

Correspondence.

A NUT FOR THE REV. GEORGE SUTHERLAND TO CRACK.

Sir.—In his attempts to substantiate his charge of immorality against the Examiner, the Rev. George Sutherland states, that St. Paul apologized for having called Ananias a "whited wall;" and advises the Examiner to pursue a similar course in reference to the Islander. Now in this he has either been guilty of a wilful misconstruction of Scripture, or he has displayed an amount of ignorance which would be deplorable in the most obscure member of his congregation. St. Paul did not apologize for having called the man a "whited wall," but he apologized for having "reviled" the high priest. His reply was, "I wist not, brethren, that he was the high priest," &c., from which we infer that had he not been the high priest, Paul would not have apologized. Let any of the reverend gentleman's congregation, who is not altogether blinded with partiality, take his Bible and read the passage; and he must admit that his religious guide has sadly committed himself. He further states, in effect, (I have not the Protector at hand), that Paul, under the influence of divine inspiration, was justified in using epithets which would be "abusive" and "immoral," emanating from us, since we are not divinely inspired! Strange, indeed, if it be considered sin in us to shape our speech and conduct in accordance with those of inspired writers, where they spoke and acted under the influence of divine inspiration. Strange that God would grant a particular license to inspired writers to use expressions which, coming from others, would be "abusive" and "immoral"—that he should give a moral law to guide the conduct of a part of mankind, from which he would exempt a certain class on account of their superior sanctity! Mr. Sutherland argues, that to call any man what he is not, in a strict literal sense, is immoral. Now Paul's being inspired did not make Ananias a "whited wall," in a purely literal sense; then (to use Mr. Sutherland's argument), "however low Ananias may have sunk he was a human being"—whether Paul was inspired or not—"and hence to call him a 'whited wall' was immoral." I knew a very popular clergyman of the Free Church who was in the habit of calling any individual in his congregation, whom he would suspect of sleepiness, devils, personally and to their faces. I was one day listening to another clergyman of the same Church—who is at present a bosom friend of Mr. Sutherland's—on his having enunciated a doctrine which, from the faces of some of his hearers, he saw was not well appreciated, he made the following remarks:—"This is a bone that is too hard for the dogs of Satan to gnaw." Now, however, how these men's hearers may have sunk, they were still human beings, and not "devils" or "dogs," and so their ministers showed themselves to be immoral men. The reverend gentleman would soon endeavor to free his friend from this charge by referring to instances in which wicked men were called "dogs" in Scripture, were it not that he has closed that loop-hole against him by his former remarks on "inspiration." But I have a heavier charge to bring against the rev. gentleman than mere ignorance. He states that Paul spoke to Ananias, under the influence of divine inspiration, and yet he commends him for having (under the same influence, I presume) apologized and retracted, for he recommends a similar course to the Examiner. He might just as well have stated that God prompted Paul to use an expression which, on account of its offensive nature, he caused him afterwards to retract! This is pure blasphemy. It is not the first instance, however, in which an editor of the Protector has been guilty of this crime. Now, on the grounds afforded me, here I undertake to sustain a charge of GROSS IGNORANCE AND BLASPHEMY AGAINST THE REV. GEORGE SUTHERLAND, and I challenge and defy him to clear himself of it!! Mr. Sutherland grounds his charge of immorality against the Examiner and Islander on their accusations of each other. Let us now apply this rule to a case in which he himself is more immediately interested. The readers of the Presbyterian Witness will doubtless recollect the Harvey case that excited so much interest amongst the Presbyterians of Nova Scotia a few years ago. The Free Church had, by a course of the most wicked and unprincipled intriguing on the part of some of its members, succeeded in worming itself into the possession of a church built by a congregation of the Secession Church. This gave rise to a violent and prolonged discussion between the two parties in their common organ, the Presbyterian Witness—the Rev. George Sutherland acting as the champion of the Free Kirk, and the Rev. Ebenezer Ross advocating the cause of the Secession Church. Their communications were of such a nature as to preclude entirely the possibility of their being both good Christians, or even men of any soundness of morals. Fortunately, however, the badness of the cause that Mr. Sutherland advocated—the unsoundness of his arguments, and our present knowledge of his character, afford us satisfactory proof that he was in error; and it may be gratifying to Mr. Ross, should he see these remarks, to know that sensible people in this Island acquit him of all blame in the matter. New Glasgow, Nov. 24, 1857. TYRO.

It was reported that Lucknow, which had been relieved on the 25th September, was again besieged by Nena Sahib, with fifty thousand rebels.

All the city people found in Delhi were bayoneted by the British troops. Europeans were discovered there fighting on the side of the rebels.

COMMERCIAL.

Several Commercial failures are announced. The English money market was staidier. On the 13th Consuls for money 894 to 894.

Corn market dull—prices two or three shillings lower. Sugar in demand and is, 3d. higher. Coffee slightly advanced. Rice flat. Tallow market steady.

The Bank of France has raised its rate of discount to eight per cent. on Bills under 30 days, nine per cent. on sixty days, and ten per cent. on ninety days.

In Scotland there was a great money panic and run upon the banks.

TREASURY WARRANTS.

TEACHERS of the public schools will be rejoiced to learn that the Warrants hereafter to be issued in payment of their salaries will be responded to in cash at the Treasury on presentation. This will afford much relief and save considerable loss and annoyance to one of the most useful class of the public servants, while we are confident it will have the effect of making the sale of Warrants generally more easy than it has been for some months past, and less profitable to the money-jobbers. We trust the day is not far distant when Treasury Warrants will again be in demand, as much so as they were for four or five years previous to the late summer; but before we can hope for the return of such a state of things, the Legislature must have the courage to alter the system of collecting the revenue, in spite of all local and private considerations, by restricting the long credit on Impost bonds, and charging them all alike, from the day of their issue, with the same rate of interest as the Government is bound to pay on its own securities. In addition to this alteration, let the interest on Warrants be increased to six per cent., and the shaving operation, so far as Government paper is concerned, will soon go out of practice.

It is stated that the P. E. Island Bank has, during the past week or ten days, discounted paper more generally than it has for several months past, but at an increased rate of interest—9 instead of 7½ per cent., the previous rate. This would appear high in ordinary seasons, but it is not out of the way considering the present value of money all over the commercial world, and the example which has been set in this direction by some of the oldest and staunchest Banks in Europe and America. So painfully is the general commercial depression felt even in this Island, where commercial transactions are conducted only on a very limited scale, that our Bank, we are confident, will have no reason to complain of a scarcity of paper presented for discount, owing to the increased rate of interest. A judicious exercise of the power with which that institution is invested will serve to dissipate much gloom in our small mercantile circle, while there is every reason to hope that considerable profit and no material loss will accrue to the Bank itself.

NEWS BY MAIL.

The Provincial and United States mails arrived last evening. The newspapers furnish scarcely any news of importance beyond the ordinary events of the day—such as accidents by fire and flood, storms, conflagrations, railway collisions and mishaps, with the usual catalogue of petty crimes—for little or none of which we can make room in our present issue, our columns being crowded with details of the Indian mutiny, in which general readers take a deeper and more melancholy interest than in the recital of ordinary occurrences.

By private advices from New Brunswick we learn, with regret, that the failure of the Borough Bank of Liverpool has had a very disastrous effect upon the hitherto depressed state of business—several parties of previously undoubted stability having been heavy losers, either immediately by the stoppage of the Bank, or indirectly by their correspondents being compelled by that event to stop payments. It appears very clearly that British North America is undergoing a financial pressure of unparalleled severity, caused primarily by the absorption of money in the railway speculations of the United States, rendering it impossible to remit to Britain in payment of the heavy balances due to the latter. We trust that the recently authorized issue by the Bank of England of small notes may have the effect it is intended to have, but we cannot but think the remedy is inadequate to the disease.

GENERAL THANKSGIVING.—By a proclamation in the last Royal Gazette, His Excellency the Lieut. Governor has appointed the 10th December ensuing as a Day of General Thanksgiving and Prayer, on account of the late abundant harvest.

JUVENILE CONCERTS.—It was our pleasure to attend two Concerts, given by Mr. Patrick Bowers and a choir of some twenty young ladies and children under his tuition, on Monday and Tuesday evenings last, in St. Dunstan's School-room. A glance at the programmes, on the occasions alluded to, is all that is needed to give an idea of the excellent judgment displayed by Mr. Bowers in the selection of his pieces. Of the young ladies, it is but just to say that their execution of the pieces allotted to them individually and collectively is deserving of more than praise. Some of the pieces, indeed, were executed with all the taste and precision which could be expected from finished artists. We were especially pleased with the manner in which "Lilly Willy Waken," "Nelly Gray," and that sweetest of songs, "Annie Laurie," were rendered. The entertainments were enlivened and diversified by speeches, songs and recitations, and we must say that seldom indeed has it been our lot to spend two such pleasant evenings, the remembrance of which will be always attended with pleasurable sensations.—People's Journal.

HORRIBLE MASSACRE OF EMIGRANTS.—OVER ONE HUNDRED PERSONS KILLED.—A letter from J. C. Ward to the Los Angeles Star, dated San Bernardino, Oct. 4, 1857, states that an entire train of emigrants from Arkansas and Missouri, bound to California by Great Salt Lake, had been massacred by the Indians at the Mountain Meadows, which are on or near the rim of the Great Basin, and some distance south of the most southern Mormon settlements. The massacre took place about the 10th or 11th of September. Mr. Ward says he first obtained his information from the Indians.

Married, On Thursday, 19th instant, by the Rev. D. Fitzgerald, Mr. John Burrows to Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. George Lewis. At Launching Place, on the 2d instant, by the Rev. F. J. McDonald, Mr. Patrick Morrison to Mary, daughter of Mr. John McDonald, of Launching Pond. At St. Michael's Church, by the same, on Monday, 15th instant, Mr. John Morrison to Ann, daughter of Mr. John McDonald, of Launching Pond. At St. Andrew's, on Sunday the 22d instant, by the Rev. P. McPhee, P. P., Mr. Allen Morrison, of Georgetown, to Matilda, daughter of the late Malcolm McKinnon, of St. Peter's.

Birth, At Airdie Cottage, Lot 56, on the 26th instant, the wife of J. C. Underlay, Esq., of a son.

Died, On Wednesday, the 25th instant, after a long and severe illness, which he bore with Christian patience, Mr. John Carroll, senior, aged 70 years, a native of the County Tipperary, Ireland.

At Third Pond, Lot 20, on the 14th ultimo, Sarah, the beloved wife of Mr. Archibald Donald, aged 43 years. She was much esteemed by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance.

On Friday, the 27th inst., at Charlottetown, Mr. Francis Wheddon, a native of Walthamstow, County of Essex, and late master of the Brig "Guinere," aged 34 years.

Launched,

From the shipyard of J. C. Pope, Esq., at Summerside, on the 7th inst., Brigantine "Gudgeon"—iron-kneed, and classed A 1 seven years.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN. ENTERED. Nov. 19th.—Schr. Laurel, O'Hara, Boston; goods. E. Freeman, Wholding, Provincetown; bal. John Tyler, Pendergace, do.; do. 20th.—Flora, Hingley, Tatmagouche; boards. Schr. Blossom, Mason, Pictou; coals. Providence, Kemp, Halifax; goods. Unicorn, Lites, Pictou; coals. 21st.—Schr. Ellen, Spinney, Tatmagouche; boards. 23d.—Sovereign, Parry, Pictou; coals. Do., Robertson, do.; do.

CLEARED. Nov. 19th.—Schr. Speedy, LeBlanc, Boston; oats. Brig. White, Newfld. produce. Steamer Rosebud, Hearst, St. John, N. B.; bal. Schr. Lady Sale, Brow, Boston; produce. 21st.—Brig Hio, Cameron, Liverpool, G. B.; deals. Schr. Flora, Hingley, Tatmagouche; bal. Sailed from Bedouque, on Monday, the 2d November, Brig. "Noro," Tuseh, master, for Cardiff; timber, deals and oats. Nov. 12.—Bark "Aurora," Hobbs, master, for Liverpool; deals and oats. Nov. 29.—Brig. "Gudgeon," McLeod, master, for Liverpool; oats—all by J. C. Pope, Esq. Also, Nov. 27, from Miramichi, Bark "Lucy," Good, master, for Dublin.

Prices Current.

Table with columns for Provisions, Poultry, Fish, Lumber, and Sundries, listing various goods and their prices.

New Advertisements.

LIVERY STABLES. AT THE OLD STAND, KING SQUARE. The subscriber thanks his customers, and the public in general, for the liberal patronage he has received in the Livery Stable business, and begs respectfully to inform them that he is still continuing the above business, and trusts that, by the due attention, moderate charges, and his fifteen years' experience, to merit a continuance of the favours heretofore received. MARK BUTCHER. Charlottetown, November 30, 1857.

Concert in aid of the Indian Relief Fund. Under the patronage of His Excellency the Lt. Governor and Lady, His Worship the Mayor and Common Council.

MISS SOPHIA DUCHEMIN will give a CONCERT for the above object in a few days. Time made known this week. Particulars in programmes. Nov. 30, 1857.

Postponed Sale! THE Sale of LUMBER, advertised to take place this day, on the Queen's Wharf, is postponed until WEDNESDAY, the 2d December, then to take place at 3 o'clock. Nov. 30, 1857. Wm. DODD, Auctioneer.

Co-Partnership. THE BUSINESS heretofore carried on by the subscriber at Orwell and Montague Bridge, in his own name, will, on and after the 1st day of January, 1858, be carried on under the style and firm of STEPHENS & CLARK, having made arrangements to take my Nephew, Mr. RICHARD C. CLARK, in Partnership at that time.

All Notes of Hand and Book Accounts unpaid on the 20th of December next, will be sued for, without further notice, in the Courts of Georgetown, Belfast and Charlottetown, as all Accounts must be settled before the Partnership commences. A list of Debtors will at once be placed in the hands of Wm. Sanderson, Esq., Georgetown. Orwell, Nov. 30, 1857. PATRICK STEPHENS.

To be Sold or Let, THE Leasehold Interest in a STORE or DWELLING HOUSE at Montague Bridge, with a Loft capable of holding 1,000 Bushels of Grain. Also, a good Cellar underneath the whole; and a Coach-house and Stable at hand.

Also, a BUILDING LOT adjoining the Bridge, where a Wharf or Linekiln might be erected at a small expense, or a Yard for Shipbuilding. Mr. Thomas Anwar will shew the premises, and give possession when required. Orwell, Nov. 30, 1857. PATRICK STEPHENS.

Fall Supply. JUST RECEIVED, per schr. "MAY FLOWER," from Halifax, a general assortment of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, HARDWARE, Crockeryware, Drugs, Paints, and nearly all other articles required in the country, which will be sold at greatly reduced prices for Cash, Grain, Pork or Fur.

WANTED 300 OX and COW HIDES, for which Charlottetown prices will be given. WANTED a good steady BLACKSMITH, who can have work the year round. PATRICK STEPHENS. Orwell, Nov. 30, 1857.

Please Remember THAT the SINGING CLASS will be resumed on (to-morrow) TUESDAY evening, 1st December, at half-past 8 o'clock, at W. C. Trowan's Room. All interested will please attend. Nov. 30, 1857. JOHN ROSS, Teacher.

Notice. MANY persons having fraudulently stated they were engaged in the same concern with me to obtain orders for Inscriptions on Headstones, Tombstones, &c. I hereby caution my friends, and the public generally, not to give any orders they design for me in this line to any person on my account, as I intend calling on them personally, and I can warrant them the orders I receive will be attended to with promptness, and executed in the best style of workmanship. Ch. Town, Nov. 30, 1857. ANGUS McISAAC.

House and Land by Auction.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, on THURSDAY, the 10th of December next, at 12 o'clock, on the premises in Hillsborough Street—all that piece of LAND with the Dwelling-house thereon, at present occupied by Mr. THOMAS PANSOY, measuring on Hillsborough Street 40 feet, and extending back 48 feet. Terms at sale. A good title will be given. WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer. Charlottetown, Nov. 23, 1857. 1st

TO BE LET by Auction to the highest bidder, on WEDNESDAY, the 2d day of December next, at 3 o'clock, p. m., at the Market House, THREE STALLS in the said Market House, agreeably to a law of the City Council, intitled "a Law respecting Markets." Ch. Town, Nov. 23. GEO. LEWIS, Market Clerk.

WOOL, WOOL.

ANY QUANTITY, washed and unwashed, will be paid for in Cash, at the highest market rates, by the subscriber, at his Warehouse, Peake's Buildings. May 18, 1857. SAMUEL A. FOWLE.

Piano Fortes & Melodeons.

FOR SALE two of CHICKERING & SON'S renowned PIANO FORTES. These instruments have never been used, and the makers are pronounced, by judges, to be the best. Also—Two Superior MELODEONS, made by Mason & Hamblin. The above instruments can be seen by applying to SAMUEL A. FOWLE. Charlottetown, Feb. 17, 1857. 1st

Ship Bread.

100 BARRELS superior SHIP BREAD for sale cheap by Peake's Buildings, May 25. SAMUEL A. FOWLE.

Liverpool Salt.

THE subscriber has just received a supply of the above article, which he will sell low, for cash only. June 8, 1857. SAMUEL A. FOWLE.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE Co-partnership advertised in April and May last, between the undersigned, under the name of Daniel Brennan & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and all debts due to the said firm are to be paid to D. Brennan, Charlottetown. DANIEL BRENNAN. E. P. NORRIS. Sept. 7, 1857.

Moncton and Shediac Railway.

UNTIL further notice Trains will run between Shediac and Moncton every lawful day, leaving Shediac at 7½ a. m., and 4½ p. m.; leaving Moncton at 9 a. m., and 6 p. m. Fare 2s. 6d. Children under 12 years, half price. Freight at the following rates, viz:—Flour, 6d. per barrel. Fish, 7½d. do. Pork, 9d. do. Oats, 1½d. per bushel. Barley, 2d. do. Other goods in proportion. All goods delivered at the stations. The "Maid of Erin" connects with Saint John twice a week, leaving Saint John on Tuesday and Friday evenings and arriving at Moncton at high water next morning. There is also communication with Saint John three times a week by stage coaches. The steamers "Westmorland" and "Rosebud" connect with Prince Edward Island on Wednesdays and Saturdays. R. JARDINE, Chairman Railway Board. Saint John, August 31, 1857. 1st

City Livery and Sale Stables.

THE subscriber, seeing the necessity of a convenient place for the sale and purchase of Horses in the City, will, in connection with his extensive Livery Stables, give every attention to the interest of parties wishing to buy or sell. His commodious Stables, fitted up for the purpose, and to which he invites inspection, can accommodate a limited number of Horses by the week or otherwise. Thankful for former patronage, he trusts a liberal public will support him in the present undertaking. Charlottetown, May 4, 1857. J. H. GATES.

Notice.

ALL amounts due the subscriber, if not settled on or before the 26th of DECEMBER next, will be handed over to his Attorney for collection without further notice. Oct. 19, 1857. 1st 3m GEO. F. C. LOWDEN.

New Goods—Fall 1857.

THE subscribers have received, per ship "MAJESTIC," their FALL IMPORTATIONS of British Merchandise, consisting of every variety in Staple and Fancy GOODS, suited to the present season, which they offer for sale at the lowest possible price for cash.

1 superior HARMONEON for sale. Oct. 19, 1857. 61 MACNUTT & BROWN.

Flour, Bread, Leather, Soap, &c.

THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE, the following GOODS, at the lowest cash prices:—200 barrels Superfine and Extra FLOUR, 75 " Fine NAVY BREAD, 80 Sides Sole LEATHER, 50 Boxes No. 1 SOAP, 30 " Prime CHEESE, 5 puncheons High Proof Spirits, 2 pipes Brandy, 20 dozen Brooms, 20 " Buckets, 12 Boxes Tobacco, 75 " Cigars. SAMUEL A. FOWLE. Peake's Building, Oct. 5, 1857.

Valuable Mills to be Let.

THE subscriber is desirous of letting those valuable MILLS situate on the Princetown Road, about 15 miles from Charlottetown. They consist of a Grist Mill, with three pair of stones, is quite new and in excellent order; and a SAW MILL. Enquire of the subscriber on the premises. P. Town Road, Oct. 26. 1st JAMES PATTERSON.

Wet Weather, dirty Streets and Roads cannot be avoided.

AT the KING SQUARE HOUSE, 700 pairs BOOTS and SHOES, suitable for the season, are just opened. Particular attention is invited to the Stock of Women's WINTER BOOTS, Boy's Boots and Brogans, and Men's thick waterproof Boots and Brogans. Also—a nice assortment of FUR CAPS—cheap. Nov. 2, 1857. 6w BEER & SON.

To be had at Duncan, Mason & Co.'s, LADIES' reversible waterproof CAPES and HOODS do COATS, A variety of Ladies' Furs, A variety of Men's Fur Caps, Umbrellas, Blankets, Rugs, Carpeting, &c. &c.

Also—the best assortment of IRON and STEEL to be had in the city. Charlottetown, Nov. 2, 1857.

Per ship Isabel from Britain direct. THE subscribers have received, as above, their Fall Importation of General Merchandise, suitable for the season. Ch. Town, Nov. 2. DUNCAN, MASON & Co.

Flour, Sugar, &c.

FOR SALE—600 Barrels FLOUR, 100 Do. CORNMEAL, 200 Bags do. 15 Hhds. SUGAR. Oct. 19, 1857. 1st 3m GEO. F. C. LOWDEN.

IN THE PRESS, and will be shortly published, The most Rev. Dr. James Butler's Catechism, To which is added the Right Reverend Dr. Milner's Scriptural Catechism. Orders for the same will be received and attended to at the Examiner Office. Oct. 22.