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**MRS. BOSWALL.**  
April 26, 1880—tf

### Correspondence.

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

To the Editor of the Examiner.

DEAR SIR,—It appears that the water  
movement has made its appearance again  
among our citizens, disturbing the peace  
of many who think their taxes are as heavy  
as they can bear without any further tax-  
ation for water. Suppose the water should  
be forced upon us against our will, what  
would you have? You would have water  
you would not wish to drink, full of frog  
spawn and other filth such as the Halifax  
water is said to be at present—that is if we  
have it brought from any mill dam. If you  
want your water good and fresh hall it from  
Spring Park as many are doing at present.  
But you will say that you want a supply  
in case of fire. Well, sir, fire has raged  
and done any amount of damage in many  
great cities better supplied with water  
than you are likely ever to have in yours.  
Now I would ask our City Councillors  
what was their promise in regard to the  
Water Question I put that question to  
the two men I voted for, and they prom-  
ised they would oppose the water being  
brought into the city during the present  
pressure of the hard times which all our  
citizens must have felt more or less. I  
would ask: would it be fair to force the  
water supply upon us contrary to our  
wishes? would it not resemble an act of the  
faithless Turk, rather than that of men  
responsible to their constituents? Better  
leave the water supply as at present than be  
guilty of such an overbearing act. Why  
not test the matter properly at the polls  
and avoid doing anything rashly? If you  
try it by taking a vote you will find where  
the water men will be. They will be re-  
jected by a majority of their fellow citizens  
who have seen the folly of former City  
Councils that spent the money belonging  
to the city so lavishly and foolishly by  
boring on Mount Edward and bringing  
forth nothing, besides twice bringing  
an engineer from the other Provinces to  
make the preliminary surveys. Mr.  
Editor, our citizens are tired of such non-  
sense, and cannot afford to waste money  
on visionary and unprofitable schemes.  
Beware, city fathers, what you do, the  
voices that put you in your positions can  
just as easily put you out of them.  
Hoping these few rambling hints will  
be favorably received,  
I remain,  
A TAX-PAYER.

Ch'town, Sept. 25, 1880.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

DEAR SIR,—In looking over the Patriot  
of the 18th inst., I noticed a short letter  
over the signature of "One Who was Pres-  
ent," in which the writer takes the Hon.  
D. Ferguson to task for uttering a false-  
hood from his place in Parliament, with  
reference to the repeal or abolition of the  
Assessment Act, and in proof of his charges  
refers to a public meeting held at Mount  
Stewart, prior to the late election, at  
which he says Mr. Ferguson, on being  
questioned by Mr. Beer or Mr. Davies, as  
to whether the Sullivan Government  
would, if sustained, abolish the Assess-  
ment Act, vehemently replied in the affirma-  
tive.

Now, Mr. Editor, I was also present at  
said meeting, and what Mr. Ferguson did  
really say was in effect that, if the Sullivan  
Government was sustained, the Assessment  
Act, as it then stood on the Statute Book,  
would be "materially altered" or "re-  
pealed." This assertion, of course,  
"brought down the house." The electors  
present, evidently seeing there were men  
at the helm of State, who had some regard  
for their interests, and, unlike their prede-  
cessors, would make some move to carry  
out their well understood wishes; hence  
the applause which followed.

I can tell "One Who was Present" that  
what Mr. Ferguson stated at the Mount  
Stewart meeting was literally correct; as  
any man of ordinary intelligence will know  
that the Sullivan Government, notwith-  
standing that they had to provide for the  
large deficit left them by the Davies'  
regime, repair the damage caused by the  
great storm, &c., succeeded in "material-  
ly" lessening the amount to be collected  
under the Assessment Act, besides abolish-  
ing the obnoxious Poll Tax clause, thereby  
fulfilling the promise made by Mr. Fergu-  
son at Mount Stewart, that it would be  
"materially altered or repealed."

In conclusion, Mr. Editor, I would ad-  
vise "One Who was Present" that in the  
future, before he characterizes the public  
utterance of a more honest and straight-  
forward man than himself, as deliberate  
lying, he should base his charge on facts,  
and not, as in the present case, make him-  
self ridiculous in the eyes of every honest,  
intelligent man who listened to Mr. Fergu-  
son's statements at the meeting in ques-  
tion.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for so much  
of your valuable space,

I remain, yours truly,  
**ANOTHER WHO WAS PRESENT.**  
Queen's County, Sept. 24th, 1880.

When a tramp requires a glass of water, he  
steps up to the front door, rings the bell  
gently, and politely asks for Dr. Tanner's  
breakfast.

"It is a long lane that never has a turn,"  
but the average paper collar generally  
comes to it by Wednesday.

### A Noteworthy Incident.

In consequence of the death of Mr.  
Martin, keeper of the Hospital for the In-  
sane, Mr. P. S. Mulligan has been appointed  
keeper of that Institution, and it is needless  
to say that the appointment has been con-  
demned by the "Patriot" for being a "poli-  
tical one. We have on several occasions  
copied extracts to show that our contem-  
porary always endeavors to aggravate his  
opponents when one of his friends are pre-  
ferred, and it would be unreasonable to sup-  
pose that he would now keep quiet when  
thwarted in his mischievous schemes. The  
appointment of a political supporter so sel-  
dom occurs under Conservative rule that  
anyone except a habitual grumbler would be  
ashamed to cast reflections when one takes  
place, but the "Patriot" cannot avoid  
snarling at whatever happens. We are not  
familiar with the immediate cause of the  
choice made by the Government in this  
matter; but we hardly think any fair-  
minded person will blame them for overlooking  
the "Patriot's" choice of a candidate, owing  
to the provoking course he pursues when an  
officer is chosen from the opposition ranks.  
So long, however, as everyone else has rea-  
son to be satisfied with the selection, it is  
of very little importance what opinion the  
"Patriot" entertains regarding it. But,  
under the circumstances, we hardly expected  
to find the "Patriot" protesting against  
Mr. Mulligan's appointment when it is re-  
membered that he was ousted from office in  
1876, upon religious grounds, when the  
"Patriot's" friends wished to reward one of  
their political adherents. Mr. Mulligan  
was a faithful officer, and it ill-becomes  
the organ of a party that ejected him from  
office for conscience sake to carp at his re-  
cent appointment. Indeed, it is more than  
probable that the "Patriot" would again  
disqualify him for the same reason, not-  
withstanding his great liberal pretensions.  
And, strange to say, he pretends to be one  
of Gladstone's disciples.—K. C. Advertiser.

### Funeral Address.

At the funeral of William McLean, re-  
cently murdered at Bridgewater, Nova  
Scotia, the Rev. D. W. Johnson, in the  
course of his address, said:—

"What is the occasion of the terrible  
crime which has brought us here to-day?  
A strong man in health and the prime of  
life has suddenly been laid low in death,  
a wife has been left with a breaking heart,  
and a helpless family; four little children  
have been deprived of the protection of  
their youth, their bread-winner has sud-  
denly been cut down, and they stand ex-  
posed to the dangers of life, from many of  
which he would have guarded them. Deep  
gloom has settled upon our community for  
miles around, business has been almost en-  
tirely suspended for a week, a white man  
has been murdered, and a man with a black  
face, and a blacker heart, has been driven  
out, a vagabond on the earth under the  
execration of men and the wrath of God.  
But what was the cause of all this sorrow  
and crime? I answer without hesitation  
—it was rum! Rum raised the commo-  
tion, rum inflamed the passions, rum sharp-  
ened the assassin's dagger, and thrust the  
murderous blow. Men and brethren is  
this true? This is no time to call hard  
names, but I must say this rum traffic is  
the most ignoble of all the base occupa-  
tions of earth. To see a cripple, with no  
limbs to support him, with but one arm,  
and a slack brain, selling rum would be  
bad enough; but what shall we say of  
stalwart men of active minds, and arms  
strong for work, standing behind a counter  
to deal out liquid poison to the slaves of  
appetite, thus inflaming their passions, de-  
throning reason, and transforming men into  
savage beasts to the terror of the com-  
munity, and the death of useful citizens.  
Is it any wonder that the curse of God is  
pronounced against this traffic? "Woe to  
him that giveth his neighbor drink, that  
putteth thy bottle to him and maketh him  
drunk also."

My dear young men, my brothers, if any  
of you have been addicted to intemperance,  
give it up to-day. For your own sake, for  
the sake of your loved ones, for the safety  
and defence of others, not only give it up,  
but league yourselves against it and rest not  
until it is banished from our land. If there  
is a rum seller here to-day, within the  
sound of my voice, I beseech you in the  
name of man, in the name of God, give it  
up. The curse of God rests upon your  
traffic, his curse will rest upon you, will  
rest upon your family, will rest upon you  
in time, will rest upon you in eternity, if  
you repent not, and renounce your body-  
killing, soul destroying traffic.—Monitor.

FIRE.—What might have terminated in a  
serious fire occurred at Cardigan Bridge on  
Saturday last, at a vacant factory owned by  
Carvell Bros. When discovered the fire was  
burning rapidly, and as most of the male in-  
habitants of the village were absent at the  
time, a serious fire would certainly have re-  
sulted but for the assistance of the women  
of the place. Arranging themselves in a  
line, they passed buckets of water along to  
the few men on the building, and thus suc-  
ceeded in gaining the mastery over the  
flames, but not until two large holes were  
burned in the roof. The fire is supposed to  
have been caused by a spark from an adja-  
cent chimney.—Advertiser.

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Modern Argo. Strong men sigh for it—  
The heartache.