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Street—night bell.
Charlottetown, Nov. 14, '82.—3m

NOW OPENED, NEW

Dining and Coffee Rooms,
North Side of Queen Square,
OPPOSITE THE LAW COURTS.
D. MAY.
Charlottetown, Dec. 12, 1882.—3m

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on current account.
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prompt returns guaranteed.
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promptly.
Nov. 14, 1881.—1yr



MR. C. D. BANKIN, Chemist, North Side Queen Square, has the honor to announce
to the inhabitants of Prince Edward Island and neighborhood that he has made
arrangements with

MR. B. LAURANCE,

The Eminent English Oculists' Optician,
to personally superintend the adaptation of his
SPECTACLES AND EYEGLASSES
At C. D. Rankin's Drug Store, North Side Queen Square, from Monday, the
18th, to Saturday, the 30th December.

And will be at the Clifton House, Summerside, from Monday, the 1st, to
Thursday, the 4th January,

To all those requiring aid to vision. The hold that Laurance's Lenses
have taken upon the spectacle-wearing public of Great Britain and the testimonials
from the greatest of the English Oculists, among the faculty in England and in this
Province, must be conclusive that nothing better in aids to vision can be obtained, and when
in addition such Lenses are selected and adapted to the eye by Mr. Laurance personally, Mr.
Bankin is convinced the same of comfort will be obtained by every person requiring the
use of Spectacles or Eye-glasses.
Mr. Laurance's mode of procedure is to test the capabilities of both eyes, and not only
to determine the exact power required for each eye, but also to select the particular Lenses
best adapted to arrest decay and to give sight without discomfort. Mr. Laurance is not a
stranger to Prince Edward Island in his capacity as an Optician. For years he visited this
Province, as testimonials from our leading medical men and citizens, as far back as 1854,
can testify. Mr. Laurance is one of the leading Opticians of England, and his visit here is
for one purpose, and that is the introduction of his celebrated Lenses through REGULARLY
ACCREDITED AGENTS THROUGHOUT THE DOMINION.

Persons who have tried in vain to be suited with Lenses are particularly requested to
call at C. D. Rankin's, and as MR. LAURANCE VISIT CANNOT BE PROLONGED,
BEYOND A FEW DAYS, it behoves those requiring his assistance to call as early as possible
REFERENCES AND TESTIMONIALS, as to the Quality of the Lenses, etc., are
coupled with the names of the following eminent Medical men and residents of Nova
Scotia:

- Chief Justice Sir William Young.
- Rev. Dr. Hill, Rector of St. Paul's, Halifax.
- The Hon. W. J. Almon, M. D.
- The Hon. A. W. Smith, Judge Supreme Court.
- J. Scott Hutton, Principal Deaf and Dumb Asylum.
- Dr. Arthur Moren, Physician to Deaf and Dumb Asylum.
- Wm. Dunbar, Ex-Mayor of Halifax.
- Edwd. Jennings, M. D., President of the Medical Council of Nova Scotia.
- Vice-President of the Medical Association of Canada.
- Wm. Tobin, F. R. C. S.
- W. B. Slater, M. D.
- H. C. Herbert, M. D., F. R. C. S., Surgeon-Major, A. M. D.

From Chief Justice Sir Wm. Young.
HALIFAX, 2nd Dec., 1882.
I have pleasure in testifying that the two
pairs of Spectacles I have purchased from Mr.
B. Laurance give a clearer and purer light,
especially under GAS than any I have pre-
viously obtained HERE or ELSEWHERE.
WM. YOUNG.

From Rev. Dr. Hill, Rector of St. Paul's.
HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 18, 1882.
MY DEAR SIR,—The glasses with which you
have supplied me for reading, both by natural
and artificial light, have proved themselves
to be all that could be desired. I strongly
recommend any persons wishing to save strain
upon their eyes, and enjoy comfort while
reading, to apply to you to fit them with
Lenses adapted to their condition of sight.
I am, dear sir, yours truly,
GEORGE W. HILL, Rector of St. Paul's.
Mr. B. LAURANCE, Optician, 147 Hollis St.

From Hon. W. J. Almon, M. D.
HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 4th, 1882.
MY DEAR SIR,—By the aid of the Glasses
you last fitted me with I was enabled last
night by lamp light to read with comfort, a
thing I had not done for some months pre-
vious.
I am, dear Sir,
Yours truly,
WILLIAM J. ALMON.
To Mr. B. LAURANCE, Optician.

From Judge Smith.
HALIFAX, Nov. 2, 1882.
I beg to state that I have purchased of Mr.
Laurance one or two pairs of Spectacles, and
have found them everything I can desire to
improve the vision for writing and reading
purposes.
H. W. SMITH,
Judge Supreme Court, N. S.

From Principal of the Deaf
and Dumb Institution.
HALIFAX, Nov. 1, 1882.
Mr. B. Laurance fitted a number of the
pupils of this Institution requiring Lenses to
assist their sight, and I have pleasure in tes-
tifying to the benefits the wearers of the
glasses have derived from their use. But
for the aid thus obtained several of them
would have continued to labor under great
difficulty in reading script or print, and
would thus have been seriously retarded in
their studies. I which they are now enabled to
pursue with comfort and satisfaction both to
themselves and to their teachers.
J. SCOTT HUTTON,
Principal.

As Medical Officer to the institution of
Deaf and Dumb, I have much pleasure in
certifying the testimony of the Principal, J.
S. Hutton.
ARTHUR MOREN, M. D.,
Physician to Deaf and Dumb Inst.

From John Woodill, Esq.
B. LAURANCE, Esq.:
DEAR SIR,—In the year 1864 I purchased a
pair of night-reading spectacles (and have
used them ever since) from a Mr. Laurance.
I called on you yesterday and found that you
were the same person, and had my name on
your books, and as you then told me that
you could supply me with a pair that I could
see small print for 20 years longer. Well,
being in active business, and only in my 74th
year, I concluded to take them. But judge
my astonishment, at night when I took up
any part of the room by the light of one gas
burner as well as when I was 20 years of
age, and I trust I will have an opportunity of
thanking you personally before you leave
our city.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN WOODILL,
176 Barrington Street,
Halifax, Oct. 5th, 1882.

From the City Medical Officer.
OFFICE OF CITY MEDICAL OFFICER,
Halifax, Nov. 1, 1882.
MR. B. LAURANCE:
DEAR SIR,—I am very much pleased with
your glasses, they are particularly clear and
well polished, and suit my eyes better than
any I have ever used. I have had great
pleasure in recommending them to my friends
and patients. I am, &c.,
ARTHUR MOREN, M. D.,
City Medical Officer.

From H. C. Herbert, M. D., F. R. C.
S., Surgeon Major, A. M. D.
Mr. B. Laurance has fitted me with glasses
which suit me admirably, and I recommend
persons whose vision is defective, to consult
him when lenses are required.
H. C. HERBERT, M. D., F. R. C. S.,
Surgeon Major, A. M. D.
November 6th, 1882.

From Ex-Mayor Dunbar.
HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 23, 1882.
B. LAURANCE, Esq.,—
DEAR SIR,—I am using a pair of spectacles
purchased from you 18 years ago at the Hal-
fax Hotel, and they suit me as well to-day as
when I first used them.
WM. DUNBAR,
Ex-Mayor of Halifax.

From James A. Smith, Esq.
No. 1 LOCKMAN STREET TERRACE,
Halifax, Oct. 23, 1882.
MR. B. LAURANCE,—I have worn glasses
since I was ten years of age and am now in
my fifty-seventh year and until this minute I
have never possessed perfect sight, and in my
profession as a school teacher I can now ap-
preciate the way in which I now see even the
smallest type by artificial light by the aid of
your lenses.

From Dr. Jennings.
Mr. B. Laurance, of London, has shown me
a great variety of spectacles, all of which bear
close examination. The lenses are well pol-
ished and the mounting beautiful and sub-
stantial. I can see more distinctly through
his glasses than any others I have tried. I
will recommend them to my patients.
EDW. JENNINGS, M. D.
Visiting Surgeon to the Provincial and City
Hospital, and President of the Medical
Council of Nova Scotia, etc., etc.

From Dr. Tobin.
9 SOUTH STREET, Halifax, N. S., 13th Oct. '82.
I hereby certify that I have examined sev-
eral specimens of Lenses and Spectacles made
by Mr. B. Laurance, of London, and have
found them well cut and mounted and thor-
oughly servicable articles.
WM. TOBIN, F. R. C. S.

From Dr. Slayter.
HALIFAX, Oct. 13, 1882.
DEAR SIR,—I have examined your stock
of Lenses and can only say that they are the
most perfect set of glasses I have seen in Hal-
fax. I believe you to be well posted in your
business and thoroughly well able to correct
the various defects of vision in those who may
consult you. I am, etc.,
W. B. SLAYTER, M. D.

From H. Hesselin, Esq.
HALIFAX HOTEL, October 12, 1882.
Eighteen years ago, Mr. B. Laurance, of
London suited me with spectacles. I have
them now and they are as good as when I
purchased them and my eyes do not require a
stronger power.
HENRY HESSELIN.

CORRESPONDENCE.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the
opinions or statements of our correspondents

To the Editor of the Examiner.

DEAR SIR,—Allow me to inform your
correspondent "Deb" that I was in earnest
when I asked him the question: "Suppose a
person, if he were ignorant of the writings of
Mozart," etc., etc? I presume very few
are, and that is the reason I asked him.
He evaded the question. "Deb" knows
well that I would not for one moment
tolerate the singing of such music in
English if I had at times all to say in the
matter, and he also knows the acme of my
ambition does not run with that of
"Deb" and I, Mr. Editor, have many a
time laughed at the gross monotony of
singing this excellent music to any other
language but the Latin. I quite agree with
his remarks, with the exception of his
personal one towards me (which I feel sure
he don't mean), and heartily endorse all
that "Alligator" has written on the sub-
ject. I know enough of the Latin lan-
guage, Mr. Editor, to sing the 12th Mass
through. If, at any time, I need to be
further instructed, I will go and ask
"Deb's" very valuable assistance.
Yours, etc.,
S. N. EARLE.

Dec. 23, 1882.

The Bank of P. E. Island.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

SIR,—Doctor R. McNeill and your cor-
respondent "A Shareholder and Depositor"
are at issue in re the bankrupt Bank of
P. E. Island. I quite agree with what
Dr. McNeill writes, excepting one sentence
in his letter. "If the set off be lawful and
equitable, people will have to put up with it."
The Doctor appears to me to be very
able and thoroughly honest, but in the
sentence above quoted, he disorders his
point most irregularly, as Ben Jonson said
in his comedy of "Every man in his
humour," and exposes his argument to a
thrust in carte, which his adversary "the
Shareholder and Depositor" skillfully ad-
ministrates in his letter.

Now, I say that a thing may be lawful
without being equitable. I know and
bitterly feel this to my cost, by sad ex-
perience. If a thing be equitable, people
ought to put up with it. If it be unequi-
table and utterly unjust, they ought to
resist it to the utmost, and to the bitter
end, a phrase which I have once or twice
heard in the Law (or Lawless) Courts of
this Island.

The case of the shareholders in the de-
funct, bankrupt or absconding Bank of
P. E. Island, is indeed cruelly hard; but,
such of them as are depositors, as well as
shareholders, have no just right to ask
that their deposits shall be allowed to them
in full, while those depositors, who are not
shareholders, are likely to have each to
"take his bill and write fifty" per cent.
discount—discount is not the word which
I have at my pen's end. The shareholder's
allusion to the late Honorable Joseph
Howe, and his brother Commissioners in the
year 1860, is very unfortunate. It is not
"permeated by an animated" "vitality" to
succeed "poisoned garments." I quote
from the printed Report, or, award of
those equitable Commissioners, "A speedy
and final settlement" is exactly what Dick
Turpin used to apply for, when he
"stopped" a mail coach on the highway,
in the days before railroads, (the nights
I ought to have said.)

Lastly, as to shareholder's hint ancient
legal expenses, it reminds me of what the
children of Dan said to Micah,
my namesake, when he came to look for
his property, and found it among est-
ventus." (Excuse the bell.)
"Let not thy voice be heard among us, lest
angry fellows run upon thee, and thou lose
thy life!"
See the "Book of Judges," C. 18, v. 25.
For the word angry, I would substitute
"hungry"—and for the word "fellows,"—
which is scarcely respectful to the parties
alluded to, I would substitute the word
"lawyers."

"He who takes from me that by which I live,
Doth take my life."
I am, Sir,
Your constant reader
MICAH.

A Move in the Right Direction.

The farmers of Fort Augustus and adjoining
settlements are desirous of establishing a
Starch Factory in their vicinity. They
have held meetings in their school districts,
and have each agreed to supply annually,
for the next five years, the produce of from
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They intend by the first of the new year to
have a sufficient number of acres signed,
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general meeting, and be prepared to receive
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should be a good investment for capitalists;
as it is a very central place in an excellent
potatoe growing section. A first-class site
can also be obtained, easy of access to ship-
ping and other necessary conveniences.
—Cos.

"Beautiful eyes are those that show
Beautiful thoughts that burn below;
Beautiful lips are those whose words
Leap from the heart like song of birds;
Beautiful hands are those that do
Work that is earnest and brave and true,
Moment by moment the whole day through."

Horsford's Acid Phosphate
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DR. A. JENKINS, Great Falls, N. H., says:
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LEONARD MORRIS, General Agent for P. E. Island.

Summerside, Oct. 28, 1882.—1y

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of England.

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E. Island.

DESBRISAY & ANGUS,

GENERAL AGENTS.

N. B.—No person is authorized to collect monies for any of the above Companies
in this Province without producing a receipt signed by us, and any one paying money
to any one without getting such receipt, will do so at their own risk.
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The Whole Lot to be Cleared Out as soon as Possible.

Cheap for Cash at Stamper's Corner.

Charlottetown, Nov. 7, 1882.—wly

C. B. WARREN.

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D. A. BRUCE, MERCHANT TAILOR,

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Charlottetown Nov. 21st, 1882.—2m sat tu th wky

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Property of every description insured at current rates.

JOHN MACEACHERN,

Agent for P. E. Island.

Charlottetown, Oct. 14, 1882.—2aw