

Mr. Gladstone.

Mr. Grant Duff, in the course of one of his addresses to his constituents, said that some years ago, when Mr. Gladstone's administration was in power, a clever Tory, who hated both Mr. Gladstone and his administration, wrote the following acrostic:—

G was the great man, mountain of mind; L a logician, expert and refined; A was an adept in rhetoric's art; D was the dark spot he had in his heart; S was the sophistry led him astray; T was the truth he bartered away; O was the epithet his conscience became; N the new light that enlightened the same; E was the Evil One, shouting for joy— "At it, and down with it, Gladstone my boy!"

This acrostic was repeated in a drawing-room in the presence of a young lady of Liberal principles, and the daughter of a well-known member of Parliament, who, without leaving the room, went to a table and wrote this answer to it:

G is the genius that governs the nation; L are the Lords that require education; A is the animus raised by the great; D are the donkeys who fear for the State; S is the standard that Liberals raise; T are the Tories who howl in dispraise; O's Opposition, wanting a head; N is the nation, not driven but led; E is Old England shouting for joy— "Stick to the Government, Gladstone my boy!"

Didn't Marry the Whole Family.

BUT HE HAD TO SUPPORT THEM—APPEALING TO THE COURT FOR PROTECTION.

"Judge," said Bernard McLaughlin, of No. 63 Cherry street, at the Tombs yesterday, "I'm in a heap of trouble, and I've come to you for advice."

"What is it all about?" asked Justice O'Reilly.

"At a picnic two months ago I made the acquaintance of the handsomest girl I ever saw. I fell in love at first sight and proposed marriage before I left the grounds that night.

"What answer did you receive?"

"She said, 'If ma consents I am satisfied.' Two weeks after we were married. Last Monday my mother-in-law came with a trunk and said she had come to stay with us a month."

"Go on," said the judge, as the man stopped and moaned.

"Well, her coming made me so angry that I went on a drunk that night and when I reached home my mother-in-law gave me a beating and warned me against coming home drunk again if I didn't want to get killed."

"What did your wife say to that?"

"She was in bed, urging her mother to stop beating me, but she would reply, 'Maria, we must break him off the habit at the beginning, as my mother did to your pa.'"

"What next?" queried the court.

"On Wednesday my sister-in-law arrived and said she couldn't live without her ma. I raised no objection, but when yesterday my father-in-law came with his trunk my patience was exhausted, and turning angrily to my wife, I said: 'Maria, I married you but not your whole family, and I don't intend to support them.'"

"What was the result of your declaration?"

"My wife burst into tears, called me a wretch, and threw a tin kettle at me; my sister-in-law followed that with a shoe; my mother-in-law attacked me with a broom, and my father-in-law tried to down me in the John L. Sullivan style."

"This is all very amusing," soliloquized the justice; "but what can I do?"

"I want you to send an officer to my house and drive those who have no business there out."

"Why not do it yourself? Our officers have no right to interfere in matrimonial troubles."

"Have I the right?"

"Yes, but you must not use any violence."

"Oh, I will be very gentle," said he, satirically. "I'll throw them out and their trunks after them."—N. Y. World.

Special Notices.

WHITE COTTON FLANNEL 9 cents a yard, (good) at J. B. Macdonald's. (au 4 da wk)

CHEAPEST, best and latest styles in Hats at L. E. Prowse's. (au 8)

CHEAPEST YEL.—For two weeks we will sell Misses Oil Goat Button Boots for \$1.65 per pair (worth \$2.25), sizes 11, 12, 13, 1, 2.—DORSEY, GOFF & CO. (ly 28)

BEER & GOFF are selling Dingham's Electric Soap. (aug 8)

GREY COTTON at 4 1/2 cents a yard; best value in town at J. B. Macdonald's. (au 4 da wk)

NEW HATS just received to-day; 3 cases American Hats at L. E. Prowse's. (au 8)

ANOTHER supply of Muric Acid for lobster packers, just received at Dawson's. (jun 25 pat)

BRING your shoes along and get rubber soles put on for Lawn Tennis.—DORSEY, GOFF & CO.

TWENTY-FIVE yards strong Sewing Cotton, for one dollar, at L. E. Prowse's. (aug 8)

A NEW STOCK of Black Velveteens at J. B. Macdonald's. (au 4 da wk)

EVERY farmer should get one of R. K. Brazer's Air Rotary Churns, and test them as the prizes for butter this year are very large. A few have been tested and spoken very highly of. It is said they preserve the grain of the butter, and as a result, it will keep longer. (ly 17, da wk)

OUR Boots and Shoes are giving great satisfaction.—DORSEY, GOFF & CO. (june)

HOOP SKIRTS for 25 cents a sett at J. B. Macdonald's. (au 4 da wk)

GOOD SHEETING, at nine cents per yard, at L. E. Prowse's. (aug 8)

MORE new Hats at L. E. Prowse's. (aug 8)

LIME JUICE.—Pure L. out of Lime Fruit Juice on draught, at the Apothecaries Hall, Desbrisay's Corner. (june 2)

ENTERPRISING PHOTOGRAPHERS.—Messrs. G. H. Cook & Co. deserve great credit for the excellent photographs they are producing. (aug 9 31)

STRAWBERRIES and Cream at the "Little Shop around the Corner," and at the Star Confectionery. (june 21)

ENGLISH MALT VINEGAR at Beer & Goff's. (ly 9)

ST. CROIX SHEETING only 10 cents a yard at J. B. Macdonald's. (au 4 da wk)

CHILDREN'S Boots, Shoes and Slippers, in great variety at DORSEY, GOFF & CO. (june 21)

ALL WOOL TWEED 50 cents a yard at J. B. Macdonald's. (au 4 da wk)

Good fitting boots at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. (june 21)

A VERY NICE and new pattern of Glassware, at W. P. COLWILL'S. (june 10 6w cod & wky)

Boots are very cheap at Dorsey, Goff & Co's. (june 21)

TEAPOTS in great numbers, and the cheapest, the best, the largest lot of China, Glass and Earthenware in the city is at W. P. COLWILL'S. (june 10 6w cod & wky)

NEW APPLES at the "Little Shop around the Corner." (june 10 6w cod & wky)

JUST ARRIVED, another large assortment of Crockery, in China, Glass and Earthenware, which we sell so cheap that it excels all competition.—W. P. COLWILL (june 10 6w cod & wky)

LADIES' Oil Goat Button Boots; latest style, just received; to be sold at \$2.25 per pair during this month. This is very cheap. Dorsey Goff & Co's.

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DIRECTIONS TO VOTERS.

The following is the form of ballot to be used in the election for Queen's County:—

Election for the Electoral District of Queen's County District, August 19th, 1884.

JENKINS, I. John Theophilus, Charlottetown, County of Queen's, Physician and Surgeon. (X)

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MAKE NEW RICH BLOOD, and will completely change the blood in the entire system in three months. Any person who will take 1 Pill each night from 1 to 12 weeks, may be restored to sound health, if such a thing be possible. For curing Female Complaints these Pills have no equal. Physicians use them in their practice. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail for eight letter-stamps. Send for circular. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

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NEURALGIA, INFLUENZA, SORE THROAT, BLEEDING AT THE LUNGS, CHRONIC HEARTDISEASE, HICKING COUGH, WHOOPING COUGH, CHRONIC RHEUMATISM, CHRONIC DIARRHOEA, CHRONIC DYSENTERY, CHOLERA MORBUS, KIDNEY TROUBLES, DISEASES OF THE SPINE AND LAME BACK. Sold everywhere. Send for pamphlet to I. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

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An English Veterinary Surgeon and Chemist, now travelling in this country, says that most of the Horse and Cattle Powders sold here are worthless trash. He says that Sheridan's Condition Powders are absolutely pure and immensely valuable. Nothing on earth will make hens lay like Sheridan's Condition Powders. Dose, 1 teaspoonful to 1 pint food. Sold every where, or sent by mail for 2 letter-stamps. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

BEAUTIFUL SUMMER RESORT THE SEASIDE HOTEL, Rustico Beach, P. E. I.

This well-known WATERING PLACE will open for the season on July 1st. The Proprietors will spare no pains to make this the most desirable summer resort in the Provinces. The House is too well known to need any commendation.

TERMS—\$2.00 to \$2.50 per day; \$10.50 per week; \$8.50 per week for months.

Coach will leave Charlottetown every Wednesday and Saturday evening, calling for guests; returning every Thursday and Monday morning, at 9 o'clock, a. m., Charlottetown time.

Trains leave Charlottetown for Hunter River at 6 a. m., 8 25 a. m., and 3 40 p. m. Hunter River for Charlottetown 8 a. m., 2 38 p. m., and 6 15 p. m. Hunter River for Summerside 7 a. m., 10 08 a. m., and 5 p. m. Summerside for Hunter River 6 10 a. m., 12 35 p. m., and 4 55 p. m.

Trains are run on Eastern Standard Time, which is 47 minutes, and 20 seconds slower than Charlottetown time. Mr. Bagnall will meet Trains from all points at Hunter River, to convey passengers to Seaside. Ch'town, June 18, 1884.—2m

ROYAL CANADIAN INSURANCE CO. FIRE.

CAPITAL, \$2,000,000 HEAD OFFICE—Montreal. HALIFAX BRANCH—J. Scott Mitchell, Agent.

Risks Taken on Most Favorable Terms. AGENT FOR PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND: F. H. ARNAUD, Merchants Bank of Halifax.

Ch'town, Feb. 27, 1884.

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The SECURITY offered to policy-holders is UNSURPASSED by any Company doing business in the Dominion. Its PROGRESS HAS BEEN UNEXAMPLED in the history of Insurance in Canada.

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The following are examples of ACTUAL REDUCTION OF PREMIUMS by application of profits: Robert Taylor, Halifax, insured for \$10,000 in 1872, premium \$317.70; in 1880, \$160.10. John Willis, Halifax, insured for \$1,000 in 1871, premium \$31.77; in 1882, \$14.20. John S. McLean, Halifax, insured for \$4,000 in 1872, premium \$137.76; in 1882, \$70.66. Mayor Jones, St. John, insured for \$5,000 in 1871, premium \$172.20; in 1882, \$77.20.

The fullest information will be given on application. DESBRISAY & ANGUS, General Agents for P. E. Island. Ch'town, May 7, 1884.

CHARLOTTETOWN SASH AND DOOR FACTORY!

Peake's No. 3 Wharf, R. PALMER & CO., PROPRIETORS.

We are now manufacturing and will sell at the lowest cash prices; Sashes, Doors, Window and Door Frames, Architraves, Spouting and Conductor Mouldings, Ballusters, Newel Posts, Stair Rails, Twists, etc.

We are prepared to do all kinds of Jobbing, in Planing, Jointing, Morticing, Tenoning, Jig and Fret Sawing, Turning, etc. All kinds of Gothic Windows for Churches made at shortest notice. With new and first-class Machinery, and the latest appliances, we can insure the utmost satisfaction to all who favor us with their patronage. Ch'town, June 7, 1884—wkly 1y

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Because of the excellent facilities they possess, have been able to reduce the price of all goods manufactured by them, and by buying their raw material in the best markets, for cash, are prepared to give the purchasing public

THE BEST VALUE IN THE PROVINCE. They are selling from thirty to fifty per cent. below prices asked some time ago in the same establishment.

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IN STORE: 250 bbls. High Grade Patent, 750 bbls. Medium and Low Grade, 250 bbls. Choice Superior Extra, 125 bbls. Choice Fancy.

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WE will place at the disposal of shippers a portion of our Warehouse on No. 2 Wharf, for the express purpose of Goods for shipment, and will grant warehouse receipts for said Goods.

This Warehouse is a fine three-story building, almost surrounded by water and offers every inducement to shippers as insurance can easily be effected. PEAKE BROS. & Co. Ch'town, June 18—1f

HOUSE TO LET.

THE Subscriber offers to let a most desirable two-story House, on Fitzroy Street nearly opposite the residence of William Brown, Esq. It contains twelve rooms, besides kitchen, and has been papered and painted inside and outside this summer. There is also a stable, coach-house and Garden attached. DONALD FERGUSON. July 7, 1884.

ATTENTION. Picnic and Tea Party Committees.

You can get the best Goods, at the lowest prices, at the "City Steam Bakery."

You can return all Goods not used, if in good condition. We give satisfaction to our customers, and give as references the Committees of the following Teas and Picnics, supplied last year:— Ujgg Tea, Lot 48 Tea, Clyde River Tea, Eldon Hall Tea, DeSable Tea, Lot 65 Tea, Springfield Tea, South Wiltshire Tea, St. Peter's Tea, Railway Picnic, Benevolent Irish Society Picnic.

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R. V. BARKER, St. John, Wholesale Agent W. R. WATSON, Charlottetown, P. E. I. J. A. CROSSMAN, Middletown, Lot 27. Oct. 27, 1882—ad wkly

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STEAMERS ST. LAWRENCE AND PRINCESS OF WALES. SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

NOVA SCOTIA. Leave Charlottetown for Pictou Landing every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, at seven o'clock, connecting there with the Train for Halifax. Returning to Charlottetown on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, about two p. m., on arrival of train from Halifax.

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NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES. Leave Summerside every day (Sunday excepted) on arrival of Train from Charlottetown, connecting at Shediac with Trains for each of the above mentioned ports; and at St. John, with steamers of the International Company and Railway for Portland and Boston. Also leave Charlottetown for Summerside every Monday morning at one o'clock. Returning, leave Shediac every day (Sundays excepted) on arrival of day train from St. John, for Summerside, connecting there with train for Charlottetown. Also leave Summerside for Charlottetown every Saturday evening, about five o'clock.

By order, F. W. HALES, Secretary. Charlottetown, June 11, 1884.

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