

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

Any person having a showcase for sale will find a purchaser by applying at the Examiner's Office.

WANTED—An experienced clerk in hat and cap department. Apply by letter to box 107.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A second-hand bicycle in good condition. Address 104 St.

WANTED—An apprentice to learn the blacksmith business. Apply to G. H. Foster, Fowall Wharf.

TO LET—One half of the three story dwelling house, containing eight large rooms, on Prince St. Possession given on 2nd May next. W. W. Welner.

LOST—A gold watch chain charm fender will be suitably rewarded by leaving same at this office.

WANTED—A housemaid. Apply to Mrs G. A. Warburton, Westwood.

TO LET—A house on Hillsborough Street containing 9 rooms besides pantry, at present occupied by Mr W. S. McKie. Possession given 15th of May. Apply to Mrs Blatch corner St. Geo and Fitzroy Sts.

WANTED—We want to purchase a thoroughbred Durham Bull, one to three years old. Apply to A. Horne & Co.

LOST—At or near Victoria Park, a Menzies pocket camera. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this office.

WANTED—Salesmen; salary from start, permanent place. Brown Bros & Co, Brown's Nurseries, Ont.

TO LET—The house and premises known as the "Old London House," situated on Water St., next to Government Warehouse No 1. Apply to Peake Bros & Co.

BARBERS' CHAIRS and complete outfit for sale cheap (or cash) or approved note. Apply to D. A. Bruce, Queen St., Ch'town.

WANTED—An experienced cook, wages \$10.00. Apply to Mrs E. Bayfield.

COOK WANTED—Apply to Mrs F. Sullivan Brighton Villa.

TO LET—That comfortable and pleasantly situated house on upper Queen St., being the southern half of the residence of the late Chief Justice Palmer, now in occupation of Commander Cheyne. Hot and cold water in main, rent moderate, possession given 1st May next. Apply to H. JAMES PALMER Ch'town.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

That most desirable business stand, situated on Kent Street, between Prince and Great George. This property was occupied for so many years past by the late J. A. Cameron, as a watch and jewelry store and dwelling. For particulars apply to D. STEWART, Baker, Kent Street.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

St. James' Church Repairs

The undersigned will receive at his office in the Post Office Building, sealed tenders up to four o'clock, p. m. on Monday, the 16th day of May, instant, for the following work:

a The re-construction and alteration of the organ loft and choir gallery.

b The building of a new vestry.

c The erection of a new chimney for the furnace—the removal of the boiler from its present position to the western end of the church, and the necessary excavation in basement.

d Renewing the church ceilings.

e Re-seating the body of the church.

f Painting the whole of the inside of the church.

g Shingling the mail roof.

h Sundry repairs to doors, windows and floor.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of W. C. Harris, architect, Bank of Nova Scotia Building, on and after Wednesday, the eleventh day of May, instant. A certified bank cheque of five per cent. of tender must accompany each tender. The trustees do not find themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

A. LORD, Chairman Trustees St. James' Church

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100 P. O. BOX 57

Building Lot 50x100 Feet FOR SALE.

This is one of the most desirable lots in the city, being on high dry ground, on the east side of Upper Prince St. Apply to the

CITY HARDWARE STORE.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

(Continued from page 7.)

Proceeding Mr. Shaw pointed out that a contract for the erection of the new wing was entered into with Walter Lowe for \$20,500. In that agreement ten sheets of plans are called for, but only eight have been submitted. Numbers 1 and 10 are missing. No. 1 is an important plan as it shows the longitudinal building facing the south and the foundation. Why was not this plan produced? Was there not a design in suppressing it? The agreement shows how Mr. Lowe was to be paid. Any work omitted by the contractor was to be deducted on the valuation of the architect who was to be the sole judge, and for additional work required in alteration the amount was to be agreed upon before commencing such additions. If there were any extras, before such could be proceeded with an estimate of the cost of same had to be submitted to the architect for his signature and that of the Commissioner of Public Works. This agreement was signed on August 27th 1896. On the 20th of August, 1896, Mr. Lowe received a letter from the late Secretary of Public Works, Mr. J. W. Morrison, informing him that his tender had been accepted and a bond of security prepared. Mr. Lowe furnished two good securities, Mr. Nicholson and Mr. McKay. But when the Leader of the Government found out that it was Mr. Lowe who received the contract he wrote him a letter stating that he would have to get a third security and he only gave him half a day to get this extra security. The Leader thus broke faith with Mr. Lowe because he had previously accepted two securities. The extra security was forthcoming in good time, however, and Mr. Lowe was ready to proceed with the work, but Mr. Peters persuaded him not to go to work that fall. If Lowe put so much material on the ground and began work he would be entitled to a certain amount of money by the 31st of December. But next year was an election year and Mr. Peters did not want this payment to appear in the Public Accounts. In that fall Mr. Lowe staked out the ground and the following spring began work. He began operations on the 19th of April and by the 23rd all the excavations for the outside wall were completed. It was found however that the ground to the east fell more than was set forth in the plan. Although the Commissioner suppressed the plan showing this defect he (Mr. Shaw) had a copy of it in his possession and it showed a fall of six inches in a distance of 192 feet. But in April a fall of 4 feet was discovered, and in order to carry out the plan it would be necessary to swing the building in the air. According to the specification, there was also a foot of sod to be taken out which would leave the eastern end 18 inches in the air. Mr. Chappell then suggested another mode of measuring and this made it worse than the first. Then Chappell wished Lowe to proceed anyway, promising if he did that he would help him out on the proposed new college. But Mr. Lowe wanted a written certificate from Chappell that he was proceeding on the right line. This Mr. Chappell refused. When Lowe got the contract the annex was to be heated from the old boiler although it was to be fifty feet from the main building and was to be connected by a tunnel. The heating was to be by pipes from the old building. Lowe wrote to the Gurney-Massy Company in regard to the heating and subsequently met their agent, Mr. Carron, in Mr. Chappell's office. Mr. Lowe described the plan of heating to Mr. Carron who said it could not be done in the way proposed. On the 27th Chappell made a proposition to Mr. Lowe to dig the trench and put in the masonry and he would make it up by decreasing the stories, the chimneys, and the radiators. Lowe declined the proposition because it would violate his contract. He knew that when the foundation was completed the commissioner would step in and make him do the work according to the specification. Later on Lowe's securities went to Chappell and he agreed to meet Lowe at the Asylum on the 28th April at 4.30 o'clock. Lowe went out to the Asylum, and waited there till 7.30 but Chappell did not show up. The same evening Lowe went to the commissioner and he promised to send out his engineer to report on the state of affairs. The government refused to bring down the correspondence in this case, but he (Mr. Shaw) had obtained a copy of it despite them. The engineer submitted a report which stated that the ground was lost at 170 feet and that the plans would leave the building 7 inches in the air on the southern side. Further on in the engineer's report it is stated that the contractor had done his part and that the material on the ground was first class. On the 5th of May the Commissioner went out to the Asylum and ordered Lowe not to proceed with the work until he consulted the Leader of the Government. Mr. Peters sent for Chappell and after hearing him thought that the matter was only a dispute between Lowe and Chappell. About this time Mr. Peters went to New York and the Commissioner was helpless except to draw his pay. On the 12th of May the matter was brought to the notice of the hon member for West River. He, with the Commissioner, the Clerk of the House and the Government Engineer went to the Asylum and condemned the foundation. On the 14th of May Chappell signed an agreement to pay Lowe for extra excavation and foundation. This agreement he gave to the Commissioner of Public Works. Thus is the architect agreeing to pay Lowe and becoming a part of the contract; he was to inspect his own work and judge it. Of course Lowe would not agree to this. The next day Lowe again went to

the Commissioner and the Commissioner said he would make it right. Lowe asked for written authority and this the Commissioner refused. Then Lowe asked the Commissioner what he intended doing, and the Commissioner said he would not do anything till Mr. Peters came home. Lowe wrote the Commissioner several times asking for authority to proceed with the work especially as the Commissioner said he was satisfied the building could not be built on that foundation. Why then did the Commissioner refuse to give Mr. Lowe authority to go on with the work? Lowe also showed Mr. Peters that the roof was not sufficient, and the latter said he would see Lowe in a day or two. But before doing so he went on an election campaign. The engineer made a second report in which he recommended certain improvements in the foundation. He also found the roof frame too light and made other suggestions. This was on June 14th. In the face of all this the Government would not give Lowe authority to go on even with the foundation. Mr. Peters wanted the estimate of extras and Lowe said he would give it if the architect was dismissed. Later, however, he submitted the estimate to the Commissioner and asked for \$5000 to pay for material, \$8000 worth of which was already on the ground. He also asked for an extension of time. But the Government's inhumanity in this respect is a lasting disgrace to them.

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D. F. MACWATT, Solicitor for applicants.

What Cranks We Are.

"It is sometimes brought home to me," said the Jersey City man, "what awful cranks we human beings are. For instance, take the man up stairs and myself. We consider ourselves pretty good fellows, but just listen. I always stop in at the agent's office to pay my rent, but recently there has been a change of agents and the new man sent his clerk around for the money on the first of the month. I must confess I was 'riled' at the seemingly implied distrust, and told the young man, not over-gentle, that he might get out with alacrity, and that I'd pay the rent at the office as usual. He left without visiting my friend up stairs, who later in the month dropped in at the agent's and paid up, with the advice to the clerk that if the money was worth having it was worth calling for, and that it would not be forthcoming in the future unless it were called for. "Now, what do you suppose that clerk thinks of mankind?"—New York Sun.

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Declined the Order.

MONTREAL, May 10.—The Dominion Coal Company received an order for ten thousand tons of coal to be delivered at Sydney, Cape Breton. The parties to whom it was to be forwarded were not known, but the agent guaranteed cash on delivery and no questions asked. Today the management here discovered the order had been placed by the Spanish government and the company at once repudiated the contract and refused to deliver the coal to the Spanish ships.

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