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For further particulars apply to Mr. Wm S. Stewart, Solicitor, Newson's Block, Charlottetown.

Dated this 10th day of March, A. D. 1897.

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# TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

## NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

A DAY WASTED.

The Government Blunders, Gets into a Pet and Adjourns the House.

OTTAWA, April 7.—The House of Commons sat less than an hour yesterday. The reason was that the Government tried to get the motion for the second reading of a bill passed before it was read; and when objection was taken Mr. Laurier refused to allow any other business to be done, and adjourned the House.

The Superannuation Bill was the measure the Government had set its heart on. La Riviere says that Manitoba had no such feeling in the matter, and reminded the Speaker that the bill had not been printed in both languages as the rule requires.

Mr. Laurier asked that the rule be waived but Mr. La Riviere did not consent, while Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Foster pointed out that the measure was not pressing for immediate attention and that the order paper contained enough other bills to occupy several weeks. But Mr. Laurier was angry and would have his bills or nothing. He got nothing.

Whip Taylor said that his Alien Labor bill was ready and wanted to go on with it, but Mr. Laurier announced that the Government intended to press its measures through and would not give private members any preference.

Hon. Mr. Foster pointed out, again, that the House could proceed with questions and motions.

But the Premier remained in a pet. Davies raged a little, and Casey, hot supporter of the Government as he is, put his foot into it by saying that one reason why the Ministers were willing to adjourn was that Hon. Mr. Fielding wanted time to get his budget ready. So the day was wasted, first through the blunders and secondly through the pettishness of the Government. But there is an impression that Mr. Casey is not far out of the way when he says that the Government is in no hurry.

It is not true that Sir Charles Tupper went to Montreal to see the Ablegate. The latter sent him a letter of introduction and Sir Charles called on him here yesterday in response to the letter as common politeness required him to do.

Mr. Laurier waited on Mgr. Merry Del Val on Sunday, Mr. Tarte on Monday and Senator Power, yesterday.

## THE CRETAN MATTER.

SITUATION DISTINCTLY IMPROVED.

France Supporting Great Britain.

LONDON, April 7.—No important changes have taken place in the attitude of Greece, Turkey or the Powers. But the general impression is that the situation has been distinctly improved.

The Greek Independence Day, which it was feared would cause hostilities on the frontier, passed almost uneventfully.

There is no longer any doubt that France is supporting Lord Salisbury and is in favor of a milder policy. Russia, therefore, is not likely to insist upon a severe measure against Greece.

Intercolonial Railway.

HALIFAX, April 7.—The Board of Trade and City Council of this city have decided to favor the extension of the Intercolonial to Montreal.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Montreal, April 3.—Canadian Pacific railway earnings for the week ending March 31st were \$536,000; for the same period last year, \$463,000; increase, \$73,000.

Cheyenne, Wyo. April 4.—Five ranchmen from Mitchell's Bottoms, Western Nebraska, perished in the blizzard raging the past two days while attempting to drive to Cheyenne. It is feared many others perished.

New York, April 4.—The ocean steamship companies, with the departure of today's steamers, inaugurated what is known as the "summer rates" for tourists, which are increased 20 per cent over the winter rates. Steamship agents say that there is every prospect of a record-breaking season in European travel.

Boston, April 5.—The shipments of apples from this port to the European market for the season ending last Saturday reached 1,005,665 barrels, which is unprecedented in the annals of apple export business in this country. For the season, which comprises eight months, the total shipments from the United States and Canada, including those from Boston, New York, Portland, Philadelphia, Montreal, Halifax, N. S., and St. John, N. B., amounted to 2,848,683 barrels.

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ANONYMOUS SCRIBBLERS AGAIN.

SIR,—In your issue of the 26th ult., appears an article signed "Observer," which I wish to inform you is a tissue of malicious falsehoods from beginning to end. There was no public meeting at East Baitic. Nor did that schoolhouse and hall at the Glen yet materialize. Neither can my barn be seen at a distance of six miles. I am building an ordinary-sized barn, which, when completed, will suit my requirements.

We regret to state that too many false reports have of late years been forwarded and published in THE EXAMINER and Patriot newspapers, from this eastern section, thus deceiving the publishers and the reading public, and not credit-ble to the shallow craniums from which such rigmaroles emanated. So far as Glencorrodale is concerned we were free from such fictitious news items, until our members were augmented by recent contingents, some of whom, in all probability, carried those propensities from other parts. We presume they were assisted by a silly top, who made himself ridiculous by his veils and in-u-lts in passing my residence at certain times.

In conclusion, we hope to see no more of such malicious scribbling; but, if they choose to attack me or my surroundings in future they must write over their signatures, as I am always prepared to stand up for truth and justice.

NEIL MCPHER.

Glencorrodale, April 5th, 1897.

PLEBISCITE VOTE.

SIR,—This morning's Guardian announces editorially that "it is semi-officially announced that the government will not feel obliged to bring in a prohibitory law unless a clear majority of all the electors of the country ask for it," and summarily dismisses this most extraordinary announcement by giving the calculation that it will require 500,000 yes votes to meet this requirement.

Now, Mr. Editor, when the temperance people accepted the government's offer of testing the strength of the temperance vote—such a condition was as much named and should be protested against at once by all prohibitionists before being officially announced.

Let us consider what that condition means—my information on the registered vote of Canada at present gives it at 1,355,335, and a majority of that vote would be 676,868 instead of 500,000 as given by the Guardian. And taking the vote polled at the last general election, 890,711 it will be seen that over seventy-five per cent. of the vote then polled will be necessary to satisfy that condition. But it is quite evident judging by the votes polled at C. T. A. contests and on the plebiscites taken in Ontario, Manitoba, Nova Scotia and P. E. Island, that we cannot get out a total vote to exceed 600,000 or less than the vote required by the condition named. That is, if the votes polled do not exceed 676,868 it will require to be unanimous. Will any sane man predict such a vote? The requirement named is, in the light of the information we have, one impossible of fulfilment, and we should understand it at once; and if the Guardian's statement be correct, abandon the contest before spending any further time or energy over it. But surely it cannot be true; for the Government must have a higher idea of the intelligence of the temperance people than to suppose they would go into a contest so quixotic. In conclusion, I hope the temperance people will not be silent on this matter, for now is the time to speak out. There are other points in connection with such a condition that I would like to touch on, but this letter is now too lengthy.

Yours truly,

JOHN ANDERSON.

Kensington, April 5, 1897.

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PROMISE AND PRACTICE.

SIR,—In answer to a question asked by Mr. McCormack, M. P., in the House of Commons a few days ago, Mr. Davies, Minister of Marine, said that the Government would adhere as closely as possible to the rule not to appoint any lightkeeper over 40 years old.

Two new lightkeepers have been appointed in this Lot and both of them are over fifty-five years old. There was also a number of young men well qualified for the position made application, but were all passed over and Mr. Wiggins, brother-in-law of Mr. Davies, was appointed to take charge of Darley light and William Sinclair, an old man, appointed to keep Fish Island light at the entrance of Malpique Harbor—the most important harbor on the north side of the Island. Both the previous keepers did their duty and paid good attention to the lights. But they were dismissed to make room for two hungry office seekers who know no more about keeping lights than discovering the north pole.

Lot 18.

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Boom ta ra ra boom te a,  
Boom ta ra ra boom te a.  
[Repeat.]

If there is a "run" I set the "pace," The others think they're in the race, But they're not in it, push as they may, I'm always the fellow that wins the cay

CHORUS:—"Ta ra ra."

Bicycles good and bicycles bad,

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CHORUS:—"Ta ra ra."

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