy Paper Published in P. E. Island.

ALABASTINE

The New Preparation for Cleansing

WALLS & CEILINGS.

Far superior to Kalsomine.

Try it. For sale at the CITY HARDWARE STORE.

JOHN R. BOURKE, Jr.

May 3, '82—2w 3aw, wkly 1i

GRAND CONCERT

WILL BE HELD ON

Wednesday Ev'ng, 3rd May,

—IN THE—

MARKET HALL,

in aid of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

The Orchestral Club and the best musical talent in the city will take part.

Admission 25 cents. Reserved Seats 35 cents. Doors open at 7 p. m.; to commence at 8 p. m.

J. A. McKENNA,
Secretary.

April 28- till date

Notice to Debtors.

ALL parties indebted to the subscriber are hereby notified that all Book Accounts and other debts remaining unpaid on the 15th inst., will be placed in the hands of the Clerk of the Courts for collection.

JOHN GAHAN.

May 2, '82.

COAL. COAL.

A FEW TONS ROUND PICTOU COAL for sale for cash on delivery. Enquire at

KOUGHAN'S SCALES.

April 28, 1882.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

TO LET—That pleasantly-situated residence on DesBrisay Lane, Head of Hillsborough Street, formerly the property of P. W. Hyndman, now occupied by Mr. Unsworth. Possession on the 2nd June.—JAS. DESBRISAY. [ma 3

LOST—A Leather Trace, with six chain links at one end, on Upper Queen St, near Palmer's pump. The finder will please leave it at Horne, Pierce & Co's store, and be rewarded. [ma 3

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, at the Cornwall Cheese Factory, Fifty Thousand Sawn Spruce or Var Shingles, for which cash will be paid. Apply to Thos. & B. Seller, Cornwall [ma 2 5i

WANTED, by a young man having experience a situation as salesman or Book-keeper. Good references. Apply at this office. [ma 2 tf

WANTED, a competent girl for general housework. Apply at the EXAMINER office [ma 2

TO LET—The house now occupied by Dr. J. S Bagnall, Prince Street, 3 doors north of Atheneum, contains eight rooms, with good yard and outhouses. Possession given 1st June. For further particulars apply next door, to Robert F. Irving. [ma 1 eod

WANTED—Board and Lodging, consisting of four rooms, for a lady, three children and nurse. Apply to Capt. Maxwell, R. N, Westbourne. [ap 29 tf

WANTED—A good Cook. Must have first-class references from last situation. Apply by letter only to "Alpha," EXAMINER office. [ap tf

FOR SALE—One breech-loading Gun (No. 10,) with case, brass cartridges, &c., or will exchange for an A1 muzzle-loader. Apply to Box 83. a27 tf

TO LET—The second story of the Brick Building, on Queen Street, lately occupied as the Orange Hall. It is conveniently situated and well adapted for a Lawyer's office. Apply to MRS. OFFER, Queen Street. [fe 14 2aw

RODD'S BLANKET, WOOL, AND CURTAIN WASHER, a first-class article. Every housekeeper should have one. Also for sale, wholesale and retail, a good assortment of Tinware. Customers would do well to examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere. Shop opposite T. R. Jenkins', Queen Street.—ROBERT RODD, Practical Tinsmith. [ma 1 1m wkly

WANTED.—An active salesman, with a capital of three or four thousand dollars, to take an interest in an old established Dry Goods business in the city. Address Lock Box 135. [ap 27

WANTED—A smart, active girl to do general housework in a small family. Apply at the EXAMINER office. [ap 26

BOARDERS can be accommodated in a private residence, in a pleasant part of the city, the 1st May. For further particulars enquire at this office. [ap 19

TO LET—A House containing 5 rooms. Apply to James McLeod, Spring Park Road. [ap 19

TO LET—A Two-Story French Roof House, on Corner Euston and Cumberland Sts. Apply to Robert Fennel. ap 12 eod 2i

CITY HOTEL TO LET—This Hotel is finely situated, standing opposite the Bishop's Palace, on the highest ground in the city. It contains 37 rooms, and being contiguous to the Steam Navigation Company's Wharf, is admirably adapted for the accomodation of summer visitors to the Island. Terms easy. Apply to Messrs. Geo. Davies & Co., London House. ap 17

TO LET—Possession given the first of May, the House in King Street, at present occupied by A. Tomlins, Esq., City Clerk. Apply to WILLIAM DODD. [ap 14

TO LET—The House at present occupied by R. Slogget, Esq., at the head of Pownal Street. Possession given the 1st July next. Apply at this office. [ap 4 eod

TO LET—A house containing eight or eleven rooms, situate on Kent Street, half of the subscribers premises. Rent moderate. Apply to Francis McRory. mr7 f eod