

The Daily Examiner

OCTOBER 18, 1884.

The Next Question.

WINTER is approaching; and it will soon be time to think about the next City Election. Dependent upon the result of this election is the water question. Shall we have a plentiful supply of pure water for fire and household purposes on the basis of the offers which reliable persons willing to become contractors for the work to be done have made? That is to say, shall we, as a community, save a very large amount in insurance by the payment of a comparatively small amount for public hydrants, and have the privilege of a water supply for our houses (or not) as we please? If we decide that we will have the water on this plan, then we must at once set about securing for next year a City Council willing to initiate and promote a legislative enactment providing for the incorporation of a Water Company, with power to buy lands, lay down water pipes, etc.

The remembrance of the failure of last year is still fresh; the cause of that failure is evident. Then let the cause be overcome or removed at the first opportunity. A word to the wise ought to be sufficient to start the movement without delay.

The Cup of Kindness.

Thomas Guthrie, D. D., a Scotch clergyman, who died anno 1873, was a leader of the Free Church movement, and first promoter of Ragged Schools. He published many religious works, but his four reasons for being an abstainer are enough to keep his memory green for ever along with all temperance advocacy. On being asked why he did not take a Cup of Kindness Yet, for Auld Lang Syne he replied 'for four very good reasons. By abstaining my head is clearer, my health is better, my heart is lighter, and my purse is heavier.' But how many there are to-day lightening their purses to muddle their brains, break down their health, weigh down their hearts, paralyse their efforts, and ruin their hopes, lured by the Cup of Kindness for Auld Lang Syne, and hoarding their own souls. The 'survival of the fittest' (to drink) is noted in an old poem, thus—

Not drunk is he, who from the floor, Can rise alone, and still drink more; But drunk is he who prostrate lies, Without the power to drink or rise."

It has been well said, that now adays, a single glass will do more "flooding" than a dozen, in ye olde tyne before us. The end now is (not drunkenness) but destruction.

John, go for the Whitewash Brush.

As the new sanitary boom is likely to call up the whitewash question in questionable back premises, we will take a little instruction from the Journal of Chemistry. Take a tight barrel, or other suitable vessel, and pour into it half a bushel of lime, then pour over it boiling water to five inches above the lime. Stir well and add more water to dissolve it after the slaking is completed, and put in 2 lbs. of sulphate of zinc, and 1 lb. of common salt. This wash admits of the mixture of color with it. It should be used on woodwork twice a year and will be found, if properly prepared, to preserve as well as improve. It will not scale nor crack. So put your whitewash brushes in good working order.

Self Examination.

Will those who voted "For the Petition" permit us to remind them of the lines of the poet Young—

"Tis greatly wise to talk with our past hours, And ask them what report they bore to heaven? And how they might have borne more welcome news?"

For many of them (quoting from Ovid) must have felt, when casting that ballot,— "I see the right, and I approve it too, Condemn the wrong, and yet the wrong pursue."

Our Advertisers.

D. A. Bruce, 72 Queen Street, announces that he is now holding a great clearance sale. As everything must be cleared off regardless of profit, before the 1st of February, great bargains are expected.

J. J. Seaman notifies the public that he has purchased the carriage business carried on by McKinnon & Fraser, and is prepared to attend to all orders in that line of business.

A. McNeill is hourly expecting a cargo of round coal, which he will sell at auction on arrival. He also holds an auction sale of apples on Monday next.

F. H. Ennis, Secretary Department of Public Works, Ottawa, calls for tenders for the construction of certain improvements at Tignish.

Geo. Davies & Co. inform the public that the stock of reasonable requisites at the London House is excellent, and will be sold low.

Perkins & Sterns' stock of Fall and Winter Goods is large and excellent, and will be sold at prices to suit the times.

Wm. Dodd holds a sale of apples next Monday at eleven o'clock.

Dr. Bennet will be at the Rankin House on the 30th and 31st inst.

E. Needham is selling Montreal onions cheap.

The rabbit pest in Australia is in some parts getting beyond endurance. The Lowanshire Council in eight months has spent over \$6,000, or over half the rates in rabbit extermination, yet all efforts have proved almost useless, and it is said that unless the Government intervenes the farmers will be ruined. Distressing reports are being received from all over the district, and several farms on account of losses sustained through the rabbits.

Laying a Corner Stone.

The blessing of the corner stone of the new Catholic Church at Cardigan Road, on the 15th, was a grand affair. It was performed by His Lordship Bishop McIntyre, assisted by Rev. Dr. McDonald, Father James McDonald (of Pisquid), Father Corbett, of Montague, Father Phe'an, of Vernon River, and Father McMillan, the Parish Priest. His Lordship celebrated Mass after the stone was laid, and preached a splendid sermon in explanation of the ceremony of laying corner stones. He congratulated the congregation and the devoted Priest on their energy and pluck in erecting such a handsome edifice. He also spoke of the thrifty appearance of the farms and houses of the parishioners, and congratulated them on their industry and integrity.

The new Chapel is named St. Teresa, and is under the patronage of to-day's Patron Saint. Its former name was St. Cuthbert's. It is now approaching completion, from plans drawn by Mr. Romeo, Architect, St. Peter's. The contractors are Messrs. Kenny & Mooney.

A Lottery was held in aid of the Church. Drawing took place on the 14th inst., with the following result:—

Lady's Silver Watch and Chain, John Moore, Baldwin's Road. Parlor Stove, Miss Margaret Drain, Marie-Mirror, Miss Minnie Carroll, Chelsea, Mass. Sofa Cushion, Miss Lizzie Gillis, Montrose, Lot 3.

Two beautiful Chromos, one of Pius IX., and one of Leo XIII., James Doyle, Somerville; Frank DesRoche, Higgin's Road, Lot 13. Picture Frame, beaded, Robert Haggerty, Fort Augustus.

Motto, Frank Orland, Noark, Conn. Lady's Silver Necklace, Stephen McMillen, Kensington.

Bentled Cushion, Philip Bradley, Chelsea, Mass.

Hanging Basket, Philip Lavie, Charlotte-town.

Pair Chromos, framed, John D. Gillis, St. Peter's Bay; Miss Victoria A. Gay, Cardigan Road.

Gold Dollar, Mrs. M. Cochran, Baldwin's Road.

Lady's Gold Ear Rings, Jas. W. Hughes, Charlotte-town.

Gentleman's Mazer, Terence Cairns, Stanhope Road.

Pair Slippers, Richard Gill, Lot 66.

Letter case, Pat Donnelly, junr, Donnelly's Road.

Watch pocket, Joseph Arsenault, Lot 14.

Pair Vases, Mrs. James Bolser, Lot 11.

Two pictures, framed, Mary Dolly Mulligan, Baldwin's Road; E. Carracker, Haverhill Mass.

Shakespeare's Works, six vol., well bound and gilt, Ambrose McDonald, Noank, Conn.

The Irish Race, A. J. Thebeau, S. J., Miss Carrie McEachern, Lot 47.

Twenty of Brownson's Essays, in 1 vol., John Moore, West St. Peter's.

History of Catholic missions, by Shea, Maria Sanby, Baldwin's Road.

Religion in Society, a beautiful book, John McKinnon, Mount Stewart.

Three lots, Sa-lie's Household Library, Rev. J. Chaisson, Indian River; Pius Murphy, Morel; Mary Hughes, Brookline, Mass.

Cardinal Newman's Sermons, John Bolger, Lot 11.

Ramie's Philosophy, Michael Pidgeon, Ch'town.

History P. E. I., Elizabeth McKinnon, Kensington.

A Singular Fate.

A LARGE MOOSE DEER IS KILLED BY A TRAIN ON THE CANADIAN PACIFIC.

A large moose deer experienced a singular fate a few miles west of Mattawa, on the Canadian Pacific Railway, on Wednesday last. While No. 38 mixed was coming east at a high rate of speed, the driver thought that he observed through the morning mist a dark object on the track, a short distance ahead. Every effort was made to bring the train to a standstill, but without success, for the next moment the obstruction was struck and sent flying from the track. It proved to be nothing less than a large-sized moose deer, which, becoming bewildered at the sight of the approaching train, was utterly powerless to move from the spot. Death must have resulted instantaneously, as its side was literally smashed in a jelly. The antlered monarch weighed 750 pounds, and is said to be one of the largest specimens of the moose killed in that locality for several years. The head was handed over to Mr. W. P. Martin, station agent at Mattawa.

There are a great number of anecdotes about Gen. Skobelev, which have become legendary in the Russian army, and there are a much greater number about the Russian Jews which circulate through all classes of Russian society. The following story, which is of interest both for the admirers of the "White General" and the haters of the Russian Jew, was revived when Prince Bismarck, as a sign of special distinction, received the cross Pour le Merite. Skobelev, so goes the story, was working in his tent near the Danube, or near a pond, when a Turkish bomb dropped at the threshold of the tent. The General had just time to see the sentinel outside, stoop down and phlegmatically throw the shell into the water. Skobelev approached the soldier and said, "Do you know that you have saved my life?" "I have done my best, general." "Very well; which would you rather have the St. George's Cross or 100 roubles?" The sentinel was a Jew with a fine Semitic profile. He hesitated a moment and then said, "What is the value of St. George's Cross, my General?" "What do you mean? The cross itself is of no value; it may be worth five roubles, perhaps, but it is an honor to possess it." "Well, my general," calmly said the soldier, "if it is like that, give me 95 roubles and the cross of St. George?"

It is reported, says the London Free Press, that Bishop Helmuth, formerly bishop of Huron, and subsequently coadjutor bishop of Ripon, is likely to be appointed to the Anglo-German bishopric at Jerusalem. This appointment is in the hands of the King of Prussia, it having been agreed upon at the formation of the bishopric by the English and German governments that the appointment should be made by each government alternately. Bishop Helmuth probably owes his appointment in some degree to the fact that he is the second Jew that has ever been raised to the Anglican Episcopacy.

The closing of the University of Kiev has incensed the educated classes of Russia.

Summerside Exports.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes 5 cases eggs, 7 brls mackerel, 51 bags potatoes, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes 112 brls oysters, 1 brl herrings, 95 brls mackerel, etc.

SHIP NEWS.

Summerside, Oct 16.—ent sch Laura B, Bonnell, Sydney, herring. 17th—Phantom, DeGrace, Shippingan, herring; Frank Newton, Glosion, Ingonish, C B, herring. old,—sch M C McLean, Roberts, Picton, bal.

PIED.

At Charlottetown, on the 17th inst., of inflammation. Capt. Henry Methewson, in the 40th year of his age. He leaves a widow and six children, to mourn the loss of a kind husband and affectionate father. [Funeral will leave his late residence, tomorrow, at one o'clock, for Dog River.]

Fall and Winter Apples.

BY Auction, Monday next, October 20th, at 10.30 o'clock, at my Auction Room, ONE CARLOAD FALL AND WINTER APPLES.

Gravensteins, Baldwins, Tompkins, Ribston Pippins, and other choice kinds, Chiffy No. 1 Winter Fruit.

Remember the Hour, 10.30 a. m.

A. McNEILL, AUCTIONEER.

Ch'town, Oct 18, 1884.

ROUND COAL.

HOURLY expected, Ex. Sch. "Lydia Robertson," from Glace Bay, C. B.

75 tons Round Coal,

Will be sold cheap from vessel.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, Oct. 18—11

NOTICE.

DR. BENNET

WILL BE IN CHARLOTTETOWN, AT THE "RANKIN HOUSE,"

ON THE 30th AND 31st.

Ch'town, Oct. 18, 1884.

APPLES, APPLES.

EXPECTED, by to-night's boat, 1 Carload of Winter-keeping APPLES, will be sold by Auction, on Monday, at 11 o'clock.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, Oct. 18, 1884.

ONIONS. ONIONS.

FOR Sale, at Needham's Auction Room (Market) a Lot of Montreal Onions.

E. NEEDHAM.

Ch'town, Oct. 18, 1884—31



Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Tignish, P. E. I. Works" will be received at this Office until Friday, the 31st day of October, instant, inclusively, for the construction of Protection Works at Tignish, Prince County, P. E. I., according to a Plan and Specification to be seen on application to Joseph E. Richard, Esq., Tignish, P. E. I., and at the office of the Department, Custom House Building, St. John, N. B., where printed forms of tender can be obtained.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque, made payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order, F. H. ENNIS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 7th October, 1884. Ch'town, Oct. 18, 1884.

Clearance Sale!

—OF—

NEW FALL GOODS, Regardless of Profits.

Having in view a change of business, we

intend to sell our

ENTIRE STOCK BEFORE Feb 1st,

CONSISTING IN PART OF

4,200 Yards Suitings & Overcoatings

(ONE OF THE BEST SELECTIONS IN THE PROVINCE.)

UNDERCLOTHING (a large variety.)

OVER 1000 WHITE AND COLORED SHIRTS.

(AT A SACRIFICE).

Flannels and Flannel Shirts, Cardigan Jackets, Umbrellas, Waterproof and Fur Coats, Overcoats and Suits, Children's Jersey Suits, Hats, Fur and Cloth Caps, Sleigh Robes, Gloves and Mitts (all kinds); Silk Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Collars and Cuffs, and one of the finest selections of NECKWEAR in the Dominion.

Intending buyers will find that there is no place in P. E. Island where they can get such bargains as we offer for the coming three months, as a GENUINE CLEARANCE SALE is intended.

D. A. BRUCE,

Merchant Tailor.

Charlottetown, Oct. 18, 1884—3m eod wkly.

Fall and Winter Goods.

The London House Ready-Made Department is Showing a Large Stock of MEN'S OVERCOATS, BOYS' OVERCOATS, ULSTERS, ULSTERS, REEFING JACKETS. Men and Boys' WOOL UNDERCLOTHING, all Qualities and Prices. Flannel Shirts, Men's Knit Top Shirts, Cardigan Jackets, Ladies' Fur-lined Circulars, LADIES' CLOTH SACQUES, FUR CAPS AND MITTS, LADIES' CLOTH BLANKETS, A LARGE STOCK OF BLANKETS, MEN'S FUR COATS, COON, BUFFALO AND DOG, BUFFALO ROBES, JAPANESE AND WOLF ROBES, HORSE RUGS, RAILWAY WRAPPERS, &c., &c. WE INVITE ATTENTION TO THE ABOVE, AS THEY ARE MARKED LOW FOR CASH. GEO. DAVIES & CO. Charlottetown, Oct. 16, 1884.

City of Charlottetown. TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Mayor's Office, until noon of Saturday, the 1st day of November next, from parties willing to contract to Light the Streets of the City of Charlottetown, for the term of 5 years or more.

The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender. By order, A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk. Ch'town, Oct. 15, 1884—ts.

WANZER Sewing Machines.

THESE CELEBRATED MACHINES

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS

At all the leading Exhibitions of the World.

Only Gold Medal in Canada, 1883.

J. F. WILLIS & CO., Sole and only authorized Agents for P. E. I. 1730

CARRIAGE FACTORY.

THE Undersigned begs leave to inform the public he has purchased the Carriage Business carried on by McKinnon & Fraser, on Upper Prince Street, opposite the new Baptist Church, where he will be pleased to see his old customers, and as many new ones as may favor him with their patronage.

Special attention will be given to the Repairing of Carriages, Sleighs, &c. N. B.—ALL WORK GUARANTEED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

J. J. SEAMAN

Ch'town, Oct. 18, 1884—3aw tl 31st dec wkly

New Watches,

New Clocks,

New Barometers,

New Thermometers.

New Spectacles.

Just Received and Offered Cheap.

Old Stock Cheaper than ever, to Clear.

E. W. TAYLOR,

NEXT TO WATSONS.

[eod wkly.]

AUCTION SALE.

I AM instructed to sell by Auction, at the Law Courts Building, on Monday, 20th inst, at 12 o'clock, noon, all that plot of land, fronting on Great George Street, being part of Town Lot No. 16, in the 1st hundred in Charlottetown, with the two tenement houses thereon situated, one-half of which is at present occupied by Dr. Conroy, having a frontage of 40 feet on same street, and extending back 47 feet. Particulars at sale.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, Oct. 15, 1884—ts

Horses Wanted.

FIFTEEN good, blocky-built Horses, weighing thirteen hundred; also some good Drivers, aged from five to ten years. Apply to

W. S. MCKIE,

Upper Hillsborough Street, Charlottetown, Oct. 7th, 1884.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

Advertisements under this heading, in space not exceeding three lines, will be inserted for ten cents per day.

TO LET—Two good, large tenements, newly painted and papered. Apply to J. McDougall, Fitzroy Street (East end) oct16 pd

WANTED—A Man or Boy who understands taking care of horses, to work about a house. Constant employment and good wages. Apply at EXAMINER Office. oct16

WANTED—A Cook and a Housemaid. Good wages. Apply at EXAMINER Office. oct16

LOST—A valuable gold Brooch, on Sunday last, between St. Peter's Church and Weymouth Street. The finder will be rewarded on giving information which will lead to its recovery at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. (oct 15)

LOST—In Charlottetown, two Note of Hand Books, containing notes, the property of James W. Robinson. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the store of Benj. Hooper, Esq., Upper Great George Street. oct15

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A good, plain Cook. Must have satisfactory references. Apply to Mrs. George Macleod, Kent Street East. oct14—6i

WANTED—Good Tailors for Bermuda. Good wages paid. For further particulars apply to J. L. Chambers, Hamilton, Bermuda. oct14

GO to Cox's Grocery Store, corner of Grafton and Prince Streets, near the Athenaeum, if you want good Boots and Shoes, cheap; also, Groceries of all kinds. Don't forget the place. (oct 13—6i mws)

TO LET—The second story of the building over Miller Bros., and recently occupied by Mrs. Burris as a dance hall, &c. Apply to Mrs. Offer. (oct 13—3i mws)

TO LET—A Cottage at Spring Park, opposite Cloth Factory, containing six rooms (pump in kitchen); also garden and stable. Apply to A. Clark, Oakland House. oct 13—tf

TO LET—The Cottage situate on Sidney street, opposite the Methodist Church, containing seven rooms, with stable attached, and well in yard. The houses are in excellent condition. Apply to the owner, at James Eden's, Pownall Street.—EDWARD KELLY. (oct 11)

FULL LINE of McCormick's celebrated BISCUITS AND CONFECTIONERY, at R. K. BRACE'S. [sep10 3m]

A CLERK with some experience in a Grocery Store will find employment by addressing P. O. Box 81. [sep1]

WE will give exclusive sale at and near Charlottetown, of our Entire Wheat Flour, to a dealer who will push it. Covered by patent. Easily sold. We guarantee 100 lbs. more bread to the barrel than any other flour.—FRANKLIN MILLS Co., 38 Clark Street, Chicago, Ill. aug2

KENT MILLS and other choice brands Family Flour for sale by Henry Beer, Office and Warehouse, Water Street, near Ferry Wharf. [may1]