

CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE CHARGED.

DEAR SIR,—There is, perhaps no part of the Island which has been subjected to more contemptuous treatment from the present Government than the settlement known as North Lake. And there is perhaps no other community that would have borne these insults so long with impunity. But, sir, the time has arrived when patience ceases to be a virtue. This is a time when facts are valuable. A criminal administration is on trial. It is a time when the candle should no longer be "under the bushel." At North Lake, the public highway, for about a quarter of a mile extends along the seashore where the bank is perpendicular and from 20 to 40 feet high. This is, at best, a dangerous piece of road. But the danger is minimized by having the roadway of sufficient width. The breaking away of the bank necessitates purchasing every few years a strip of land from Messrs. Morrow and Rose. Three years ago the roadway was so narrow that carriages could not pass over it without following the "wind" in the fence. Not until the road became utterly impassable would the Government consent to widen it. Last summer the road by Mr. Ross' was so narrow that there was little more than a foot from the wheel track to the brink of the precipice which is here about 40ft. People were obliged to get down and lead their horses, and some would not pass it at all. Just think of it. Should the horse shy or make a misstep the occupants were liable to be hurled to almost certain death. Time after time was the supervisor's attention called to the matter. But nothing was done. At last, fearing loss of life, Mr. Ross pulled down his fence and allowed the public to go through his fields. But this is not all. Morrow's Bridge has become almost a ruin. For several years it has been utterly unsafe. The covering was worn like discarded mill-plank and was so weak that it was necessary to keep the horse over one of the stringers. Last summer, it becoming impassable, some plank was placed lengthwise on the arches. The hill on the approach to the bridge is as it was left by the freshets last spring, deeply trenced in the centre and a source of danger to the travelling public. Now, sir, these are facts which can be proved, and it is high time they were placed before the eye of a discerning public.

OSBERV.
North Lake, Nov. 26, 1900.

TO THE ELECTORS OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

As the Government have issued their mandate for a general election on the 12th of December and you will be called upon to choose representatives to manage your affairs in the next parliament of this Province, it is fit and proper that a retrospect be taken and a true estimate formed of our position and financial standing as a Province.

The term of the Legislative Assembly, just dissolved, had many months remaining, and much surprise is expressed that the electors should have been put to trouble and annoyance at this unseasonable time.

However, it is evident that the Government are acting on the assumption that the present time is auspicious, owing to the result of the recent Dominion election. They hope, by this sharp movement, to obtain a snap verdict from the electorate in order to hold on to power for a further term.

A stronger reason for this unconstitutional appeal to the electorate at this time seems to be a desire to secure the vote before the people have had time to examine the public accounts showing how rapidly the debt of the Province has been rolled up.

Previous to the election of 1897, attention had been directed to the reckless and wasteful extravagance which obtained in the public service, and it was hoped that better methods would be adopted. On the contrary, notwithstanding the promises of the Government to make revenue and expenditure meet, it is found that the debt has increased enormously, by leaps and bounds, the balance against the Province being many thousands of dollars greater than a year ago. It will be found, when the accounts are before the public, that the property holders will have good cause for serious alarm.

The electors looked for great improvements from the party in power. This party asserted that they would manage affairs better than any previous administration. They solemnly declared that "taxation was a long way off," and promised that they would reduce the public expenditure. They denounced the idea of a Provincial debt. The system of borrowing at the banks was severely condemned.

They promised the electors that the means of the province against the Dominion government would be speedily settled,—failing which the matter in question would be submitted to arbitration.

It is not possible to enumerate all the promises given and pledges broken within the compass of this brief address. Suffice it to say, that the people have been deceived and disappointed.

The public service has been degraded; the system of expending the moneys granted for road service without competition, has become a public scandal, and the people have decided that the money shall be applied to the purpose for which it was voted, and not to government officials and their favorites.

It may be asked—What is the policy of the Opposition?

The Opposition hold that the government should adopt measures to recover all moneys due this province from the Dominion.

That the financial position of the province shall be ascertained exactly, and means devised for making revenue and expenditure meet for the future.

They assert that the whole Road System is corrupt and inefficient and requires to be re-modelled.

They demand that the law which now permits absentee representation be so amended as to prevent a repetition of the recent abuses.

They condemn the mismanagement of the Stock Farm, and the failure of government to give proper encouragement to agriculture and fruit-growing.

They insist that no public money shall be expended in excess of the

votes of the legislature, unless in case of urgent necessity.

Provision will be made for a quarterly publication of revenue and expenditure.

A radical change will be made in the administration of the Public Works Department so that the money now misapplied, shall be used for the purpose intended, and not for the benefit of private individuals as is now the custom.

Every my will be carried out in every department.

Taxation will be arranged upon a more equitable basis and kept down to the lowest limit consistently with the needs of the public service.

The resources of the Province will be safeguarded and husbanded by every legitimate means that can be devised.

With these assurances and holding these views, the Liberal-Conservative party appeal to you, the electorate of the whole Province for your approval and support, firmly convinced that upon due consideration a right conclusion will be arrived at, and that the present Government will meet, as it deserves your condemnation at the polls on the 12th day of December.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,

D. GORDON.
Georgetown, Nov. 23, 1900.

MAKE HENS LAY

No matter what kind of foods you use, mix with SHERIDAN'S CONDITION POWDER. It will increase your profits this fall and winter. It assures perfect assimilation of the food elements needed to form eggs.

A Nesful of Eggs

May be obtained in winter if you do as many successful poultrymen do, namely, mix daily with the mash food Sheridan's Powder. Has been used and endorsed over thirty years.

If you can't get the Powder send to us. One peck, 25 cts.; five, \$1. Large two-b. can, \$1.20. Book free. L. S. JOHNSON & CO., Boston, Mass.

Better not miss reading the November Prince Edward Island Magazine. The reading matter is good—the illustrations are good. Five cents the copy at all the book-stores.

PARALYSIS CURABLE.

Stricken Ones to be Seen Everywhere—This From of Living Death Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

The most startling example of human helplessness is the paralytic. The victim excites your commiseration, but resents your pity. He of the palsied hand stiffly pressing the benumbed side is to be seen everywhere we go.

The most convincing proof that this pitiable condition is the outcome of kidney disease is the fact that Dodd's Kidney Pills cure it.

Not generally recognized as a kidney disease, it succumbs to kidney treatment.

Did you ever know of a cure? Just think a moment!

If you do it must have been the work of Dodd's Kidney Pills, for no other medicine ever yet cured

An Old Theory Exploded

The old-fashioned theory of tearing down disease was entirely changed by the advent of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Food, which cures by creating new rich blood and nerve tissue. Through the medium of the circulation and the nervous system they strengthen and invigorate every organ in the human body.

Famine is rife in the extreme south of Italy, and jewels from the church shrines are being sold for the benefit of the destitute.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

The man who built the city hall of Denver is now selling cigars and tobacco at a stand in the corridor of the building.

An Enormous Sale.

To all who have felt the evil effects of deranged kidneys, it is interesting to know that Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are meeting with enormous sale and unparalleled success in this district. Backaches and aching kidneys are fast becoming a thing of the past where Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are known. One cent a dose, 25 cents box at all dealers.

Half the men you meet can never tell a lie without swearing to it.

Minard's Liniment
Cures Distemper

Mother's Favorite.

Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is mother's favorite remedy for croup, bronchitis, asthma, coughs, colds and sore throat. It has by far the largest sale of any remedy for coughs and colds. It is pleasant to the taste, prompt in action and is an absolute safeguard against consumption and pneumonia. 25 cents a bottle. Family size 60 cents.

Woman is most perfect when most womanly, and least womanly when most perfect.

Itching, Bleeding Piles

Mr. W. G. Phyll, proprietor Bodega Hotel, 36 Wellington Street East, Toronto, says: "While living in Chicago I was in a terrible state with itching and bleeding piles. I tried several of the best physicians and was burnt and tortured in various ways by their treatments to no avail, besides spending a mint of money to no purpose. Since coming to Toronto I learned of Dr. Chase's Ointment, I used but one box and have not been troubled with piles in any shape or form since."

Spain is not a country for Sunday school, as there are said to be only 3,000 pupils in the nation.

Minard's Liniment
Cures Colds, etc.

Paris consumes more than 2,000 tons of snails annually. The French capital also has sixty wholesale firms which deal in mushrooms exclusively.

Minard's Liniment
Cures Diphtheria.

Australians hold a world's record in tea consumption, drinking eight pounds a head yearly.

How One Gets Bilious

A sluggish liver fails to filter the bile from the blood, and when the poisonous matter goes through the body in the circulation, the whole system is tainted and deranged. This is called biliousness, and can be completely cured by Dr. A. W. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which act directly on the liver, making it healthy and active. One pill a dose, 25c a box. The cheapest medicine in the world.

It is estimated that \$1,500,000 was lost in election bets on Bryan's defeat.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

CLOTHING



SIT DOWN

LET'S TALK IT OVER

Now, why do you pay \$18 to \$25 for an overcoat made by a tailor in Charlottetown particularly when you can for \$10, \$12 or \$15 get one from us that is made by just as good a tailor. Now, we know all your objections just as well as you do yourself; but if we can't fit you just as well put more style on you, and give you a coat \$3 to \$5 cheaper for the identical same cloth, then

DON'T BUY

We don't want to force you except by giving you better value for your money. Now, just a whisper. We're selling those

Tailor made Coats

\$2 to \$3 less than regular prices.

Ulsters

- Men's Ulsters, \$4.50, now \$2.98.
- " " 5.00, now 3.75.
- " " 6.50, now 4.50.
- " " 8.25, now 6.75.
- " " 10.25, now 8.50.

Hundreds of Ulsters to choose from. Winter is here now; see that you have a nice Ulster at once.

Ladies...

Make the Boys Look Nice



You can do it cheaper here than anywhere else. Hundreds of suits, and we're selling them without any profit. You'll wonder why. Well, we feel that we can afford to wait till the boy is a man for our profit. It's a new way of doing business, but we like it, and we're sure you and the boys will.

PROWSE BROTHERS, FOR ULSTERS CHEAP.

FUR JACKETS. LADIES

- A Good One \$15.00**
- A \$25 Jacket 18.00**
- A 35 Jacket 25.00**
- A 55 Jacket 46.00**

Ruffs, Muffs, Collars, and Capes at the same rate of discount. t's nearing Xmas, and you need a fur of some kind. We sell you our Furs, guaranteeing every one. Your money back every time if you want it.

PROWSE BROTHERS, THE STYLISH FUR MEN.

We've a Nice Corset

We're selling at 25c. We won't say it will wear as well as our 45c Corset, because our 45c Corset is a special value. Then our 75c Corset is as good as many that are sold at \$1. But you know the D. & A. people they make the best



CORSETS

That are sold in P. E. Island today. We've got lots of them, 90c, \$1.10, \$1.35, \$1.55. Long waist, short waist, or medium waist. All the same thing, you can't waste your money here.

PROWSE BROTHERS, THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MEN.