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THE DAILY EXAMINER

DECEMBER 1, 1898.

MR. LEFURGEY'S CANDIDATURE.

A convention of Liberal Conservatives assembled at Summerside yesterday afternoon, enthusiastically nominated Mr. A. A. Lefurgey as the Opposition candidate in the East Prince bye-election; and Mr. Lefurgey has accepted the nomination. Mr. Lefurgey's candidature will render vacant the second seat in the Legislative Assembly for the fourth district of Prince County and place both the government and the opposition candidates upon the same footing as to the duty they owe their present constituents. It will cost the Province no more, or little more, to elect two new representatives than to elect one; so that the local treasury will be at no loss on account of Mr. Lefurgey's acceptance of the nomination for the House of Commons. Still we deprecate as contrary to duty and the good of the country the custom which both Mr. Bell and Mr. Lefurgey have followed upon this occasion. As they have been elected to the Provincial Legislature they ought to have stuck to the Provincial Legislature until the end of their term.

Having followed Mr. Bell into the wider field of Dominion politics, we presume that Mr. Lefurgey is prepared to fight a good fight. If he is his father's son he will do so. That he is popular, we have ample evidence in the results of the last Provincial election and in the fact of his unanimous and enthusiastic nomination for the vacant seat in the House of Commons. He is a young man of good education, of good ideas, of good business ability. He desires a political career. We believe that the interests of the country will be better served if the electors take hold of such young men and give them a chance to gain experience and prove their mettle, than they will be by the election of a middle aged person whose verbosity has got the better of his usefulness, and whose discretion has been overcome by inordinate ambition.

That the Opposition candidate ought to be elected in the forthcoming contest is evident, from the fact, that whereas the leaders of the Government promised to reduce taxation they have increased it—witness the heavy addition to the tobacco duty,—that whereas they promised to lessen the public expenditures they have added to them millions upon millions of dollars per annum; that whereas they promised Free Trade they are continuing protection; that whereas they promised purity and economy in administration they have resorted to "business is business" methods, and publicly declared by the mouth of Mr. Tarte that though their expenditures of this year are unprecedented, their expenditures of next year will be still greater. Their false, perfidious, unprincipled, ruinous conduct ought to be publicly rebuked; and the vacancy in East Prince, together with the candidacy of Mr. Lefurgey, affords the independent farmers of the country an opportunity to rebuke them.

No doubt it will be represented that a portion of the larger expenditures of next year will be devoted to the improvement of Summerside harbor and the extension of Cape Traverse pier. Don't believe any such promises. They are the device of bribers and liars. What has resulted from the promises made at the general election? Has the breakwater at Summerside been built? Has the pier at Cape Traverse been extended? Is the railway between Charlottetown and Murray Harbor in the course of construction? No. And Mr. Tarte and his friends of Quebec will laugh in their sleeves and continue to do nothing if the farmers and merchants of East Prince are fools enough to send Mr. Bell to their support upon any such conditions. Mr. Tarte has other uses for the

public money than its expenditure in P. E. Island. The "Masters of the Administration" in Quebec will not be appeased if the money should be sent down here.

The electors of East Prince have nothing to lose by the election of Mr. Lefurgey. Let them, now, administer to the government the rebuke and the caution which the interests of the country demand.

WILL THEY VOTE AS THEY SAID?

PREVIOUS to the last general election the Liberals stated that the Conservatives were wildly extravagant. We maintained that while they provided sufficiently for the public service, they could not greatly reduce expenditures in view of the development and expansion of the country Farmers in this Province—some of them in East Prince,—believing what the Liberals said, assured us, then, that if the Liberals did not make the heavy reductions in expenditure promised by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, they would at the next election vote the Liberals down. The Liberals have in the past two years, added several millions of dollars, both to the ordinary and extraordinary expenditures of the government; and it will soon be seen whether or not our independent unpurchaseable farmers will vote as they declared they would, or whether they will be prevented from doing so by party prejudice.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Spain has done well to accept \$20,000,000 and get rid of possessions which were neither a source of strength nor a source of profit.

—This is "a growing time" in respect to public expenditures, taxation and debt. It is time that our Liberal governments received a caution.

—Advices from Washington indicate that the International Commission will come to nothing practical,—though it has cost a lot of public money!

—Of the grant of \$25,000 which has been made by the Canadian Government toward the relief of those who suffered through the recent hurricane in the British West Indies, \$10,000 will go Barbadoes and \$15,000 to the Windward Islands.

—Does the Patriot mean to imply that there was no Liberal in Prince County or Prince Edward Island capable of filling a seat in the Senate, and so reducing the Tory majority there—except Mr. Yeo? The implication is insulting to more than one Liberal gentleman in Prince County.

—Mr. Sifton's organ in Winnipeg refers to the resolutions lately passed by the Winnipeg Liberals and says "the only possible use that can be made of recent occurrence in Winnipeg is to comfort those who wish to drive the Laurier administration from power." There may be a grain of truth in this.

Things to Make a Note of

St. Joseph's Convent.—Don't miss the social on December 6th. It will be well worthy of patronage.

A. O. F.—Regular meeting of Court Gladstone this evening at 8 o'clock in Wright's Hall.

No damaged boots—all fresh stock—20 to 50 per cent discount—at R. K. Jost's Stamper's Corner.

The old woman who lived in her shoe, she had so many children she did not know what to do, will be at Mother Goose's Market, in St. Peter's Hall Dec 13, and will sell some of her children to the little girls. Santa Claus is going to get some of his dolls there.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt.

This standard English preparation has for its basis the salts extracted from the juices of fresh fruits. The daily use of Abbey's Effervescent Salt will keep you in good health. Sold by druggists everywhere at 60 cents a large bottle. Trial size 25 cents.

We are loaded with clothing and wish to unload. Our goods are marked fine to admit of all classes making their purchases from us. Call and inspect our goods.—Bargain Corner, W. D. McKay.

75 cents buys a pair of our children's high leggins, buckled at the knee.—R. K. Jost Stamper's Corner.

A LUMPY MATTRESS

is not very comfortable to sleep on, is it? Plenty of people are sleeping on old "lumpy mattresses", just because they think they can't afford a new one. Our factory is fitted with new machinery, specially for remaking "old lumpy mattresses" and when we have finished with it—well, we can guarantee that you'll find it just as soft and comfortable to sleep on as when you bought it new. Come in and tell us about your mattress, and we'll tell you how much it will cost to remake it.

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Shredded White Biscuits

We have just received a fresh lot Shredded whole Wheat Biscuits direct from the factory. Those biscuits are recommended by Medical men as being one of the most perfect Foods made, and are specially recommended to Invalids and others suffering from weak stomachs, Dyspepsia etc. Directions on every package telling how to prepare them in several different ways.

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Our third special lot at \$8.50 consists of

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- 10 lbs White Sugar,
- 10 lbs Brown Sugar,
- 5 lbs of 28c Tea,
- 5 lbs of best Cooking Raisins,
- 3 lbs of "Currants,
- 10 lbs Rolled Meal,
- 10 lbs White Beans
- 6 Bars Surprise Soap
- 4 gal. tin Best Kero. Oil.

This is the best bargain yet offered.

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Your business is improving. You find it hard to do all the work you have to do; and still you are writing your letters on common ordinary everyday writing paper. Why not have nicely printed Business Letterheads and Noteheads? They will add considerable tone to your business. They will make your business seem of much more importance to the persons to whom you write your letters. They will convey a good impression to all who see them.

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Dividend Notice

Merchants Bank of P. E. Island

CHARLOTTETOWN, Dec. 1st, 1898

Notice is hereby given, that a half-yearly dividend, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum on the capital stock of this bank, has been declared payable at its Banking house, on and after January 3rd, 1899.

Transfer book will be closed from December 20th, 1898 to the 3rd of January, 1899, both dates inclusive.

J. M. DAVISON, Cashier

Annual Meeting

Merchants Bank of P. E. Island

The Annual General Meeting, of the shareholders, of the Merchants Bank of P. E. Island, will be held at its Banking House, Great George Street, on Tuesday the 10th day of January, next, 1899, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m.

Proxies must be left with the Cashier at least one day previous to the meeting.

J. M. DAVISON, Cashier

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You may need a watch—one that can be relied upon.

If so, we can show you some special good values in either Gold, Gold Filled or silver. Also a cheap line of Nickel Watches for the boys.

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Immense Closing Sale

Lots of Goods—Lots of Goods—Between \$25,000 and \$30,000 worth yet to be sold

We have stocks of goods yet to sell. Every day we are filling up the retail store with goods from the wholesale department and selling everything at tremendous discounts.

20 p c to 50 p c DISCOUNT off Everything

Special Lines this week in Black Dress Goods—In addition to the 25% discounts we are giving off Black Cashmere, Merinos, Serges, Fancies, Crepons and all Black goods in order to make a quick clearance in this department we will give an extra discount of 5% making in all the enormous cash discounts of 30%. ALSO LADIES JACKETS

Special discounts this week

25 p c and 5 p c extra

We expect to make a complete clearance of these departments.

FANCY LINENS AND WORKING SILKS

We have placed our whole stock of fancy and stamped Linens on the centre counter for your inspection to be cleared at once. Doilies, Tray cloths, Sideboard covers Centres etc. etc.

EVERYTHING 25 P C DISCOUNT

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Filo Floss

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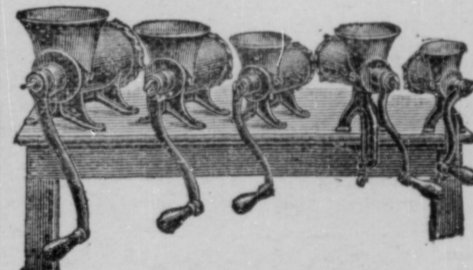
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| Dust Pans | 10c | Granite Mugs, | 8c |
| Nut Meg Graters, | 3c | Granite Soap Dishes | 12c |
| Pie Plates, | 5c | Granite Pitchers, | 50c |
| Pudding Pans, | 10c | Granite Saucepans (from | 15c |
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| | | Kettles from | 20c |
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