LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ELECTION.

Liberal-Conservative Candidate for Charlottetown,

HENRY LONGWORTH, ESQ.

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

OCTOBER 29, 1878.

Keep It Before the People.

THAT the Hon. Thomas W. Dodd has no prescriptive right to monopolize the confidence of the electors of Charlottetown. Neither has he a right to monopolize, for life, the honors and emoluments consequent upon the bestowal of the people's confidence.

That Mr. Dodd has already been the representative of the city for six years, and may now very fairly and properly give place to another who is in every way just as good a man as he is.

That Mr. Dodd, while enjoying the people's confidence, has openly violated the law securing the independence of Parliament—by becoming a contractor for "THAT GLASS" and for the supply of many other articles.

That a law-breaker is not certainly the right man to be a law-maker.

That Mr. Dodd is the sole remaining prop which now supports one of the most obnoxious Governments that ever ruled over this or any other country.

That Mr. Dodd, by the act of taking office in the Davies-Stewart Government, has deliberately indorsed and become responsible for every measure by reason of which the Davies-Stewart Government has become detested throughout the length and breadth of the land.

Sectionalism.

THE way the Grits are using the sectional cry in Ontario may be judged by the following paragraph which we clip from the *Irish Canadian* :—

The Irish Catholic electors of Centre Huron may obtain light for their guidance at this moment by glance at things in Ottawa. There they may see that Dr. Platt's party has given one representative in the Cabinet to 60,000 Protestants of Prince Edward Island while rejecting appeals in the press and in public meetings to give a similar representation to 328,000 Catholics, mainly Irish.

Those who know that Mr. Pope enjoys the confidence and the support of the Catholics, and that his opponents (if he has any) are Protestants, will laugh when they read this paragraph. But it is possible that the electors of Centre Huron may be imposed upon by it.

Hon. McKenzie Bowell.

THE Hon. McKenzie Bowell enjoys the proud distinction of being a practical printer. Mr. Bowell has risen steadily from the position of a printer's apprentice to the position of Minister of Customs. The Toronto *Globe*, we observe, says Mr. Bowell is a "nonentity." But "nonentities" do not generally, in their walk through life, climb from the very bottom to the very top of the ladder. Nor is Sir John McDonald celebrated for taking "nonentities" into his Cabinet. The Berlin (Ont.) *News*, we observe, says :—

The press of Canada owes a debt of gratitude to the new Premier on his giving Mr. McKenzie Bowell a seat in his Cabinet. We should have preferred seeing Mr. Bowell have charge of the Post Office Department, but still he may be able to do a good service to the press of this country in pressing the views upon the present Cabinet which he professed to entertain when the late Government introduced the iniquitous and oppressive law of Direct Taxation which the newspaper publishers of Canada are obliged to bear without the slightest possible advantage, direct or indirect. In years gone by the public men of the Reform party were loud in their professions of friendship for the press, but they were no sooner in power than they laid on publishers the worst tax ever inflicted. That was the size of their friendship. Now the Conservatives are in power, and the amount they owe to a vigorous press cannot be estimated; let us see whether Mr. Bowell and his associates will follow the example set by their pretentious predecessors.

SHORTLY after nine o'clock on Monday evening a resident of the north-west side of this city came to the Police Station and informed the officers that the quiet locality of Douglass Street was disturbed by the pitiful wailing of a foundling that was lying on the doorstep of Mr. Frederick James, carpenter. The Marshall dispatched officer Cameron to the scene. On arrival he found a number of the residents of that vicinity in deep consultation as to the most charitable means of getting rid of a "further burthen." The Sergeant, with an air of authority, ordered Mr. James to take immediate charge of the basket with its contents; and Mr. James, with the greatest reluctance, complied. The basket was taken into Mr. James' house, where, on the removal of a few linens, a delicate baby, apparently three or four days old, and two bottles of milk, were revealed to the gaze of those assembled. The supposed mother was traced by the police to the railway station, where they discovered that she purchased a check, and left in the morning train for Freetown.

City Council.

A special meeting of the City Council was held last evening. Present: The Mayor, the Recorder, Councillors Peake, Beer, Byrne, Heartz, Davy, Horne, Koughan and Morris.

A BOMB-SHELL AT THE BEGINNING.

After the reading of the Minutes, the Mayor said :—

Before we go any further it is my duty to tell you that I have been informed, and believe, that there are some gentlemen now sitting around this Board who have no right to sit here. His Honor the Recorder will read and explain the law ; and gentlemen will themselves know whether or not they can continue to hold their seats at this Council.

The Recorder then read the law as follows—

"No person shall occupy a seat at the Council Board during such time as such person shall hold any office or place of profit in the gift or disposal of the said Council, or during such time as he shall have, directly or indirectly, by himself or his partner, any share or interest in any contract or employment with or on behalf of the Council."

Councillor Heartz—I have contracted with the city for a building I have let to this council for a kerosene oil warehouse. I shall therefore leave my seat. I would not have held it for two minutes had I been aware of the law, as just read by His Honor the Recorder. In leaving I may say that I wish you all success in conducting the affairs of the city.

The Mayor—I can only say that I have received valuable assistance from Councillor Heartz ; and I exceedingly regret that he is obliged to leave.

Councillor Morris—It is said there is nothing new under the sun, but some new law always seems to be turning up at this Council Board. We have had several Recorders but none of them ever drew attention to the law just quoted. I have contracted with the city for the letting of a cottage and will therefore have to resign.

Messrs. Heartz and Morris then withdrew.

The Mayor—I cannot allow any gentleman to occupy a seat at this Council who is not qualified so to do. If, therefore, any other gentleman is present who has violated the law quoted by the Recorder, he will please make the Council aware of the fact.

Councillor Byrne—I am not in Holy Orders, nor have I contracted with the city. Therefore, I suppose my right to sit here is indisputable. I have always contended that gentlemen contracting with the city should not hold seats at this Council Board. The step taken has been one in the right direction; and I am confident that it was through no fault of the Recorder that it was not taken before.

MANAGEMENT OF THE PARK.

A By-law relating to the management of Victoria Park, having been assented to by the Local Government, was ordered to be published, as the law directs, in the weekly editions of the EXAMINER and *Patriot* newspapers.

A "FOUNDLING" FOUND AND CARED FOR.

The Mayor reported that the Marshal had just received information that a child was lying exposed in Douglass Street. He said he was glad the Council was in session, so that Councillors might take the responsibility of saying whether the child should be allowed to perish or be taken up and cared for. On motion of Councillor Koughan, seconded by Councillor Peake, it was

Ordered, That the Marshal take charge of the child and care for it.

WATER ! WATER !

Another proposition of Messrs. McKinnon, Fraser & Company to pump water into Spring Park tank was referred to a special Committee.

Councillor Horne called attention to the want of a pump near Alley's lots, Ward 5, and moved that one be put down there. Motion lost.

Councillor Byrne said that he inadvertantly voted against the motion, and gave notice of reconsideration.

THE STREETS.

Councillors Davy and Horne were appointed to take the places of ex-Councillors Heartz and Morris on the Street Committee, Councillor Davy to be Chairman.

Council adjourned.

Anarchy in Turkey.

A letter from Constantinople, published by the *Daily News*, states that thirty murders have occurred within a brief space of time at the very gates of the Turkish capital, in addition to others in the Bosphorus villages and on the Asiatic shore. The victims in every case were Christians. No one has yet been punished or even arrested, for these crimes. Up to the very gates of Adrianople, crime and lawlessness prevail. No sooner do the Russians leave a locality than the Turk prepares to execute vengeance. It is added that at Adrianople the Turks do not hesitate to threaten the Christians that old sores will soon be paid off. A feeling of uneasiness prevails in consequence among the Christian population, and petitions are being circulated, addressed to the Russian authorities, asking them not to leave the town until it has been fully garrisoned by regular troops.

A LONDON despatch to New York says it is understood that the action of Russia in buying and building ships of war, and contracting for supplies of munitions of war in the United States, has formed the subject of recent correspondence between Lord Salisbury and the American Secretary of State, in which the former takes a very high tone and insists that the United States will be held to very strict accountability on the principles laid down on the question of neutrality by Evarts' predecessors, and which received formal sanction in three rules adopted by the Joint Commission at Geneva.

Mr. Pope in the Cabinet.

The St. John *Sun* says: "Still more important to Maritime interests is the appointment of Hon. J. C. Pope, of Prince Edward Island, to the position of Minister of Marine and Fisheries. This portfolio could only properly be assigned to a Maritime representative; but in the present instance the Premier has very wisely named a gentlemen whose business qualifications for the position cannot for a moment be questioned. Mr. Pope, like his first predecessor, Mr. Mitchell, will not be Minister in name only, he will really and truly be the propelling power which moves the machinery of the department. He is prompt to decide, quick to act, has fine business capacity, and all the energy necessary to make his influence felt throughout his department."

Cattle for England.

Last week there arrived at Liverpool from the United States and Canada no fewer than 2,120 live cattle, 6,509 sheep, 809 pigs, and 10 calves, numbers which far exceed those of any other week since the trade in live stock was initiated. As regards sheep, the increase over any former period is enormous. The importation of live stock last week is significant from the fact that, although the weather experienced in most instances was very severe, the mortality amongst the animals in transit was small. There was also a large supply of fresh meat. Four steamers arrived from New York and one from Philadelphia, bringing 4,280 quarters of beef, 555 carcasses of mutton and 710 packages of fresh butter.—*Shipping Gazette, Oct. 14.*

Enterprise of Modern Journalism.

Mayfair makes certain statements which explain why the telegrams from India six days out of the week are so meagre, and why on the Monday morning they are so profuse in the *Times*. "Each word telegraphed from India costs 4s. 6d. Thus Mr. Forbes' communications to this paper will cost over £100 a column for the mere charge of telegraphic transmission ! The comparatively brief telegram which appeared in the *Daily News* on Monday fortnight announcing the rejection of the Chamberlain mission cost $36. The *Times* has a special arrangement with the telegraph company, whereby it has the use of the wire on Sunday at half price. This privilege is, however, weighted with the stipulation that the wire is used whether there is news or not—which seems hard on the readers of the *Times*.

Rumblings of War.

The *Standard's* dispatch from Vienna says that Russia's military preparations are so vast that no one can doubt she is bent on further conquest. The only question appears to be whether she will wait until spring or commence war before that time. Her excuse will probably be outbreaks among the Bulgarians gotten up by Russian agents. A camp of 60,000 men is foraging at Nischenoff to replace the troops who crossed the Balkans southwards. Russia refuses to evacuate Dobrudscha or Roumania until Roumania has concluded an offensive and defensive alliance. Russian agents openly claim that Moldavia as far as Seruth must become Russian.

The *Times* says : "Russia ventures to stand in the way of the execution of the Berlin Treaty because she trusts to the forbearance of others. A word spoken in earnest by England or Austria would bring her to her senses in a moment. It is preposterous to assert that our hands can be tied by the Afghan difficulty; we must force ourselves upon Afghanistan to the exclusion of others who have no right there. Our course is clear; when we shall enter upon it is another question. It is certain, however, that a decisive campaign will not commence before spring. Our attention will be given to carrying out the Berlin treaty."

Colonial Exhibitions.

THE Colonial Commissioners at the Paris Exhibition have presented the Prince of Wales with an address, thanking him for the interest he had taken in the colonies, and have asked him to use his efforts toward the erection of a permanent colonial museum in London, where the products and manufactures of the British colonies might at all times be on view, and which would diffuse throughout the mother country a better knowledge of the nature and importance of their resources, etc. The Prince agreed with the Commissioners that many advantages would flow from the establishment of such a museum. The practicability, however, of the mode of carrying it into effect required mature deliberation on the part of the respective governments wishing to promote the idea. However, he would be pleased, in the meantime, to apply to the Commissioners of the Exhibition of 1851 to place at the disposal of the Colonial Commissioners a place requisite for the preservation during the ensuing year of such goods as they might desire to retain as a nucleus for a permanent collection. He assured the Commissioners of the warm interest with which he regarded every proposal tending to knit more closely the colonies to each other and to the Empire at large. The Prince announced that the Queen had conferred the order of St. Michael and St. George upon the leading Commissioners, and Hon. Mr. Pelletier, Chairman of the Canadian Commission, and Mr. Keefer, of Ottawa.

THE abolition of the Upper Chamber in Prince Edward Island is being agitated by the people of that Province. They will be wise if they get rid of this unnecessary wheel to the legislative machine. When Ontario can get along without it, why could not a potatoe patch in the ocean do so, too. —*Ottawa Herald.*

SPECIAL MEETING.

AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL MEETING of the Shareholders in the St. Lawrence Marine Insurance Company will be held in the Merchants' Exchange Reading Room on SATURDAY, the 9th day of November next, at 2 o'clock, to receive report of Committee. By order.

FRED. W. HYNDMAN,
Secretary.

Oct. 29, 1878—

POLITICAL MEETINGS.

THE undersigned, having been nominated unanimously in the interests of the Opposition, at a large and influential meeting held at Belle Creek, of the electors of Wood Islands, Belle Creek and Flat River, on the 25th inst., to represent this District in the place of John F. Robertson, Esq., who resigned, will hold meetings as follows :—

At Murray Harbor Road, at Green Marsh Schoolhouse, on THURSDAY, 31st current, at 5 o'clock, p. m.

At Eldon, on FRIDAY, 1st November, at 5 p. m.

At Vernon River Bridge, on MONDAY, 4th November, at 5 p. m.

At Pownal, on TUESDAY, 5th November, at 5 p. m.

ANGUS D. McMILLAN.

Wood Islands, Oct. 29, 1878—pres

Superior Winter Apples

TO ARRIVE.

150 BARRELS hand-picked BALDWIN APPLES—the product of one farm in Massachusetts, and of the best quality, for sale by

A. A. BALDWIN & CO.

Oct. 28—2i sw pat 1i

JAMES HOBBS,

CABINET-MAKER,

UPHOLSTERER, ETC.,

HAS REMOVED from McPhail's Corner to the premises just vacated by Mr. JOHN STUMBLES, Prince Street, where, with increased facilities, he is prepared to attend to the wants of his customers with punctuality and despatch, and on reasonable terms.

CARPETS cut and laid.

PAINTING and Repairing neatly done.

PICTURE FRAMES and Mouldings constantly on hand, or made up to order.

All kinds of Household Furniture made to order, cheap and good.

New Pattern School Desks made at short notice. A first-class article.

☞ Don't forget the place: **PRINCE STREET** (near the new Baptist Church in course of erection).

Charlottetown, Oct. 26, 1878—

POTATOE SHOVELS.

CHEAP BOARDS for dunnage for Potatoe Vessels,

NOVA SCOTIA CIDER (nice), in barrels,

FINNEN HADDIES (fresh),

DIGBY HERRINGS,

JUST RECEIVED.

F. S. HANFORD & CO.,

Ch'town, Oct. 26, '78. Water Street.

ST. JAMES CHURCH.

THE Pews in the above Church will be disposed of at a Public Meeting to be held in the Church, WEDNESDAY evn'g next, at 7½.

The terms of rent and bonus have been placed at most moderate rates, in order to put pews and sittings within easy reach of all who may desire to secure them.

Oct. 26, 1878—

LOOK HERE! GOOD TIMES!

FOR FORTY DAYS the Subscriber will sell **Gravestones,** delivered at the SHOP. Notice the prices :

Headstones,	4 ft. 0 in. high,	2 in. thick, at	$20
Do.	4 ft. 0 in. "	2 " "	18
Do.	4 ft. 0 in. "	2 " "	16
Do.	3 ft. 9 in. "	2 " "	14
Do.	3 ft. 6 in. "	2 " "	12

Headstones three inches thick in the same proportion.

Stock and workmanship guaranteed first-class.

☞ Produce taken at market rates.

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E. G. HUNTER.

Ch'town, Oct. 18—1w wkly 1m

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NEW

Worsted Coatings

(CHOICE PATTERNS)

—AT—

KING SQUARE HOUSE

Tailoring Department

BEER & SONS.

Ch'town, June 18, 1878.

IRON WORK.

I HAVE on hand a lot of Ring Bolts, Rudder Irons, Windlass Gear and other work, which can be bought for less than cost of the raw material. Also, a lot second-hand 3-inch Iron Pipes.

Oct. 24—3i eod HENRY COOMBS.

Light Sloven For Sale.

APPLY TO
HENRY COOMBS.

One 8 Horse-Power Boiler,

in good repair, for sale by
HENRY COOMBS.

100 Mackerel Barrels.

APPLY TO
HENRY COOMBS.

20 Barrels Prime Mess Pork

for sale by

Oct. 24—3i eod HENRY COOMBS.

DRY FLOORING.

I HAVE on hand 3,000 feet 1¼ inch Flooring. Been drying since last winter. Apply to

Oct. 24—3i eod H. COOMBS.

Kerosene Oil.

100 CASKS ATLANTIC — one of the best brands in the market — just arrived ex brigt. "Quango." Will be sold low while landing.

H. COOMBS.

Ch'town, Oct. 24—3i

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RAILWAY.

CHANGE OF TIME.

THE public will please note that a new TIME-TABLE will come into force **Monday, November 4th, 1878.**

C. J. BRYDGES, Gen. Supt. Gov. Ry's. | W. McKECHNIE Supt. P. E. I. R'y.

Ch'town, Oct. 21—pat 5i

Merchants Bank Notes

TAKEN AT THEIR FACE IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS at the **London House.**

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Oct. 21—

REMOVAL.

THE Subscribers would respectfully announce that they have removed to that new studio in the new building south of Mr. Fraser's Drug Store, where they are prepared to furnish their patrons with

PHOTOGRAPHS

of every style, the quality and finish of which cannot be surpassed in America. Having had a long experience in some of the leading Photographic Studios in the United States, they are confident that they can guarantee satisfaction to their patrons.

The superior quality of their work is evident, and they are prepared to furnish several styles of Pictures that cannot be obtained elsewhere in the Province.

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ROSS BROTHERS,

QUEEN STREET.

☞ Entrance opposite George Full's.

Ch'town, Oct. 18, 1878—1m eod

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SEEN WHAT ?

BOREHAMS'

New Boot & Shoe Store,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET HOUSE.

JUST OPENED,

MEN,S,
WOMEN'S
BOYS',
MISSES',
and CHILDREN'S

BOOTS, SHOES & RUBBERS !

IN GREAT VARIETY.

COME and have your feet PROTECTED.
COME and have your feet kept WARM.
COME and have your feet kept DRY.

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CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.,

Oct. 14, 1878—wed sat tf