

Down With Political Corruption.

Repeal the Gerrymander—Restore the Franchise—Punish those who Enacted the Mortgage Vote—Cast Out the Land Office Wreckers—Make Revenue and Expenditure Meet.

THE MEN TO VOTE FOR

IN KING'S COUNTY.

- First District—KICKHAM and MORSON. Second District—SULLIVAN and UNDERHAY. Third District—J. E. McDONALD and SHAW. Fourth District—CLOW and McLEOD. Georgetown, etc.—GORDON and McDONALD.

IN PRINCE COUNTY.

- First District—BIRCH and BLANCHARD. Third District—ARSENAULT and McDONALD. Fourth District—BENTLEY and McCABE. Summerside—ROGERS and DESROCHE.

QUEEN'S COUNTY.

- First District—CAMPBELL and McLEOD. Second District—JENKINS and McKay. Third District—BLAKE and STEWART. Fourth District—MARTIN and McLEAN. Charlottetown—OWEN and FITZGERALD.

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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MORE OPPOSITION.

We learn that James Yeo, Esq., was nominated today to oppose the Government candidate, Mr. McWilliams. Mr. Yeo may be relied upon to swell the number of those elected to condemn the unjustifiable act of the Peters Administration in the next Legislature.

CONSOLIDATION OF THE LAWS.

This is another point in respect to which the Peters Government deserve the condemnation of the people. A consolidation of the laws is badly needed. Every man knows that this is true, and every magistrate or other person who has to find and interpret the law feels that it is true. In response to a popular demand, in which the grit party had a potent voice, commissioners were appointed to consolidate the laws. The commissioners did their work well and were well paid for their services. But the Peters Government, since coming into power, have been so deeply engrossed in legislating away the rights and liberties of the people, that they have not found time to pass the laws as revised and consolidated by the commissioners. The consequence is that the labor and money expended upon this highly important matter has, so far, been thrown away. The statutes, as consolidated, have not been brought into force and operation. The fault is that the Peters Government. Suppose a man to have employed a lawyer to draw up a deed, and that after the work had been done as directed he had refused to sign it, would the blame rest upon the lawyer? Not at all. Neither does the blame in respect to the consolidation of the laws rest upon the Commissioners. It rests upon the Peters Government. The action of the Legislature is needed to give validity to the work which has been done and paid for, and the Legislature, under Mr. Peters' leadership, has not done its duty. Voters should remember this.

BE CAREFUL, MR. DAVIE.

The grit meeting of this evening is called to discuss, among other things, the legal opinion regarding the railway vote. Of course Mr. Davie will repeat his verbal opinion that the men have been disqualified, and that he has received letters to the same effect from Nova Scotia lawyers. We now ask Mr. Davie to state whether or not he approves the action of Mr. Fred. Peters in taking away the votes of the Dominion officials. Say "yes" or "no," Mr. Davie. It's a very simple question, a dither "yes" or "no" will be a pertinent answer.

THE "GUARDIAN'S" PERVERSION.

Is law, the meaning of the word is "to bring entirely down or put an end to, to do away with, to abate a nuisance, to abate a writ." It was in this sense that THE EXAMINER used the word "abated" in connection with the legal prohibition of the liquor traffic. The Guardian should be more careful and not publish its ignorant. Some people are so smart that they over-reach themselves.

INTIMIDATION.

We were shown a letter to-day written by a leading grit law firm to an elector, to whom they had lent money on mortgage some time ago, soliciting support for grit candidates and hoping "to hear" that the elector voted as requested. Surely this is against law and good morals.

How to Get a Sunlight Plumber.

Send 25 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers (wrappers bearing the words "Why Does a Woman Look Old Sooner than a Man?" to Ladies' Home, 43 Scott St., Toronto, and you will receive by post a pretty picture, free from advertising, and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market and it will only cost the postage to send in the wrappers, if you leave the envelopes. Write your address carefully.

USE SKOJA'S DISCOVERY.

COME to the tea and fancy sale in aid of the P. E. Island Hospital, at St. Paul's Schoolroom, Thursday afternoon and evening, Dec. 7th. Admission 10 cents; children 5. Tea 25 cents.

THE CRYING SIN OF OUR LAND.

REV. J. M. CLARY, of Minneapolis, formerly President of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, at the recent Catholic Lay Congress, held in Chicago, read an able paper upon the subject of temperance, in which he characterized intemperance as the crying sin of our land, urged Roman Catholics to enlist more generally and more earnestly in the temperance crusade, made a strong plea for total abstinence; and also said: "The drink excise shields itself behind false theories of science, and many have been deluded by the false notion that alcohol is beneficial to health. Thirty-six States of this Union have by law made the teaching of true principles of temperance compulsory in our common schools. Too much importance cannot be attached to the practice of inculcating habits of total abstinence among children and our boys and girls during the dangerous and trying period of youth."

"If our prelates, priests, and people join hands together to work in harmony and strength for the realization of the noble mission of our plenary councils the awful curse of intemperance can be almost entirely eradicated from among us. We must encourage, then, our total abstinence societies by every means at our command. We priests, models of Pope Leo's words, must 'shine as lights of total abstinence,' and by exhortation and preaching avert the calamities which this vice threatens Church and State."

"In those sanctuaries of affection and virtue, the Christian homes of our people, let the sophistries of the advocates of alcohol be exposed by sound reasoning; the temptations of the saloon be carefully explained, and let fathers and mothers merit for themselves the reward and commendation of sober sons and daughters by showing a noble example of self-control and sobriety."

"Let there be a general and a generous distribution of temperance literature, tracts, lectures, statistics, and good reading among our people. And this work of agitation in favor of sobriety and temperance must be constant and active. The allurements of drink are ever thrusting themselves in the pathway of men. Near the house of prayer the workingman finds the drinking saloon, cheerful, enticing, and hospitable, as he goes to worship God on Sunday morning. Close to the gates of the factory or mill the agents of alcohol try to tempt him and tempt the weary toiler to spend for momentary gratification his hard-earned money that is much needed in his humble home. Surrounded thus by attractive temptations, men need constant warnings, repeated admonitions, and such wholesome influence as will strengthen and safeguard them against the overpowering spell of drink."

There are, in these remarks, points to be noted by all our clergymen and temperance workers. The teaching of our youth to touch not the perilous destroyer, an example of total abstinence on the part of all clergymen and laymen who believe that it is wrong to eat or drink that which causes the weaker brethren to offend, a general, vigorous and continuous agitation in opposition to the drinking habits of the day, and the formation of temperance societies in connection with every church—this is a plan of campaign which may be at once adopted, and which will more surely than legal prohibition by itself result in the abatement of the national evil of drunkenness.

MEETING AT PEAK'S STATION LAST NIGHT.

The Government Candidates Refuse to Meet Susan and Underhay. The meeting at Peak's Station last night was attended by four hundred electors. Mr. Patrick Mooney was appointed chairman. Mr. McLaughlin opened the debate, and spoke for about half an hour, when an alarm was given that the building was sinking. The meeting was held on the second floor of the shop occupied by Alex. McDonald. The people left the building, and an examination was made by competent carpenters who decided that the temporary repairs to the building would be quite safe. Two additional posts were placed under the weak part of the building and the people again entered it to the number of three hundred. A messenger was sent to Mr. Peters and Mr. McLaughlin, informing them that the meeting was waiting for them, but they did not return. The chairman appointed by Messrs. Peters and Mr. McLaughlin had left the meeting appointed by Mr. Henry Mooney in his place. Addresses were given the electors by Messrs. Peter McCourt, J. C. Underhay, J. P. Sullivan, and G. P. Owen. The chairman called upon any person in the meeting who would speak in favor of the Government, and promised a good hearing, but no one responded, and the meeting adjourned at 10:30 o'clock.

BELLE CREEK MEETING.

This meeting was held on the 1st inst., and was a little more stormy on account of an attack on the private characters of two Conservative candidates being published in the Patriot, which just reached Belle Creek before the opening of the meeting. Of course it was loudly condemned, and will certainly recoil on the originators. Otherwise the meeting was of the usual character. Mr. McLaughlin took all the credit for the introduction of the telephone. He said he was all powerful with the Government, and only succeeded in getting it from the Telephone Co. under a threat of withdrawing their subsidy. At Belle Creek he said he was unable to give them telephone communication on account of the opposition of Mr. C. C. Gardner and Mr. Malcolm McLeod. He however modified his assertions in regard to the latter gentleman, and the inference he wished to draw was considerably weakened. The dam at Belle Creek is a sore job too. To-day, after expending hundreds of dollars, it is said that either of the two candidates could safely crawl under it. That it is not a success is owing to the stultification of the so-called engineer, who in defiance of the advice and opinion of men who had made it a study for years, and in defiance of public opinion generally, located it badly and built it worse. It is a pity that incapable men are intrusted with the responsibility of engineering about. The meeting closed when nearly twelve o'clock, and a leading grit was heard to proclaim he knew as much before the meeting began as when it was over. He evidently was not very well pleased with it. Just so.

PROTEST FROM A TEACHER.

Sir,—It is currently reported that one of the leaders of the present Government returned to power again, proposes to do away with the supplement now paid to teachers in order to make revenue and expenditure meet. This means a reduction in the teachers' salary. Surely this is economy with a vengeance, when they begin at the hardest worked and most poorly paid of all the public servants, to do away with their pay. I being one of those unfortunately would like to know if this really one of the planks in the platform of the Liberal party. I have always been a supporter of that party; but I do not consider this a very liberal measure and cannot endorse their liberal policy any longer. I would call on all brother teachers to investigate the matter and govern themselves accordingly, throwing party politics aside.

A CHRISTY TEACHER.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER. WRECK OF A BRITISH SHIP. Loss of the Captain and Crew Except One Man. HIGHLAND LIGHT, MISS, Dec. 6. The British ship, Jason, McMillan, master, from Calcutta for Boston, was driven ashore three miles south of Highland Light, last evening. She was discovered drifting ashore by the life-saving crew, but could not be reached. A sea-man named Samuel Evans was washed ashore on some wreckage. The ship is going to pieces, and it is believed that with the exception of Evans the entire crew has perished.

PRACTICAL PROHIBITION.

No Liquor to be Sold in Militia Camps. OTTAWA, Dec. 6. An important order is issued by the Department of Militia, in which the Militia, having observed, with the effects, in militia camps of instruction, the sale of wine, liquor, and other intoxicating liquors, and the consequent demoralization and indiscipline of the troops, has decided to issue orders for the proper carrying out of this order; and they, together with officers commanding camps of active militia, will be, in those districts where law directs, liable to prosecution in respect of any liquor sold in the tents or other premises subject to their control, in addition to such penalty as may be inflicted for breach of military discipline.

St. John-News.

An autopsy shows that Governor Boyd's death was due to a rupture in the wall of the left ventricle of the heart. The Bank of New Brunswick announces a dividend for the past half year at the rate of 12 per cent per annum.

Failure in Montreal.

The assignment of Jesse Joseph & Co., dry goods merchants, is announced, with liabilities of about \$30,000. Amongst the creditors is the Bank of Nova Scotia, \$1,600.

Personal.

Miss Emma Beer, of Charlottetown, P. E. Island, is visiting at the residence of Rev. T. J. Deinstadt—Moncton Transcript. CHRISTMAS presents, oysters and ice cream at St. Paul's Schoolroom, Thursday afternoon and evening, Dec. 7.

Letter From Santa Claus

To GEO. CARTER & CO. Sirs,—My advance agents inform me that you have the best selection of Christmas Presents in the city, and that the prices are very low for such nice goods. I have therefore decided to make your Store my HEADQUARTERS, and hereby authorize you to publicly announce that fact. I will be with you in a few days, and in the meantime my agents have instructions to begin looking for you at once, so you may expect a big rush at your Store from now on until Xmas. I am going to be very liberal to my young friends this Xmas, and I hope you have a very large supply of goods on hand. Yours truly, his SANTA X CLAUS, mark.

GRAND Liberal-Conservative RALLY.

More Agents Wanted. There are several unrepresented districts on this Island which would be interested Agents to represent the "Manufacturers' Life and Accident Insurance Company"—generally conceded to be the most popular, most liberal, and most equitable in the world. They are much alike to European eyes that the photo of one would serve for the whole race; but John Chinaman, being of a thrifty disposition and an ingenious turn of mind, will buy his photo for the purpose of being a lodging house-keeper, and the United States inspector will learn some day that one negative has served for several thousand certificates.

NOTICE.

Any person or persons having claims against Black Diamond Steamers—Barrington and Clifton—for the past season, will please present same for adjustment at our office before 12th inst. PEAKE BROS. & CO., Agents.

THE LYCEUM, LIBERAL RALLY.

At 7:30 O'CLOCK. All the principal Speakers in Opposition to the Government will be present and take part. C. R. SMALLWOOD, Secretary.

LECTURE

THURSDAY EVENING, 7th INST. Under the Auspices of the Young People's Association. THE REV. W. D. MOSS, of Lot 16, P. E. Island, will deliver his Lecture on "Experiences in the Northwest and British Columbia." Admission, 10 cents. Tickets now on sale at Bazaar Store. Doors open at 7:30. Lecture to commence at 8 o'clock. 31—dec5

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OLD Canadian, United States and other stamps, as used 25 to 40 years ago. For "man" pay \$1 to \$5 each. GEORGE LOWE, 346 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, nov21-d&w ex pat her

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We are not going out of the Clothing business, but we want our Clothing to go out before the end of the year, and will offer Clothing at such low prices that will clear the last Overcoat and Reefer in stock.

The Farmers of P. E. Island deserve our thanks for the genuine patronage bestowed on us since we opened our Fall Stock of Ready-made Clothing. We have sold double the quantity this year. Why? Because we have given them the right quality at the right price. Call and save money.

CARPETS! CARPETS! HEAP! CHEAP!

Do you want a Carpet cheap? Well, note our low prices. Everything as represented! Fifty CARPET SQUARES at a price that will make them go. Our Carpet trade cannot be encroached upon. Why? Because we have always treated our customers right. That's what we are here for. Our Carpets have become a household word all over the Island.

We are offering Hemp Carpet from 6 cents per yard; Tapestry Carpet from 20 cents; Jute Brussels Carpet from 35 cents; Real Brussels Carpet from 75 cents; Best Five-frame Carpet from 95 cents.

It is not only our Low Prices that brings the customers along; it is the Quality we keep.

James Paton & Co's Cheap Store, MARKET SQUARE.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

First District of Queen's Co. The undersigned will meet the Electors of the First District of Queen's County at the following times and places: Friday, Dec. 8th, at Clifton Hall, at 2 o'clock, p. m. Saturday, Dec. 9th, at St. Patrick's Schoolhouse, Lot 21, at 2 o'clock, p. m. The Government candidates are invited to attend. WILLIAM CAMPBELL, DONALD B. McLEOD.

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1st District of Queen's County. Monday, December 4th, at Broadlane Hall, at 5 p. m. Thursday, December 7th, at French River Hall, at 1 p. m. Thursday, December 7th, at Irishtown Hall, at 6 p. m. The Opposition candidates are invited to attend. PETER SINCLAIR, A. B. WARBURTON, Ch'town, Nov. 20, 1893.

Church School for Girls.

WIND-OR, NOVA SCOTIA. PATRONS—The Synods of the Dioceses of Nova Scotia and Fredericton. CHAIRMAN of BOARD of TRUSTEES, The Bishop of Nova Scotia. LADY PRINCIPAL—Miss Maslin, with twelve Governesses and Instructors. The Term of this Institution begins on SATURDAY, January 20th, 1894. For Calendar and Trustees' Report apply to DR. HIND, Windsor, N. S. nov21—1m

POLITICAL MEETINGS.

First District of King's. The Candidates for the First District of King's County will meet the Electors of the following places:— Priest Pond—Friday, Dec. 8th, at 2 p. m. West River Hall—Saturday, 9th, at 2 p. m. MISS MARY DOULL, STUDD, STAMPER BLOCK. Instructions given in the various branches of Drawing and Painting. nov29—2m col