

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

FEBRUARY 3, 1894.

RATE OF DUTY PAID.

The Patriot has discovered "something wrong" in the statement of imports published by THE EXAMINER.

Here is a statement of the goods imported and entered for consumption, for the year ending 31st December, 1893—

Total... \$422,776 \$129,012
The average duty payable on the above as entered for consumption, is 30.9-10 per cent.

If we deduct kerosene, oil, liquors, wines, etc., entered for consumption, from the above, the results will be as follows:

Total... \$28,602 \$72,982.22
Total of all other goods, free and dutiable, entered for consumption, \$390,419, \$59,716.18, upon which the average duty paid was 15.29 per cent.

It is expected that the heavy duty now imposed upon kerosene oil will be reduced here coming session.

FATTENING BEEF.

One of the most important parts of our improved farming is the fattening of beef and mutton in winter.

The great advantage is in having animals that can be fattened at an early age.

In feeding, it is of the utmost importance to preserve a well-balanced ration.

It is this rich feed that tells in the manure pile. Manure from fattening animals is worth three times as much as from those on common rations.

It needs steady work and attention to take proper care of a stable-fodder of fattening cattle. They will stand no neglect.

deligent work. But the true farmer will take the work without a murmur, while he sees ahead of him the certain promise of accumulating richness for his farm.

MERCHANTS BANK OF HALIFAX.

General Statement, Dec. 30th, 1893.

Table with columns for LIABILITIES and ASSETS, listing various bank items and their values.

Special... \$187,539.03
Dominion notes... 465,299.00
Notes and cheques on banks... 225,338.14

Real estate (other than bank premises) on real estate sold by the bank... 1,000.00
Bank premises... 60,000.00

By balance... \$ 3,799.77
By balance, Dec. 30, 1893... 1,000.00

By balance... \$10,000.00
By balance, Dec. 30, 1893... 33,000.00

By balance... \$10,000.00
By balance, Dec. 30, 1893... 33,000.00

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

"Party politics in civic elections—what nonsense! Elect the best men, irrespective of their politics."

"No question about Mr. Dawson's and it is a good one. What has the Hon. Mr. Havelock to say about it?"

"The statement published to-day shows a good profit for the Merchants Bank of Halifax, and a thoroughly sound position."

"The Earl of Carleton has given a practical illustration of his belief in the drink evil, by destroying the contents of his famous wine cellar. This is a good example for some of our local politicians."

"One of our esteemed young ladies, Miss Jane Forbes, had a rather thrilling experience last Saturday night. She left her home about one and a half miles from the village at 5 o'clock in the evening to attend a church practice in the village."

"La grippe is very prevalent in this vicinity. Our esteemed young Dr. Matheson has all the business he can attend to. La grippe has no chance when the doctor meets him."

ABOUT "THE MAGIC CITY."

PARY II. has arrived. Coupons should be brought in at once. It is more than likely we shall have to order more, judging from the fact that our second supply of Part I. ran out yesterday afternoon shortly after the paper was published.

- 1. View from South Basin.
2. General View of State Buildings, No. 1.
3. General View of State Buildings, No. 2.
4. Promenade and Gas Torches, Administration Building.

Part Number Two, which is now ready for delivery, contains the following engravings:

- 5. A Dromsary of the Steepes.
6. East India Jugglers.
7. Mammals Exhibit.
8. Austria's Fine Art Exhibit.
9. Entrance to German Village.

The big snowstorm has been a fruitful source of conversation for the past two weeks, but the recent one has been the snow considerably, and winter farm work is being gradually resumed.

An unwelcome visitor—la grippe—has come among us this winter, and is doing his work with a sure and steady hand. Many are laid on beds of sickness, and a few have succumbed to the disease.

Our temperance lodge is doing good work this winter; the meetings are well attended and are very interesting.

On the evening of the 23rd ult., the Kingsboro Literary and Dramatic Club favored us with a fine concert, the proceeds going to the Kingsboro organ fund. The music was especially good; the pieces being excellently rendered, while Mr. McLean's performance on the violin was highly appreciated and heartily applauded.

The "Magic City." Save your numbers of the "Magic City" and have them bound by J. D. TAYLOR, at J. D. McLeod's old corner.

The "Magic City" when bound, will make a valuable and interesting book.

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Syrup of Figs.

Produced from the laxative and nutritious juice of California figs, combined with the medicinal virtues of plants known to be most beneficial to the human system.

We are now unpacking some new patterns in silverware which we neglected to open during the Christmas rush.

Men's Meetings.—Don't forget the men's meeting in Philharmonic Hall at 8.30, to be addressed to Conductor McKay.

LOCAL NOTICES. Advertisements under this heading charged for at the rate of ten cents per line.

Men's White Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Ties, cheap.—Moore & McLeod. Men's Wool Underwear, big variety, best value.—Moore & McLeod.

To the Electors of Charlottetown. GENTLEMEN.—In response to the vote of the Public Meeting on the 31st ult., it is my intention to nominate for the office of Mayor for the ensuing term, and if elected the following matters shall have my special attention.

The "Magic City." Save your numbers of the "Magic City" and have them bound by J. D. TAYLOR, at J. D. McLeod's old corner.

Tea Meeting. The People of Murray Harbor South intend having a Public Tea in their New Hall on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of February.

25 PER CENT DISCOUNT. GIVEN ON Men's and Women's Felt-lined Boots, Ladies' Felt Slippers, Ladies' and Gents' German Felt Slippers.

SEE OUR WINDOW! J. B. Macdonald & Co. Charlottetown, Feb. 1, 1894—col.

Lobster Packers, ATTENTION! Having been appointed Agent for the North Atlantic Fishery, I have the honor to announce that I have secured the delivery of some of the best Fish Stock, and warranted superior to any being offered.

BUY YOUR Carpets! Oilcloths. MASTIFF PLUG CUTS the thing. It will give the pipe a rich handsome color and YOU'LL get an enjoyable smoke.

Canada Accident Assurance Co.

Capital, \$500,000. Largest Assets in Canada of any Accident Assurance Company doing business in Canada.

TELEGRAPHIC. SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER. Notes from the Capital.

OTTAWA, Feb. 3. The Ottawa Journal (Independent) calls the majority of the Nova Scotia Legislative Council "a collection of liars," and says the miserable breach of faith by a majority of the Council for the sake of \$5,000 a year, shows of what timber such wretches miniature upper chambers are likely to be composed of.

Billiard Tournament. CINCINNATI, O., Feb. 3. A second game in the billiard tournament in which Snapec, Ives and Slosson are contending, took place last night between Ives and Slosson, the former winning by 600 to 334.

The Trade Barometer. NEW YORK, Feb. 3. R. G. Dun & Co's weekly review of trade review says: "Commercial failures for the week number 51 in Canada against 45 last year."

Liquor Again. MONTREAL, Feb. 3. Charles Pyle, aged 22, living on East Dorchester Street, became intoxicated last evening and shot himself through the heart.

Big Firm in Trouble. NEW YORK, Feb. 3. Wm. Eggert & Co., wholesale dealers in tobacco, ask for an extension. Creditors liabilities \$200,000.

Failures in Boston. BOSTON, Feb. 3. Feilder, Moeldner & Co., dress trimmings, have failed. Liabilities, 50,000.

USE SKOTVA'S DISCOVERY, the great blood and nerve remedy.

BIBLES. JUST ARRIVED AT CARTER'S BOOKSTORE. A Supply of Nicely Bound Bibles, Hymn Books, Prayer Books, the Poets, etc.

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Brains & Printer's Ink. Your own Brains and THE EXAMINER'S Printer's Ink tell you every day that JAS. PATON & CO'S. Carpet Department is the proper place to purchase all your Carpets, Blinds and General House Furnishings.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP. I have this day admitted into Partnership JOHN A. McLAREN and INGRAM WOOD. JAMES PATON. In introducing two young and energetic men into the active management of the business, the firm, we believe, will be able to serve more efficiently the interests of our numerous friends in town and country, to whom we take this opportunity of tendering our best thanks for the liberal support accorded to us in the past.

JAMES PATON & CO. Charlottetown, February 1st, 1894.

COLONIAL HOUSE, PHILLIPS SQUARE. DISCOUNTS EXTRAORDINARY. Owing to the death of our senior partner, MR. HENRY MORGAN, and the consequent re-arrangement of the firm, we intend making an extraordinary effort during the month of January to reduce our stock to the lowest possible point, that everything may be in good shape for starting the new business in February.

HENRY MORGAN & CO. MONTREAL. We have a Few Hundred Pairs of BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS, ODD LINES, LEFT FROM THE SEASON'S TRADE.

Coupons for Portfolio No. 2. THE EXAMINER'S HISTORICAL ART SERIES OF THE World's Fair and Midway Plaisance, "THE MAGIC CITY."

Try a Barrel of Excelsior Flour. The demand for EXCELSIOR FLOUR is steadily increasing, as nearly everyone who once tries it will have no other. Having a large proportion of the best Manitoba Hard Wheat in it, it requires a great deal more water than other Flours, and turns out several more loaves of bread to the barrel. It also keeps moist longer, and does not dry in a day or so after being baked. For sale at BEER & GOFF.

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