

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

MARCH 25, 1890.

Tariff Changes in the States.

THE Patriot is in a state of extreme alarm over a threat that the United States will impose upon eggs a duty of five cents a dozen, and add five cents to the duty on potatoes.

Certainly there is nothing in the tactics announced from Washington to heighten our respect for the politicians of the States, or to induce us to throw in our lot with the Great Republic.

Let us consider for a moment the motive which actuates the politicians to threaten these prohibitory duties. Do they want more money? No; the treasury of the United States is full to overflowing—they have millions more revenue than they can, with all their ingenuity, expend.

The Patriot, the Halifax Chronicle, et al, are, by their attempts to make party capital out of this matter, but playing into the hands of the political sharpers and schemers who think that they may, by these means, accomplish the subjugation of Canada.

successfully fought in 1878, and that they will rather resent than be scared by the threats of the Washington politicians.

—We are glad to learn that Mr. Superintendent Unsworth's patent appliance for operating the wings and flanges of snow ploughs, has been doing excellent work on the Intercolonial Railway during the past winter.

—Justice still lives in some parts of the world. A white man was recently hanged in Grenada, Miss., for the murder of a negro.

—A special edition of the Reichsanzeiger contains imperial rescripts, cordially thanking Prince Bismarck for his services and appointing him Duke of Lauenburg, a Colonel-General of cavalry, and a Field-Marshal-General; also appointing Count Herbert Bismarck ad interim Minister of Foreign Affairs, and General Von Caprivi Chancellor and President of the Prussian Ministry.

Personal.

Mrs. Birchell has been set at liberty. Hon. Archibald J. Macdonald, Georgetown, is registered at the Hotel Davies.

For Rickets, Marasmus, and all Wasting disorders of Children. Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is unequalled.

The orchestra will play some beautiful selections from the different operas at the Y. M. C. A. concert next Thursday.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth.

DIED.

At Gaytown, March 21st, Willie, only son of William G. and Hattie M. Godkin, aged 6 months and 9 days.

Charlottetown Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Beef (small) per lb. \$0.08 to 0.12, Butter, fresh, per lb. 0.22 to 0.24, Eggs, per doz. 0.11 to 0.12, etc.

Y. M. C. A.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH.

The Fifth Annual Course of Lectures.

REV. J. A. GORDON will deliver a lecture in ST. JAMES' HALL, on

Tuesday Evening, March 24th, AT EIGHT O'CLOCK.

Subject, "Wit and Humor, Laughter and Tears."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Consolidating The Laws.

SIR,—The legal editor of the Pioneer, in an article under the heading, "Consolidating the Laws," has undertaken to criticize the Report of the Commissioners appointed to consolidate the statutes of the province.

It has been pleased to write respecting the Report, that "the Commissioners have either been incapable of bringing order and consistency out of chaos, or have so slovenly performed their allotted task as to render their present report comparatively useless."

The Commissioners found that under the existing statutes the Fourth Electoral District referred to, is divided into five polling divisions, and so they left it. It never was divided into nine polling divisions, and when the editor of the Pioneer asserts that it was, he exhibits a want of knowledge of the subject, that in a member of the legal fraternity is certainly not excusable.

The editor further says: "The new law provides that there shall be a poll held in the polling division, as well as in each polling district." The new law provides nothing of the kind.

Again, the editor says: "The statute labor voter must have resided in the poll division in which he claims to vote 12 months before the election." If there be no polling division, but merely a sub-division into two polling districts, how could you determine where the statute labor voter was qualified, or where the vote should be polled?

It may be that the question presents some difficulty to the mind of the person who wrote it; but it does not follow therefrom that any real difficulty does exist with reference to the answer.

The editor confines: "The proposed consolidation leaves us as much in the dark as ever as to whether a voter on property in an electoral district requires to have owned or possessed the property for 12 months or for only 24 hours."

I have no doubt but that there are a great many subjects respecting the statutes upon which the mind of the editor of the Pioneer is equally obscure, but the Commissioners did not deem it their duty to put what construction they considered the correct one on any section of a statute, and embody it in their revision, even to relieve the editor of the Pioneer from his darkness.

I fully agree with the editor when he says: "If the House of Assembly completes the task of consolidating the laws during the approaching session it will have its hands full."

FOR SALE.

A FORCE PUMP suitable for a Lobster Factory. Will be sold cheap. Apply at the Electric Light Station.

CONCERT

—AT THE— Y. M. C. A. HALL, —ON—

Thursday Evening, 27th inst.

H. VINNICOMBE, —CONDUCTOR.

PROGRAMME.

- Overture—"The Diamond Cross" O. Metra Orchestra. Vocal Solo—Selected. Mr. Tanton. Selections from "Le Bal d'Amour" Blanche Orchestra.

Concert at 8 o'clock, sharp. Tickets to any part of the Hall, 25 cents.

"BARRISTER"

"Lucky Lad."

THESE renowned Clydesdale Horses will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the MARKET SQUARE,

ON FRIDAY, 18th APRIL, AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Half the purchase money to be paid at time of sale. A credit of 12 months will be given for the balance on approved security.

"BARRISTER" and "LUCKY LAD" are so well known to the public interested in horses that it is deemed necessary to say but little concerning them.

"LUCKY LAD" was foal'd in 1884, and was a short legged horse that the great Glasgow Spring Stallion Show, in March, 1887. He entered the ring with no less than 72 of the best 3-year-old horses of Scotland, and was one of twelve left in the circle from which the winner was selected.

R. BEARSTO, Auctioneer.

NOTE.—The reason for disposing of these horses as above is that Mr. C. C. Gardiner, being part owner, and being also President and active Director of the Exhibition Committee, has determined to sell in order to prevent its being said that his interest in them conflicts with the independence of his position as a Director in the selection of competent Judges for the Exhibition.

Plans and Specifications of Buildings

PREPARED BY CHAPPELL & PHILLIPS, ARCHITECTS.

OFFICE:—Market House (head of stairs). mch25—6w eod & wky—p1

Y. M. C. A.

THE GRAND CONCERT under the direction of Mr. H. W. Winnicombe, in aid of the Young Men's Christian Association, will take place in the Association Hall.

On Thursday Evening Next, THE 27th OF MARCH.

Doors open at 7.30. Concert to commence at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents; no half price.

R. M. BARRATT, Secretary.

Until the arrival of our New Dress Goods, Mantles and Millinery, we will offer VERY SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS to purchasers of

CARPETS AND CURTAINS.

Now is the time to secure the very lowest possible prices and a large variety of patterns to select from.

BEER BROS.

P. S.—We are also offering a line of SCOTCH ZEPHYRS at a special price. Goods are direct from the looms of Messrs. Mitchell & Sons, Glasgow.

BEER BROS.

B. S. DAVIES & CO.

Merchant Tailors.

WE HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF WOOLENS, in Suits, Overcoatings and Trouserings, suitable for Spring and Summer wear, at the lowest possible prices for Cash.

MR. McDONALD, for the past six years (previous to coming with us) of Boston, where he acquired a thorough knowledge of his business, has charge of our Tailoring Department.

Three Cases CHRISTY'S BEST LONDON HATS just opened. MEN'S FINE NECKWEAR, DRESS SHIRTS and UNDERWEAR; Lot of BOYS' SUITS low to clear.

B. S. DAVIES & CO.,

Ch'town, March 25, 1890. CAMERON BLOCK.

C. B. Warren's Bankrupt Stock of Boots and Shoes.

THIS GREAT CHEAP SALE will be continued until further notice

Men's Shoes, old price \$1, now 50c; Men's Long Boots, old price \$2.10, now \$1.50; Women's Pebble Button, old price \$1.50, now 85c; Women's Strong Boots, old price \$1.28, now 75c; Women's do., old price \$1, now 65c; Boys' Long Boots, old price \$1.45, now 85c; Child's Long Boots, old price \$1.28, now 75c.

NOTICE—BRAND NEW GOODS!—Come and see 7 Cases of Boots and Shoes opened for the first time, and which we will sell at invoice prices.

GOFF BROS.

Charlottetown, March 20, 1890.

Clearance Sale of Boots and Shoes for 20 Days

FOR THE NEXT TWENTY DAYS I will sell for the BEST PRICES OBTAINABLE, all the Stock of BOOTS AND SHOES, &c., in the Store of MR. JAMES B. HALL, Fraser's Corner, Queen Street, Charlottetown.

The Stock comprises Men's, Boys', Women's, Misses' and Children's BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS, &c., and other Stock generally kept in a first-class Boot and Shoe Store.

SAMUEL HALL,

Ch'town, March 22, 1890—dy 1w pd MORTGAGEE.

SPECIAL SALE!

WE ARE OFFERING A SPECIAL LOT OF

75 Suit Lengths of Tweeds,

—AT FROM—

20 TO 30 PER CENT. DISCOUNT ON REGULAR PRICES.

Call and examine Stock and get prices. The Best Bargains ever offered.

JOHN McLEOD & CO.

Charlottetown, March 22, 1890.

Blank Books.

I BEG TO INFORM my Patrons and the Citizens generally that I have secured the services of MR. W. G. GILLESPIE (late of Mr. John Coombs'), until the end of the present month. As Mr. Gillespie's artistic merits in his line are well known in Charlottetown, I would advise those wanting anything in the line of BLANK BOOKS of any description to leave their orders early.

Also—The Binding of Law Books, Magazines, Works of Art, etc., etc.

JAS. D. TAYLOR, BOOKBINDER,

Ch'town, March 11, 1890. North Side Queen Square.