

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

NOVEMBER 24, 1882.

A Bubble Pricked.

THE sweet morsel of consolation afforded the Patriot by the result of the Legislative Council Elections, has, it seems turned bitter now that it has been disposed of. It is evidently indigestible by the editor of the tribulations journal; for he is troubled in mind; snappish, excited, wants "to get up a fight," and screams energetically about the "bitter fruit" which is the prime cause of his trouble.

He declares that THE EXAMINER "threatens the people with direct taxation;" and, that "the Government, through their organ shake their fists, so to speak, in the faces of the electors, and angrily declare that they must, and shall be taxed."

Not so! These declarations are absolutely untrue; and can only be excused on the score of "the evil imagination" resulting from the "bitter fruit." Being untrue, the elaborate argument drawn from them amounts to nothing. It is a large bubble, lacking the beauty of a bubble, full of nothing but bad air.

Far from threatening the people with direct taxation, both THE EXAMINER and the Government deprecate it, and have done their very best to prevent it. We have, of course, no right to speak for the Government; for we are not in the confidence of the Government, and not cognizant of the financial state of the Province. But we sincerely hope that the present Administration may not be a party to the re-infliction of direct taxation; and that, if direct taxation be necessary, they will resign.

Having wiped off the heavy indebtedness of \$60,000 which their predecessors rolled up; having replaced all the public works unfortunately destroyed by the great autumnal storm of 1879; having expended larger amounts in the promotion of education and of agriculture than any of their predecessors ever did, having abolished direct taxation, which, under the old Land Tax Act and under the new Grit tax course, had been imposed for upwards of twenty years—they might well retire from the field feeling that they had rendered to the Province a great and permanent service; and leave to their extravagant and unscrupulous opponents the invidious task of reimposing direct taxation. Had their policy with respect to the reduction of the Legislature been at the first successful, the financial position of the Province would now be still further improved to the extent of the \$20,000 or \$30,000 which have been thrown away upon useless legislators; and with prudent management there never would have been any further necessity for direct taxation, unless to make provision for increased expenditures for education, or for other public benefits.

But the people seem to be either dissatisfied or indifferent. The Patriot says THE EXAMINER refuses to see, in the result of the elections, an evidence that the Government is growing unpopular. The fact is we were silent upon that point; and silence is generally construed to mean consent. Had the Patriot been a fair critic it would have drawn the conclusion that THE EXAMINER tacitly admits that the Government are losing their popularity. Undoubtedly they are losing their popularity. Were they as popular as they were three or four years ago, their candidates would all have been successful. But why are they growing unpopular? Because they have been too economical, too careful in their expenditure of the taxpayers' money; because many of their supporters feel personally aggrieved from having had their "accounts cut down," because their opponents have, from the first, and continually, denounced them as "a mean Government." That is why they are unpopular. No other cause has been, or can be, advanced.

We remember only one other administration which grew unpopular because it was too economical. That was the administration of the late John Sanfield McDonald, of Ontario; and that administration is now regarded as the financial savior of the Province. Perhaps in the course of a few years when the present oppositionists are in office, struggling along with the cumbersome and expensive legislature, making generous expenditures to their legions of needy followers, and taxing the property-holders to the top of their bent for the money required, the rigid economy practiced by the present Government may be appreciated, though at present it is not.

The Patriot declares that "at the last election, and previous to the last election," the Government "confidently declared that direct taxation was unnecessary." This is another gross untruth—due, we must presume, to the "bitter fruit." We challenge the Patriot to prove it. The Government were, in truth, careful to say that direct taxation might again be required; and if they found it to be necessary, they might with perfect consistency—the more so as their policy for the reduction of the Legislature has been defeated—introduce a measure authorizing the levy of a direct tax. But we hope they will not do so. Let the Oppositionists (who cry out for it) have all the honor to be derived from inflicting "the tax curse."

THE "Tampico Corset" is sold by John McPhee & Co. As an evidence of its intrinsic merits a reward of twenty dollars is offered to the wearer of every Tampico Corset in which any of the Tampico dressings are used.

Local and Other Items.

LISTEN to the "Raven" to-night at Y. M. C. A. Hall.

THE total shipment of coal from Picton up to the 21st Nov., was 162,441 tons.

LIEUT. McDONNELL left yesterday to attend the winter term of the Royal Military College, Kingston.

FOR the week ending Nov. 22nd, freight to the value of \$30,878 was shipped by steamers from Summerside.

PROF. MACOUS, who has been sent by the Department of Marine and Fisheries to make selections for the London Fisheries Exhibition, arrived in this city last evening.

THE Horticultural Hall of the Exhibition Building, Fredericton, was destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning. The fire was the work of incendiaries. Two suspicious characters have been arrested.

THE editor of the Pittsburgh Republican, A. Heilmann, Esq., personally referred in that journal to his own aggravated case of rheumatism of two years duration, which was cured by St. Jacobs Oil.

THE ladies of the Methodist Congregation, Souris, will hold a Bazaar for the benefit of the Parsonage Aid Society, on the 15th December. Useful and fancy articles will be sold, and dinner and supper will be served. The committee who have the affair in hand will spare no pains to make it a grand success.

THE Steamer "Worcester," Captain Hallett, which sailed for Boston this morning at six o'clock, had a cargo of 8,000 bags and barrels of Potatoes. Her passenger list was as follows:—Miss Flora A. Campbell, John McInnis, Albert Dibbins, Alexander McLeod, Sarah Harding, John McKay, Mrs. McGuire, Annie McGuire, Lizzie Morrow.

GO to Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening and hear Professor Easty.

BY the "Triumph Health" Corset at John McPhee & Co's. It opens over the hips and has elastic bands at the sides that accommodate themselves to every movement of the body, relieving the wearer of the damaging pressure caused by other Corsets. It is without exception, the most healthful Corset ever sold. [Nov 24 wly]

A CONSISTENT Temperance advocate and reformer considers our attention to Mr. Cox somewhat unfair, if not uncharitable, inasmuch as he appears to have been the only officer of the law who succeeded on a previous occasion in arresting the said Mary McKinnon for a form violation of the Scotch Act, thereby securing the amount of fine and costs then imposed, and which probably the Jorial Inspector unintentionally overlooked, in connection with the recent miscarriage of justice, to acknowledge.—Com.

MR. WILLIAM DINGWELL has returned from Newfoundland. He has taken up a claim three miles square, at Rose Blanche, in the District of Burgeo and La Poile. The samples of ore taken from this claim last year were assayed, and proved rich in gold and silver. He will return to work in the spring. We hope that the mine which he and friends intend to open will prove richer than their present anticipations.

CLARENCE'S DREAM, the Professor's Shakspearean masterpiece will be given to-night in Y. M. C. A. Hall.

THE market to-day was fairly well attended. Sales brisk at the following prices: Beef small, 5 to 12 cents; do gr, 3 to 7 cents; Mutton, 4 to 9 cents; Lamb, 4 to 8 cents; Pork, carcass, 6 to 7 1/2 cents; do small, 9 to 12 cents; Turkeys, 60 to 90 cents; Geese, 45 to 60 cents; Ducks, 25 to 35 cents; Fowls, 20 to 25 cents; Chickens, per pair, 30 to 50 cents; Butter, fresh, 22 to 27 cents; do, tub, 20 to 22 cents; Eggs, 24 to 25 cents; Flour, per 100 lbs., \$3.25 to \$3.50; Oatmeal, per 100 lbs., \$2.80 to \$3.00; Potatoes, 20 to 22 cents; Hay, 50 to 60 cents; Oats, 34 to 35 cents; Turnips, 14 to 16 cents; Sheepskins, 65 to 75 cents.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1882.

By Request, Second Entertainment

—BY— PROFESSOR EASTY

New Programme.

25c. ADMISSION TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. 25c.

35c. RESERVED SEATS THIRTY-FIVE CENTS. 35c.

\$1. THREE RESERVED SEATS ONE DOLLAR. \$1.

School Pupils 15 cents and 25 cents. Reserved Seat Tickets for sale at Apothecaries' Hall, Dodd's Medical Hall, Watson's Drug Store, Bremner Bros., and Chappelle's Diamond Bookstore.

Doors open at 7.30; commence at 8. Nov. 24, '82.

For the Benefit of all Concerned BY AUCTION on TUESDAY, November 28th, at 12 o'clock, noon, at MY AUCTION ROOM, QUEEN STREET,

102 Barrels Flour.

Ex Schooner "Lizzie" from Montreal, landed in a damaged condition, condemned and ordered to be sold for the benefit of all concerned.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Ch'town, Nov. 24, 1882.—3i

For the Benefit of all Concerned BY AUCTION, TUESDAY, November 28th, at 12-30 o'clock, p. m., at L. C. Owen's Warehouse, King Street,

86 Barrels Flour.

Ex schooner "LIZZIE," from Montreal, landed in a damaged condition, condemned and ordered to be sold for the benefit of all concerned.

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HORSES WANTED.

THE undersigned wish to inform the public at large that there are some gentlemen, from the United States, stopping at the North American Hotel, who wish to buy

Light and Heavy Horses, From 1000 to 1,400 lbs. Each.

MILLER, DEARBORN & CO. Nov. 24, 1882.—4i pd.

Blow Your Own Horn. Second to None in the Province.

WHO is he? He has just finished his twenty-third year practical experience at the Sheet Iron and Tin Plate Work. He will attend to the putting up of Stoves, and the manufacture of Copper, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware, himself. He can be found in a small shop 55 Pownal Street, near Grafton. Who is it? Second to none. Blow your own horn.

55 Pownal Street. Ch'town, Nov. 24, 1882.—4i eod

OPEN FOR CHARTER. NEW YORK, DIRECT.

The Clipper Brig "Zinga," NEWLY METALLED, and Classed A1 at Liverpool, now discharging cargo at Peake's No. 1 Wharf, and will be ready to load cargo of

Potatoes or Other Products of the Island, On Monday, 27th inst.

Apply to the owners, PEAKE BROS. & CO. Ch'town, Nov. 24, 1882.—4f

NEIL McLEOD, Barrister & Attorney-at-Law, SOLICITOR, NOTARY PUBLIC, ETC.

OFFICES: Reform Club Committee Rooms, Opposite Post Office, Charlottetown, P. E. Island, Merchants' Bank of Halifax Building, Summerside, P. E. Island.

MONEY TO LOAN, on good security, at moderate interest. Nov. 24, 1882.—4f

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GREAT SALE

—OF—

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING

—AT—

J. B. MACDONALD'S.

MEN'S WARM REEFERS, \$3.00. MEN'S HEAVY REEFERS, \$4.00. MEN'S VERY HEAVY REEFERS, \$6.00. MEN'S EXTRA WARM, (Good Quality) 7\$, 8\$, 9\$, 10\$. MEN'S WARM OVERCOATS, \$1.25. MEN'S WARM OVERCOATS, \$5.50. MEN'S VERY WARM OVERCOATS, \$6.00. MEN'S EXTRA HEAVY OVERCOATS, \$7.50. MEN'S AND BOYS' ULSTERS, in Great Variety, very Cheap.

Persons in want of Ready-made Clothing for Winter, will find one of the largest and cheapest Stock in the City at

J. B. MACDONALD'S, Ch'town, Nov. 22, 1882.—wly pat, dress no QUEEN STREET.

SIGN OF THE ELEPHANT. Opposite Market House, Ch'town.

W. R. BOREHAM

Has now on hand a large and well assorted stock of Men's, Women's, Boys', Youths', Misses' and Children's

BOOTS AND SHOES.

An immense assortment of RUBBERS and OVERSHOES. The stock is personally selected and of unusually good value.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENT. I will give 10 per cent. discount until the 31st December next on all GOODS purchased for Cash.

Now is the time to buy your Boots, Shoes, Rubbers and Overshoes, and Boreham's is the place to get them; and don't you forget it.

N. B.—An immediate settlement is requested of all Accounts rendered to the 30th June, 1882.

W. R. BOREHAM, Grafton Street, North Side Queen Square, Ch'town. Ch'town, Nov. 21, 1882.—2aw tu fr wly till 31 dec

LONDON HOUSE.

Now Opening ex S. S. Victoria, Waldensian and Cedar Grove

Ladies' Beaver and Plush Hats, Ladies' Silk Scarfs,

Ladies' Jersey Gloves, Ladies' Alexandra Jackets,

Children's Woolen Pelisses, Promenade scarfs and Squares.

Behive Wools, Cocoon Wools, Ice Wools, Berlin Wools.

Moire and Broche Sash Ribbons. Gentlemen's Lambs' Wool Underclothing,

Gentlemen's Merino Underclothing, Gentlemen's Kid Mitts and Gloves.

GEO. DAVIES & CO. Charlotte-town, Oct. 5, 1882.

CHEAPEST, SAFEST, SIMPLEST

LIFE INSURANCE

IN THE WORLD.

The Dominion Safety Fund Life Association OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

\$50,000 Deposit with the Dominion Government. Working under Government License.

An Assessment Company with a Safety Fund. Life Insurance at its actual cost.

Good Canvassers Wanted. LEONARD MORRIS, General Agent for P. E. Island.

Summerside, Oct. 28, 1882.—1y

CHEBUCO MARINE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

E. PALMER, JR., EXCHANGE BUILDING. Ch'town, Oct. 26, 1882.—tod pat 1m.

To Whom it May Concern.

THE following Books and Tickets in the Grand Masonic Charitable Enterprise have been CANCELLED (not having been paid for) viz:—

Book No. 230, Tickets from 2820 to 2830, inclusive. Book No. 193, Tickets from 2112 to 2124, inclusive.

Book No. 193, Tickets from 20.3 to 2013, inclusive. Book No. 223, Tickets from 2443 to 2453, inclusive.

Book No. 225, Tickets from 2465 to 2475, inclusive. Book No. 197, Tickets from 2157 to 2167, inclusive.

Book No. 227, Tickets from 2487 to 2497, inclusive. New Tickets in place of these and a few others still on hand, must be sold to close at end of month.

Nov. 24.—11 30. W. H. HART, Chairman.

JUST OPENED! BY MRS. MACLEAN,

(At the Store formerly occupied by Mr. Quirk, South Side Market Square),

A First-Class Fancy Store, —COMPRISING—

ALL the newest Fancy Work, Chenille Arrasene and Silk Embroidery in Cushions, Banners, Brackets, Table and Mantle Draperies, Wool Work, stamped Embroidery, in Table Covers, Toilet Sets, Antimacassars, &c. Cotton, Wool and Linen Canvases, Linen and Wool Aida Canvases, Cotton Aida Canvases, Bragg's Transferring Patterns, Roman Satin Cloth, Mail Cloth, Felt and Plush in all the newest shades, Filloccle Embroidry, Crewell and Trecing Silks, Arrasene in Wool and Silk, Silk and Chenille Cord and Tassels, Pompones, &c., &c.

Wools a speciality, Double and Single Berlin, Fleecy Merino and Ice Wool, Berlin and Peacock Fingering Victoria Yarn, (the very best yarn for knitting purposes), Crewell, Shetland, Floss, Fairy Floss, Macrame Thread, Foot Lace Patterns and Braids, Antique Lace in Antimacassars Squares, &c. Maitese Tichon and Spanish Laces in Black and Cream, Cash's Frillings, Edgings, Ribbons, Velvets, Silks, Satins, Buttons, Elastics.

Wool Goods in Children's Dresses, Jackets, Caps, Clouds and Scarfs, Silk and Chenille Scarfs, Kid Gloves in 2 and 4 buttons in dark and evening shades. Cashmere and Cloth Gloves, India Muslin, Corsets in Dr. Warner's Health and Flexible Hip, Royalist, &c. Children's Corset Waists, a very nice assortment of Neck Frillings.

Beautiful goods for Christmas Presents consisting of Work and Jewel Boxes, Odor Cases, Watch Stands, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, Satchel Purses, &c., &c. A beautiful assortment of Christmas, New Years and Birthday Cards from 1 cent to \$1.50. Prang's 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, prizes. Dolls in variety, Children's Paint Boxes, Tea Sets and Furniture expected daily, a lot of Slippers, Fancy Work, Wools and Christmas Goods, Brigg's and Poison's Patterns, &c. Ch'town, Nov. 23, 1882.

STRAYED,

FROM the pasture of Mr. John Burroughs Lower Spring Park Road, about three weeks ago, a small white and black cow, with short horns. Also, about the 1st of August last, from the Subscriber's premises, in this city, a red cow with white face. Any one giving information of their whereabouts will be rewarded by the owners. SAUNDERS & NEWSOM. Nov. 17, '82.—3aw 11, wly 11

Stables and Coach House TO LET.

THE Stables and Coach House known as Stumles' Livery Stable, on Great George Street. Immediate possession. Apply to JOHN STUMLES. Nov. 16.—1w eod pd

To be Let.

THE two story Dwelling House, fronting on Grafton Street opposite the Prince of Wales College, and formerly owned by Mrs. Watts. EUSTACE HAVILAND. Charlottetown, Nov. 23, 1882.

HERRINGS.

100 Bbls. Newfoundland large Herring for sale. A. H. YATES, Broker. Peake's Buildings, Water Street. no22 2i

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A Cook and Housemaid, in a family, where there is no washing. Inquire at this office.

TO LET—Immediate possession given of a desirable residence, situate on Upper Hillsborough Street. Rent low to a good tenant. Apply at the Merchants Bank of P. E. I. to Mr. F. S. Moore. [no17 1f

TO LET.—The Victoria Hotel, Truro N. S. situated near the Railway Station. This hotel is fitted with all modern improvements, has a large stable attached and if well managed will do the principal hotel business. Possession given in January next. For terms, &c., apply to Thomas McKay, Truro. [nov 16 6i

A COOK wanted immediately. Apply at THE EXAMINER'S OFFICE. [no16 1f

TO LET—A Dwelling House pleasantly situated on Prince Street. Apply to Peake Bros. & Co. no15

WANTED—A Tenant for a House at the Head of Hillsborough Street. Rent cheapest in the market. Apply to W. L. Wellner. [no14 1w

WANTED—A man with experience in Dry Goods to take charge of an establishment in this City with a view to closing it out. Good terms will be given to any one wishing to purchase or continue the business. Apply by letter to box 135. [nov 5

200 SHARES of Merchants Bank Stock for sale. [no14 1w