

(Continued from first page.) former Administration. I listened with attention, and a great deal of interest, to the able address of the Hon. Leader of the Government, when delivering his Budget Speech. In comparing the financial position of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick with that of this Province, he showed clearly that the comparison is, indeed, very favorable to us. But I must say that the hon. gentleman was not so happy in his comparison of the state of the finances of the Province with those of the City of Charlottetown. Although it is true that the City has now an indebtedness of nearly \$300,000, the hon. gentleman must remember that over \$160,000 of that amount was incurred, last year, by the construction of the water-works. I regret to say that for a large portion of the indebtedness previously incurred, with the exception of two public buildings, the City has not much to show for it. I would ask my hon. friend how that large sum was rolled up. It was by pursuing precisely the same course as that pursued by the Government, namely, allowing the expenditure to exceed the revenue year by year, for a considerable length of time. In justice to the citizens, I deem it necessary to make this explanation. Several years ago they took the matter up, and insisted upon an entire change in the management of civic affairs. The imposition of a sufficient tax upon the citizens has always been a difficult as well as a delicate matter, and the various City Councils, up to within a few years, did not levy a sufficient sum to meet the necessary expenditure. By this means a large portion of the present debt of the City was piled up. As a member of the Finance Committee of the City Council for over three years, in connection with the other citizens, I advocated a change in the mode of conducting the finances of the City. As a member of that Committee, I assisted in bringing about a new state of affairs, namely, the providing of a revenue by the levying of a tax sufficient to meet the required expenditure of each year. That policy was, for a time, unpopular with a large number of the citizens, but it was carried out, and no Council has since been elected that has ever attempted to go back to the old system of deficits. A good deal has been said by hon. members on the other side of the House respecting the withdrawal from the capital of the Province of \$200,000. I voted, last session, for that withdrawal, and cannot plead ignorance, like some hon. members in the other branch of the Legislature, of the source from which it was to be taken. I would do so again under similar circumstances. The necessity for so doing does not now exist, and, it is to be hoped, never will again. The indebtedness has been paid off, or nearly so. I have no hesitation in saying that I would not again sanction another draft of \$200,000 from capital. The principle of drawing from capital to meet the current expenditure is a dangerous one, and one that should not again be introduced. It is a bad precedent to establish. However, the only justification that can be given by those who voted for it last session is that the government were indebted to the banks, and were paying a larger rate of interest than we were receiving at Ottawa. In addressing the House on that occasion I justified that withdrawal, and I am still of opinion that I was right, under the circumstances, in pursuing that course. It is a well known fact that it was through the energy and industry of the present government that a large increase was made in our subsidy from the general government. We know that only a few years ago, the very idea that we could secure the payment of certain claims from the Dominion Government was derided by some hon. members of this House, and by some parties outside. I think it was during the session of 1886, when the hon. leader of the government stated that he expected to receive from Ottawa one-eighth of one million dollars, that hon. members of the opposition and their friends declared that the money would never be secured. Well, what has been the result of the government's pressing our claims upon the general government? Instead of receiving only one-eighth of one million dollars, the government have secured an addition of \$20,000 to our annual subsidy from the Dominion treasury, which, I contend, represents at least \$400,000 in capital. In fact, the hon. member for West River admitted this session that the \$20,000 increase of subsidy was better than capital, as it could not be withdrawn. Many calculations have been made by hon. members respecting the present financial condition of the Province. I think there should be no difficulty in ascertaining our true position. On the 31st of December last our capital account stood thus:—

capital for the country, because it cannot be withdrawn. In 1879, when the present Administration came into power, we were receiving a subsidy of... \$155,955.05 In 1888 we received a subsidy of... 193,529.77 Increase of our yearly allowance... \$ 37,574.72 Now, deduct from that increase the interest on \$200,000 withdrawn from Capital in 1889, at the rate of 5 per cent., the rate allowed on our capital at Ottawa, amounting to \$10,000, and we shall have a balance of \$27,574.72. This latter sum of \$27,574.72 is our actual increase of subsidy in 1889, as compared with that of 1879. If we capitalize this amount at 5 per cent. we shall find that it represents an increase of Capital to our credit at Ottawa, at the present time, of over \$550,000. As regards the correctness of either of these modes of showing our improved financial condition, I challenge contradiction. In going over the Public Accounts in order to obtain these figures, I found they were so plain that no one can, in my opinion, for a moment dispute them. They are, I venture to say, correct in every particular. (To be continued.)

Local Notices.

New Matchless Flour just received at Beer & God's. 2i-may8 Big reductions in the price of Flour at Beer & God's. 2i-may8 COMPLETE. Our seasons stock of suitings, coatings and trousers, neck-wear and underwear is complete. We would call special attention to our \$12 all-wool custom made suits. Our prices in hats can't be duplicated in the city.—D. A. Bruce. my6 eod tf Try the "Old London" Apple Cider.—J. Joy, Water Street, Ch'town. 3m-feb23 Any old ornament, or article of furniture, wood, earthenware, metal or glass, may be made beautiful by applying Enamel, which a child can apply. Surface like porcelain, colors exquisite. The following colors may be had at Watson's Drug Store: white, black, grey, peacock blue, turquoise, scarlet, garnet, olive green and old gold. a306w

HAWKER'S TOLU AND CHERRY, A Favorite and Most Valuable Remedy for all Throat and Lung Diseases. It has cured hundreds of cases considered hopeless. It soothes, heals and strengthens the diseased or irritated Throat and Lungs in a very short time. Just a few doses will cure a fresh cold if taken in time. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale at the Drug Stores. W. HAWKER & SON, Proprietors, St. John, N. B. nov10-1y dy

RANKIN HOUSE, SIMON BOLGER, Proprietor, Corner Water and Pownall Streets, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND. THIS old and well-known Hotel has been thoroughly renovated and furnished with all modern conveniences, and now ranks with the first-class Hotels of the Maritime Provinces. The situation is the most delightful in the city, embracing a magnificent view of the Hillsborough River. The Table will be second to none. Free Bus will meet all Trains and Boats. Charges moderate. ap9-4y 3m eod wky 6m eod

Marline and Rope. 1 Ton LOBSTER MARLINE. 2 Tons MANILLA ROPE. SIMON W. CRABBE, Walker's Corner. Ch'town, April 18, 1889.

GRATEFUL-COMFORTING. EPPS'S COCOA BREAKFAST. "By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. Many cases may be traced to a bad habit of eating and drinking. Made simply with boiling water and milk. Sold only in packets, by Grocers, labelled thus: JAMES EPPS & CO., Homoeopathic Chemists, London, England. dec19-1 yr dy & wky

ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM THE REMEDY FOR CURING CONSUMPTION, COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, CROUP, ALL DISEASES OF THE THROAT, LUNGS AND PULMONARY ORGANS. BY ITS FAITHFUL USE CONSUMPTION HAS BEEN CURED When other Remedies and Physicians have failed to effect a cure. Recommended by PHYSICIANS, MINISTERS, AND NURSES. In fact by everybody who has given it a good trial. It never fails to bring relief. AS AN EXPECTORANT IT HAS NO EQUAL It is harmless to the Most Delicate Child. It contains no OPIUM in any form. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 PER BOTTLE. DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO. (Limited), General Agents, MONTEZELLE.

BOOTS SHOES 36 CASES Opening To-day, ex "Stanley." A Very Nice Assortment, Cheap. R. K. JOST, North Side of Queen Square. ap2-eod tf wky

Fifty Thousand Bottles Wanted -AT THE- "OLD LONDON" BOTTLING HOUSE. JOHN JOY, Water Street. feb21-tf

VALUABLE BUSINESS SITE FOR SALE. THAT very eligible piece of Land on Kent Street, part of the Estate of the late John Jury, with a frontage of 51 feet and running back 160 feet. Terms easy. Apply to WILLIAM DODD. meh23

J. BARTON'S Pick-Me-Up Horse Powders Are the best in the world for getting Horses into condition. For testimonials etc., apply to C. H. McLEAN, London and China Tea Co., Charlottetown, P. E. I. meh11-dy wky lyr.



EXHAUSTED VITALITY THE SCIENCE OF LIFE, the great Medical Work of the Age of Manhood, Nervous and Physical Debility, Premature Decline, Errors of Youth, and the untold miseries consequent thereon, 300 pages, 8 vo., 125 prescriptions for all diseases. Cloth, full gilt, only \$1.00, by mail, sealed. Illustrative sample free to all young and middle-aged men. Send now. The Gold and Jewelled Medal awarded to the author by the National Medical Association. Address: P. O. Box 1895, Boston, Mass., or DR. W. H. PARKER, graduate of Harvard Medical College, 25 years' practice in Boston, who may be consulted confidentially. Specialty, Diseases of Man. Office, No. 4 Bulfinch Street. in13-lyr eod & wky

DRUNKENNESS Or the Ligner Habit, Positively Cured by Administering Dr. Halse's Golden Specific. It can be given in a cup of coffee or tea without the knowledge of the person taking it; is absolutely harmless, and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or an alcoholic wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases, and in every instance a perfect cure has followed. The system once impregnated with the Specific, it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to return. For information and full particulars address GOLDEN SPECIFIC CO., 155 Race St., Cincinnati, O.

TRUSSES AND RUPTURE Chas. Clueth's PERFECTED SPINAL TRUSS Children cured in 2 and Adults (at least 50 per cent.) in 4 months without any discomfort to wearers. The most perfect system to use for satisfaction by all. Every Truss specially made for each case. Orders received by a P.M. unless noted. (Prepaid and registered). Put only one cupage. Perfect VENTILATION. Warranted for Five years. Highest Awards at Centennial and wherever exhibited. \$10.00 gold. Send 6c. Stamp for Illustrated Book; invaluable information.—Address: 413 W. CLIFTON, 118 King St. West, Toronto, or Buffalo, N.Y.

Campbell's Cathartic Compound (Liquid.) Note.—This favorite medicine is put up in oval bottles holding three ounces each, with the name written in the glass, and the name of the inventor, S. E. Campbell, in red ink across the face of the label. Beware of imitations, refuse all substitutes, and you will not be disappointed. Campbell's Cathartic Compound Cures Chronic Constipation, Costiveness, and all Complaints arising from a disordered state of the Liver, Stomach and Bowels, such as Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Bilious Affections, Headache, Heartburn, Acidity of the Stomach, Rheumatism, Loss of Appetite, Gravel, Nervous Debility, Nausea, or Vomiting, &c., &c. Price 25 Cents per Bottle. PREPARED ONLY BY DAVIS & LAWRENCE CO. (Limited), CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT Established 1810. -UNLIKE ANY OTHER.- Positively Cures Diphtheria, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Colds, Tonsillitis, Hoarseness, Coughs, Whooping Cough, Catarrh, Influenza, Cholera, Typhoid, Diarrhoea, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Tooth-ache, Nervous Headache, Sciatica, Lame Back, Soreness in Body or Limbs, Stiff Joints and Strains. AS MUCH FOR INTERNAL AS FOR EXTERNAL USE. It is marvelous how many different complaints it will cure. Its strong point lies in the fact that it acts quickly. Healing all Cuts, Burns and Bruises like Magic. Relieves all manner of Cramps and Chills. ORIGINATED BY AN OLD FAMILY PHYSICIAN. All who buy direct from us, and request it, shall receive a certificate that the money shall be refunded if not satisfied. Retail price by mail 35 cts.; 6 bottles, \$2.00. Express and duty prepaid to any part of United States or Canada. Valuable pamphlet sent free. L. S. JOHNSON & CO., Boston, Mass. GENERATION AFTER GENERATION HAVE USED AND BLESSED IT.

The Best Chance -TO GET THOROUGHLY RELIABLE AND- GOOD-FITTING GARMENTS, -IS AT- B. S. DAVIES & CO'S Merchant Tailoring Establishment. ALWAYS A LARGE STOCK TO SELECT FROM, AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE CASH PRICES. MR. KEITH, the popular and efficient Cutter, is at the head of this Department, and with a good staff of workmen you are sure of getting the very best satisfaction when leaving your orders with us. B. S. DAVIES & CO., CAMERON BLOCK February 25, 1888—eod & wky

FOR MEN ONLY! POSITIVE For LOST or FAILING MANHOOD; General and NERVOUS DEBILITY; CURE Weakness of Body and Mind; Effects of Excess of Stimulants in Older Years; Robust, Noble MANHOOD fully restored. How to Relieve and Strengthen Weak, UNDESIRABLE HABITS, and Abolish UNWELLING HABITS. TREATMENT—Results in a few days. Sent by mail 25 Cents. 6 bottles, \$1.50. Sold by all Druggists, or by direct mail from 47 State, Territorial, and Foreign Countries. You can write for Book, full directions, and get a medicine sealed from Address: FRANK MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

CASTORIA for Infants and Children. "Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ANKER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y. Castoria cures Colic, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion. Without injurious medication. THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

The "Old London" Billiard Hall and Oyster House TO THE FRONT! With OYSTERS fresh from the best Oyster Beds on the Island, viz., PINETTE, BEDEQUE, and the NARROWS. THE "OLD LONDON" BILLIARD HALL is admitted to be one of the best furnished Halls in the Province, and you can always rely upon getting a game from 9 a. m. to 11 p. m. Call and see for yourselves. Try the "Old London" Apple Cider, FRESH FROM ANNAPOLIS. Three Doors West from the Osborne House, Water Street, Charlottetown, P. E. Island. "OLD LONDON" BOTTLING ESTABLISHMENT—Opposite Railway Freight Shed. JOHN JOY, Proprietor. March 23, 1889—6m eod

FURNITURE! THE CHEAPEST YET! Call and Inspect, and get Bargains at Auction Prices for Cash. THE CHEAPEST PLACE ON P. E. ISLAND. DRAWING ROOM PARLOR SUITES, best value, BEDROOM SUITES at lowest prices, All kinds of UPHOLSTERED GOODS at Bargains, PICTURE FRAMING, 125 varieties, very cheap and nobby. LOOKING GLASSES, The latest in WINDOW BLINDS, and all kinds of WINDOW FURNITURE and Fixings at cost. No trouble to show goods. Can suit all tastes, at NEWSON'S FURNITURE WAREHOUSES, opposite the Post Office. JOHN NEWSON. Charlottetown, Jan. 31, 1889.



Brilliant! Durable! Economical! Diamond Dyes excel all others in Strength, Purity and Fastness. None other are just as good. Beware of imitations, because they are made of cheap and inferior materials, and give poor, weak, crocky colors. To be sure of success, use only the DIAMOND DYES for coloring Dresses, Stockings, Yarns, Carpets, Feathers, Ribbons, &c., &c. We warrant them to color more goods, package for package, than any other dyes ever made, and to give more brilliant and durable colors. Ask for the Diamond and take no other. A Dress Dyed FOR A Coat Colored FOR 10 CENTS. Germents Renewed } A Child can use them! At Druggists and Merchants. Dye Book free. WELLS, RICHARDSON & CO. MONTREAL, P. Q.

WOVEN WIRE FENCING 60 to 90 cts. PER ROD. GALVANIZED STEEL WIRE. Twisted Wire Rope Solvage. All white and black. Sold by us or any dealer in this line of goods, partially by the yard, or by the ton. Write for the QUANTITY PRICE LIST NO. 60. Agents, CHARLOTTE, or to THE QUINTON BROTHERS, Charlottetown. Wholesale Agents for Prince Edward Island.

FOR MEN ONLY! POSITIVE For LOST or FAILING MANHOOD; General and NERVOUS DEBILITY; CURE Weakness of Body and Mind; Effects of Excess of Stimulants in Older Years; Robust, Noble MANHOOD fully restored. How to Relieve and Strengthen Weak, UNDESIRABLE HABITS, and Abolish UNWELLING HABITS. TREATMENT—Results in a few days. Sent by mail 25 Cents. 6 bottles, \$1.50. Sold by all Druggists, or by direct mail from 47 State, Territorial, and Foreign Countries. You can write for Book, full directions, and get a medicine sealed from Address: FRANK MEDICAL CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Pierce's Pleasant LITTLE Purgative LIVER PILLS. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. ALWAYS ASK FOR DR. PIERCE'S PELLETS, OR LITTLE SUGAR-COATED PILLS. Being entirely vegetable, they operate without disturbance to the system, either of occupation. Put up in glass vials, hermetically sealed. Always fresh and reliable. As a laxative, cathartic, or purgative, these little Pills give the most perfect satisfaction. SICK HEADACHE, Bilious Headache, Dizziness, Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, and all derangements of the stomach and bowels, are promptly relieved and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets. In explanation of the remedial power of these Pellets over so great a variety of diseases, it may truthfully be said that their action upon the system is universal, not a gland or tissue escaping their sanative influence. Sold by all druggists, 25 cents a vial. Manufactured at the Chemical Laboratory of World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

\$500 REWARD is offered by the manufacturer of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy for a case of Chronic Nasal Catarrh which they cannot cure. SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH.—Dull, heavy headache, obstruction of the nasal passages, discharge falling from the head into the throat, sometimes profuse, watery, and acid, at others, thick, tenacious, mucous, purulent, bloody and purrid; the eyes are weak, watery, and inflamed; there is ringing in the ears, deafness, hoarseness or coughing to clear the throat, expectoration of offensive matter, together with scales from the throat; the voice is changed and has a nasal twang; the breath is offensive; smell and taste are impaired; there is a sensation of dizziness, with mental depression, a hacking cough and general debility. Only a few of the above-named symptoms are likely to be present in any one case. Thousands of cases annually, without manifesting half of the above symptoms, result in consumption, and end in the grave. No disease is so common, more deceptive and dangerous, or less understood by physicians. By its mild, soothing, and healing properties, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures the worst cases of Catarrh, "cold in the head," Coryza, and Catarrhal Headache. Sold by druggists everywhere; 50 cents.

"Untold Agony, from Catarrh." Prof. W. HATSNER, the famous mesmerist, of Ithaca, N. Y., writes: "Some ten years ago I suffered untold agony from chronic nasal catarrh. My family physician gave me up as incurable, and said I must die. My case was such a bad one, that every day, towards sunset, my voice would become hoarse, and I could barely speak above a whisper. In the morning my coughing and clearing of my throat would almost strangle me. By the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, in three months, I was a well man, and the cure has been permanent." "Constantly Sneezing and Spitting." THOMAS J. RUSHING, Esq., 4202 Pine Street, St. Louis, Mo., writes: "I was a great sufferer from catarrh for three years. At times I could hardly breathe, and was constantly hacking and spitting, and for the last eight months could not breathe through the nostrils. I thought nothing could be done for me. Luckily, I was advised to try Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and I am now a well man. I believe it to be the only sure remedy for catarrh now manufactured, and one has only to give it a fair trial to experience astounding results and a permanent cure." Three Bottles Cure Catarrh. ELI ROBBINS, Runyon P. O., Columbia Co., Pa., says: "My daughter had catarrh when she was five years old, very badly. I saw Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy advertised, and procured a bottle for her, and soon saw that it helped her; a third bottle effected a permanent cure. She is now eighteen years old and could read and write."