To the Editor of Haszard's Gazette.

Sir;

You are doubtless aware, that on the occasion of the Assembly going into Committee, a few evenings since, on the subject of the petitions against the Rent Roll Tax and Tenants' Compensation Bills, the Leader of the government, the Hon. George Coles, opened the *debate* by a lengthy speech, which, for low, vulgar, fashion hed and libellous scurrility, has seldom been equalled—even on the floor of the Assembly. The objects of attack, were those Proprietors and Proprietary agents, whose names were affixed to the petitions against the rejected Bills, who had been guilty of exercising a privilege, confirmed to every subject by the Bill of Rights. As one who was honoured by the largest share of abuse, I wish to give publicity to my reasons for not replying to the slanders alleged against me by the Leader of the Government.

The *Hon.* George Coles, who holds the office of Col. Secretary of this Island, the duties of which office he *performs by deputy*, being himself incapable of writing an ordinary letter, in anything approaching decent English—is a very presumptuous and vulgar man, as well as a very illiterate one; he has succeeded in appointing himself to an office, and in attaining a position for which he is quite disqualified. His political career has been marked by an utter disregard of truth and principle. Low personal abuse is very often by him, heaped upon his opponents, in reply to their arguments:—" *I say how the statements made by the Hon. Speaker are* FALSE," and " *I say how the hon. member tells a* LIE," are correct specimens of his *slang*, on the floor of the House of Assembly. I heard him utter both, and I believe the one as much, with little or no variation, are to be found recorded on the Journals, together with the *hon.* gentleman's apologies, as dictated to him by the House. On the occasion of a debate, as to the wording of the apology, which Mr. Coles should be require l to make, for having used one of the *set speeches*, his friend, the late Mr. Rae, urged upon the consideration of the House, in mitigation of the offence, that " *Mr. Coles was ignorant of those amenities, those courtesies, which are observed among gentlemen!*" I am satisfied some members of the present House, including the hon. the Speaker, must well remember this circumstance. For the reason, therefore, that I consider the Hon George Coles to be a low, vulgar fellow, who is in the habit of making statements to suit his purpose, regardless whether they are true or false, and addicted to the use of foul and scurrilous language—a man "whose native vulgarity, ignorance and presumption, the waters of the broad Hillsborough would never wash out," I deny accord to him the right to abuse me on the floor of the House, in terms the most grammatical and elegant to be found in his vocabulary, believing that I shall rise in the estimation of all good men, in exact proportion as I may fall in that of the Honorable George Coles.

Yours, &c.,
W. H. POPE.

Charlottetown, March 28, 1856.

House of Assembly, March 18.

Your Committee to whom were referred the several Petitions, praying aid to Teachers who have not complied with all the provisions of the Education Law, having examined the said Petitions, recommend that the several undermentioned persons be allowed as follows, viz. :

Letitia Muirhead,	£10	0	0
To the Secretary of the Board of Education for James Gillanders, for four months' services,	10	0	0
Archibald Bickford,	25	0	0
Michael Dinn, for one year,	25	0	0
Henry Leckey, for one year ending July, 1856,	25	0	0
Mathew Reville, for 12 months,	25	0	0
Mary Ann Murphy, for one year,	12	0	0
Thomas Mansfield,	20	0	0
Laughlin McPhee, Lot 46, for nine months,	15	0	0
Alfred A. McKenzie, for services performed previous to the passing of the Free Education Act.	10	0	0
Richard Barry, in full for past services,	5	0	0
Elizabeth Wright, Bedeque,	7	0	0
James Condon, Lot 30,	10	0	0
Duncan McDonald, for six months to 6th March, 1856,	15	0	0
Murdoch McKenzie, Rona Settlement, Lot 62, for twelve months' services ending January, 1856,	25	0	0

Your Committee having examined the Petition of the Inhabitants of St. Eleanor's, are of opinion—from the little information received—that it is inexpedient to entertain the prayer of the said petition.

Your Committee having also examined the Petition of the Trustees of the Georgetown Grammar School, submit that it is inexpedient to add to the salary of the Teacher.

Your Committee would recommend that, in future, no Petition praying for an allowance to unlicensed Teachers be entertained by the House, unless it shall clearly appear that the Inhabitants petitioning, could not obtain a Teacher qualified according to Law.

Your Committee would also recommend that when the House is in Committee of Supply, a sum be appropriated for the purchase of French School Books, for the use of the Acadian Schools.

Your Committee also have had under their consideration the Petition of the Trustees of the Brudenell District School and others, and from the allegations set forth in the said Petition, they recommend that when the House is in supply, the sum of £20 be and be granted to the Trustees of the above mentioned School for seven months of Mr. Irving's services as Teacher.

Your Committee submit, that when the House is in Committee of Supply, a sum sufficient be appropriated and paid for the services herein set forth, agreeably to the foregoing recommendations.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Vere Beck, Esquire, a Commissioner for the recovery of Small Debts for Murray Harbour, in the place of the Honorable Thomas Clow.

His Excellency in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Hugh Montgomery, Harbour and Ballast Master for Hardy's Point, Bedeque, in the terms of the Act of 12 Victoria, cap. 18.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. George Hicker to be Assayer of Weights and Measures for St. Mary's Bay, Lot 61.

LOOK HERE!

FOR SALE, the LAND and PREMISES situate on the Corner of Hillsborough and Grafton Streets, and immediately opposite the Property of William Bevan. For particulars, apply to the Subscriber,—

JAMES J. BEVAN.

Charlottetown, April 3, 1856.

Notice to Shop and Innkeepers.

THE Subscriber notifies the Shopkeepers, &c , in Queen's County, that he intends shortly visiting their Shops, and those who have illegal weights and measures had better lose no time in sending them to his Office to be Assayed.

JOHN BOYYER,
Ass. of Weights & Measures.

Assayer's Office,
City of Charlottetown,
April 4th, 1856.

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Very respectfully yours,
T. A. COSGROVE & CO.

P. S. All orders promptly attended to.

In the House of Assembly.

April 1, 1856

THE following Circular having been presented to the House, was ordered to be inserted in all the Newspapers published in Charlottetown.

JOHN M'NEILL, C. H. A.

16 A. Great George St., Westminister, 12th March, 1856.

Gentlemen,—We have much pleasure in informing you, that we are commanded by His Royal Highness Prince Albert to convey to you the thanks of the Royal Commissioners of the Patriotic Fund, for the efficient manner you have hitherto given them in carrying into effect Her Majesty's gracious intentions.

We are further directed to request that you will confer on them the additional favor of conveying their grateful thanks to the various subscribers.

We have the honor to be Gentlemen.

Your obedient servants,

(Signed)
E. G. Fishbourne, Capt. R. N., } Honorary
J. H. Lefroy, Captain R. A., } Secretaries.

ATTENTION!

THE SALE OF FANCY & STAPLE DRY GOODS

At the Store of Mr. N. Rankin, Queen-St.

WILL be resumed on THURSDAY next, the 10th instant, at 11 o'clock, when will be offered—

Rich Glacie shaded and embossed Silk Dresses, 5-8 and 4-4 Black Glacie Silks.

A few very handsome Silk and Worsted Barege Dresses; Cashmeres, Coburgs, Alpacas, Orleans, Alma Plaids, Inkerman Robes, Earlston Ginghams and Derries, with a general assortment of—

Fancy and useful Goods.

Also—Chests Congou TEA,
Puns. choice Porto Rico MOLASSES.

W. T. PAW, Auctioneer.

April 3, 1856.

NOTICE OF SALE.

MR. LOBBAN has been favoured with instructions from Wm. Forbes, Esq. to announce that he will shortly sell by Auction, at the residence of that gentleman, the whole of his Household Furniture, Carriage, Buggy, Harness, Excellent Cow, &c. &c.

March 22nd. 1856.

Clerk Wanted.

BY one of the first establishments in the City, address A. T. C. Post Office. Stating Salary, &c. March, 26th 1856.

JOHN HARPER,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,

(*Queen-St, in Mr. Desbrisay's Buildings.*)

Solicits the patronage of the public, and will endeavor to merit the confidence of all who may favor him with business in the above line. Feb, 11, 1856.

THOMAS & DAWSON

WILL BE OBLIGED BY AN

EARLY SETTLEMENT

WITH

ALL PERSONS

Whose Accounts have been furnished up to 31st December last

26th March, 1856.

AUCTIONS.

BY AUCTION.

The Brigantine "JEMIMA,"

NOW laying at Crapaud, will be sold by Auction on TUESDAY the 8th day of April next, at 12 o'clock, at noon, in front of the Province Building, together with all the Masts, Spars, Rigging and Sails belonging to her. She is 90 tons, carries a large cargo, is nearly new, built and registered November 1854. Persons desirous of inspecting her will please apply to Capt. Sinclair, on board, and further information will be given by—

JAMES N. HARRIS.

Charlottetown,
March 18, 1856.—R. G. 3i

Sole owner.

AUCTION SALE OF Household Furniture and Farming Implements.

THE undersigned is instructed to offer at Auction on Thursday, 1st May next, at 11 o'clock, forenoon, on the premises at Spring Park.

The Household Furniture, Farming Implements and Live Stock, together with Hay and Oats, &c , the

Property of Lieut. Colonel Gray.

Terms.—All sums under five pounds cash on delivery; sums over five pounds a credit of six months, on approved notes of hand.

JAMES MORRIS.
Auctioneer.

Charlottetown, March 20.

VALUABLE PROPERTY.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, the ninth day of April next, (1856,) at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, at the Colonial Building in Charlottetown, pursuant to License, duly granted for that purpose by his Honor the Surrogate and Judge of Probate of this Island, bearing date the Twelfth day of February, A. D. 1856. All the Right, Title and Interest of the late Honorable DONALD M'DONALD, of Glenaladale, Township Number Thirty-six, (36) deceased in and to the following Land and Real Estate,

Namely—All that Tract, Piece or Parcel of Land, situate, lying and being on Division No. Four, (4) on the Plan of the Estate of said Thomas, from actual survey in July 1828, and filed in the Plan Office, made by the late William Curtis, bounded as follows, that is to say—Commencing at a square stake fixed on the north edge of the East Post Road, or so-called St. Peter's Road, in the east boundary of a tract of Land in possession of Robert Cairns, thence (according to the magnetic north of the year 1764) north for the distance of One hundred and nine (109) chains, or until it meets the south boundary of Division No. five, (5) thence east for the distance of Twenty-nine (29) chains to the north-west angle of Division number Three, (3) thence south for the distance of Thirty-four, (34) chains to the north boundary of the old Glebe and School Land, thence west Twelve (12) chains and Fifty (50) links, thence south Sixty-one (61) chains to said Road, thence following the various courses of the said Road South-westwardly to the place of commencement, containing Two hundred and twelve (212) acres of Land, a little more or less, and is part of Lot or Township Number Thirty-five, (35) in Prince Edward Island.

The above Land will be sold in several Plots or Divisions. For further particulars, and conditions of Sale, apply to the Subscriber at Glenaladale, or at the Office of the Honorable Joseph Hensley, in Charlottetown.

JOHN ARCH. M'DONALD,
Administrator of the Estate of the said late Honorable Donald M'Donald.

Charlottetown, 1st March, 1856.

FREEHOLD ESTATE For Sale without reserve, on the Premises.

BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on Tuesday the Thirteenth day of May next, at noon, all that Lot of Land, situate and being between Crabbe's Hotel, and Peter M'Phail's Dwelling House, having a breadth of fifty feet on the Street, with a depth of of one hundred and sixty feet on to the shore. On this Lot, there are two buildings erected, one of which is divided into two convenient Shops, and the other is at present occupied by Mrs. Connors, as a Dwelling House and Store. There is also a spacious Granary or Warehouse. The whole yielding an annual rent of £36 currency, and is one of the best stands for business in this thriving and progressive village.

The terms of sale, will be ten per cent deposit, and the remainder on delivery of the Deed. A good title will be given.

For further information, please apply to the Hon. Charles Young, Charlottetown.

WILLIAM WARWICK.

Charlottetown, March 29, 1856 Ex.

GOVERNMENT SALE!

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, on THURSDAY the 17th April, at 12 o'clock, at Peake's Wharf,

the fast-sailing Yacht & Surveying Tender "SPEEDWELL,"

about 20 tons measurement, with Masts, Rigging and Sails complete, together with a small lot of IRON BALLAST.

JAMES MORRIS, Auctioneer.

April 2, 1856.—1d & Ex

Sale of Valuable Town Lots.

BY AUCTION on TUESDAY, 29th April, at 12 o'clock on the premises

4 Valuable TOWN LOTS,

pleasantly situated and near the residence of Judge Barrow, being Lots 28, 29, 30 and 62, in the first Hundred of Town Lots.

The property will be put up in Lots to suit purchasers and will be well worthy the attention of parties wishing to build, as each of them commands a fine view of the Hillsborough and the Harbour.

Terms—20 per cent to be paid down and the balance to remain upon security.

For further particulars apply to the Subscriber.

JAMES MORRIS,
Auctioneer.

Charlottetown, April 2, 1856. Isl. Ex.

CABINET, CHAIR AND SOFA Manufactory.

Queen Square, in the rear of Haszard's Gazette Office.

THE Subscriber having engaged a part of the Steam Power belonging to the above Establishment, is now prepared to manufacture every article appertaining to his business. Having left P. E. Island (his former home,) several years since, and been during that time, employed in some of the best Shops in the United States, he feels confident, that he can give satisfaction to those who may please to patronize him; he has obtained a knowledge of the modern and antique styles of Cabinet work, and as an aid to his business, has introduced some of the most approved Labor-saving Machinery, and also, a supply of the best WOODS used in Cabinet work, consisting of Mahogany, Black Walnut and Rosewood, which with Bird's-eye Maple, Curle Birch, &c , he can make up to order in the best style and shortest notice.

☞ Turning, straight and sweep-sawing executed with despatch to any pattern.

Drilling and Boring also done.

PATRICK HICKEY.

January 1st, 1856.

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

THE above Company now Insures all kinds of Property, both in Town and Country, at One-half the Premium usually charged by Foreign Companies. Persons insuring in this Company have their share in the profits, which amount to above One Thousand Pounds within the few years it has been in operation, and the Interest now received on the Capital overpays the annual expense of working the Company. For all particulars, inquire at the Secretary's Office in Kent Street, Charlottetown; W. R. Avery, Esq., Georgetown; John Haszard, Esq., St. Eleanor's; James C. Pope, Esq., Summerside; Stephen Wright, Esq., Bedeque; Edwin Parker, Esq , Traveller's Rest; James Beaconsfield, Esq., Princetown Royalty; Jeremiah Simpson, Esq , Cavendish; James Pidgeon, Esq. New London; Richard Hudson, Esq., Tryon; George Wigginton, Esq., Crapaud; W. S. Macgowan, Esq., Souris; Hon. James Dingwell, Bay Fortune, or John Sutherland, Esq., St. Peter's Bay.

Charlottetown, 4th March, 1856.—1si

Cigars! Cigars!!

FOR SALE at very Low Prices. The Subscribers have received—

22,000 superior Cheroots,

on Consignment, with instructions to effect a speedy Sale.

HASZARD & OWEN.

City Clerk's Office.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at this Office until Monday the 7th day of APRIL next at 12 o'clock, noon, from persons willing to contract for the erection and hanging of a FIRE BELL in the Turret on the City Hall, according to a specification of the same which may be seen on application at said office, where every information relating thereto will be given.

Securities will be required for the due and faithful performance of the said contract.

W. B. WELLNER, City Clerk.

Ch. Town, March 26, 1856.