

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

JUNE 4, 1884.

Free Trade vs. National Policy.

A DISTINGUISHED writer recently said:—

"I was a radical Free Trader until I visited Ireland and saw the blighting effects of compulsory Free Trade there. It has ruined the manufacturing interests of Ireland, and made the whole people dependent on agriculture, and, therefore, practically the serfs of the owners of the soil. What that policy has done absolutely in Ireland, where English Free Trade has had full sway, it would do relatively in every country of the world."

The above statement as to what English Free Trade has done for Ireland is not, we believe, overdrawn. Still, Grit politicians are constantly telling us that Free Trade is all that is necessary to make Canada great and prosperous. When asked to define what they mean by the great Free Trade panacea, they generally endeavour to evade the question. Some of them, it is true, such as the would-be Minister of Customs, John Charlton, M. P., pronounce in favour of a uniform 20 per cent. tariff—flour and other prime necessities of life, of course, included. Others prefer the old Cartwright tariff, with its tax upon tea and like articles, so levied as to discriminate in favour of the rich and against the interests of the poor man. Others of them again—and in this class we have to place the hypercritical Edward Blake himself—frankly declare that Free Trade for us (Canadians) is an utter impossibility.

But, whatever difference of opinion may prevail among Free Trade partisans they all profess to be of one accord with regard to our National Policy. It is a bad thing, they all say, and only calculated to make the rich man richer and the poor man poorer. The workingman on the other side of the Atlantic, however, appear to have a very different opinion from this; otherwise, so many of them would not be found flocking to this side in search of employment. We learn by the official returns for this year that no fewer than 36,920 immigrants arrived in the Dominion from January 1st to 30th of April, against 38,132 last year. Of these 16,379 went to the United States, leaving 20,541 as settled in the Dominion against 22,155 last year. These figures show that there are thousands of our fellow-countrymen, principally from among the laboring classes of England, Scotland and Ireland, who have no faith in the cry that Protection makes the "rich richer and the poor poorer." Many of these immigrants, no doubt, came to Canada and to the United States on the invitation of friends who had preceded them. These friends could speak from personal experience. Many of them had doubtless felt the hardship and want consequent upon being compelled to subsist on earnings often less than a shilling a day, and they are only too glad now to welcome those they left behind them to a newer and better country, where the majority of the people at least, believe in fostering home industries, and protecting the interests of the of the working men; and where all can earn an honest days' wage for an honest days' work. In spite of all that Grits may say to the contrary, the National Policy means increased employment for the laboring classes, and a better market for the produce of the farm.

Steeple Cleydon.

The writer of the letters signed "Steeple Cleydon" is certainly a bad, bad, very bad man; but he has, at least, a spark of good in him, or he would not feel regret at the annoyance of a woman. Though there is a pardonable curiosity in such mysterious cases as that of "Steeple Cleydon," the attempt to connect any particular person with any particular nom de plume is an unpardonable impertinence. We regret that the names of a good many innocent persons, among men and women, clergy and laity, have been bandied about in connection with "Steeple Cleydon." Steeple is an entity; and having admitted so much, we hope our good citizens will rest satisfied, and try to do no more to improve themselves and their city, that they may be able to treat Steeple's criticisms as they do the idle wind.

Concessions to Manitoba.

THE concessions offered by the Government of Canada, and refused by the Legislature of Manitoba, are in brief:—

"The Federal Government is to concede to the Local Government all the swamp lands in the Province; to grant 150,000 acres of other lands to form the endowment of a Provincial university; to assume for the purposes of the 80 cents per head annual subsidy a population of \$150,000. The capital which this annual payment is to represent is to be charged with advances previously made by the Federal Government for purely local objects. The Federal Government is also to make an advance of \$150,000 to build a lunatic asylum and other special works. An extra census of the Province is to be taken every five years, half way between the dates of the regular decennial census, and the twelfth quinquennial period at estimate of the population is to be made, for the purpose of arriving at the amount of the subsidy payable. The land granted by Parliament in aid of the Hudson's Bay Railway is to be made a free gift."

These concessions seem to be very liberal in view of the fact that the expenditure of the Dominion for railway and immigration purposes have, for the most part, gone to open up, people and

develop the Province of Manitoba. The demands which Sir John and his colleagues refused were: to extend the boundaries of the Province; to allow the Provincial Legislature the right to charter railways to the United States frontier; to give up all public lands to the Province, and to surrender its trusteeship of the school lands. The most of these demands the Federal Government could not possibly concede without being guilty of breaches of faith and injuring this country as a whole; and, it is probable, the Manitobans will, when they think twice, accept the generous concessions offered.

—Sir Henry Bartle Frere, is dead. He was a very able man; and served faithfully his Queen and Country. He took a prominent part in the suppression of the Indian mutiny; was Governor of the Cape of Hope at the time of Zulu war, was Vice-President of the Royal Geographical Society, President of the Royal Asiatic Society; and the author of a number of works of Biography and Geography.

Obituary.

MRS. GABRIEL MACDONALD, SOURIS.

The above lady, whose death was recently recorded in the usual place in our columns, died very suddenly. She was a native of Ireland, and was born in Marlborough, Queen's County, in the year 1819; emigrated to St. John, New Brunswick in 1834, came to Charlottetown in 1843, and has resided in Souris for about twenty-five years.

Her own family (named Dawson) an old and respectable Irish family, came out at the same time. Mrs. MacDonald, was a devout Catholic, and attended Mass on the morning of the day on which she died, seemingly in good health. She is highly spoken of as a good neighbor and true friend, an affectionate and devoted mother and wife, and as a worthy woman in every respect. She had three sons, who are all absent from home. To her afflicted and bereaved husband and family, every sympathy is tendered. A good woman has departed this life, and she will be missed; but there is a bright hope, full of consolation, in her latter end. The messenger of death gave little warning; suddenly her flight was taken, and those who knew her best believe that He who judgeth "according to the deeds done in the body" has welcomed her with the voice of reward—"Well done, good and faithful servant."

"Our hearts, our hopes, are all with thee, Our hearts, our hopes, our prayers, our tears, Our faith triumphant o'er our fears, Are all with Thee—are all with Thee."

Resolutions of Condolence.

At a special meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society, held on Wednesday, the 4th inst., the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Whereas, in the death of Owen Winters, this society has been deprived of the presence of one of its most useful members, we deem it but a small tribute of respect to his memory to bear testimony to our appreciation of the deceased.

Resolved, That it is with deep regret we are called upon to lament the death of one whose kindly and genial nature, generous heart and well known activity in the best interests of the society made him one of its most valued members.

Resolved, That his family and relations are tendered our most heartfelt sympathy in their sorrows; and that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to them, entered on the records of the society, and inserted in the Herald and EXAMINER newspapers.

New Fishery Regulations.

FOR NEW BRUNSWICK AND P. E. ISLAND.

(Special to St. John Telegraph.)

OTTAWA, June 2.—An order in council has been passed, directing that the present fishery regulations in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island be rescinded and the following adopted:—

"It shall be lawful to fish, catch and kill salmon with a rod and line in the manner known as fly surface fishing, between the 1st of May and the 15th of August, on the River Restigouche and its tributaries, after which time it shall be unlawful.

"The extent, position and usage of salmon nets, set from the middle grounds or islands in the Restigouche River, below Campbelltown, shall be determined by the local fishery officers in such manner, as not to interfere with or impede the running of salmon. No salmon net of any description shall be set above tide in the Restigouche River or its tributaries.

"Sub-section 14, of section 13, of the fisheries act shall apply to angling as well as to net fishing for salmon. No seines shall be drawn nor any nets set within 600 feet of any place where herring resort to spawn, between the 25th June and the 25th August, in each year, under a penalty provided by the fisheries act. No seines shall be drawn nor any nets set within 600 feet of any weir under license on which license fees have been paid, under a penalty provided by fisheries act. Fishing for herring in the manner known as 'Driving with torches, flambeaux,' or other artificial light is prohibited under the penalty provided by the fisheries act."

Our Advertisers.

McKinnon & McLean are selling cedar posts cheap.

Geo. Davies & Co. are offering great bargains in boys' suits.

W. A. Weeks & Co. have just opened a supply of nice spring suits.

A McNeill holds a sale of furniture, oil paintings, etc., on the 6th inst.

Wm. S. McKie wants twenty-five good horses and drivers immediately.

An auction sale of coal will be held on Queen's Wharf to-morrow, at eleven o'clock.

Wm. Dodd sells lumber at auction on Lord's Wharf to-morrow evening, at five o'clock.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The Chicago Convention.

CHICAGO, June 3.

The Republican National Convention—the eighth in the history of the party, convened at noon to-day. The working body of the Convention is the greatest, in point of numbers, for years. The remaining body of the hall, not occupied by the working body, is filled with an audience of great wealth and influence. The Convention was called to order at noon, and up to the time of writing this, the result of the business is not known.

The Situation in Cuba.

[NEW YORK, June 3.

From a well-informed correspondent at Havana, we receive the following dated May 27th:—The mercantile and political situation here continues to be desperate. The sugar crop will be very short. The sale of the island to the United States is the general topic of conversation.

The Surrender of El Mahdi Expected.

CAIRO, June 3.

Major Pitcher reports that Berber is closely invested. It is rumored that El Mahdi has gone to Khartoum and his surrender is shortly expected.

Fatal Railway Accident.

LONDON, June 3.

A train from Salisbury was precipitated down the embankment, to-day, near Creamore. Five persons were killed and many injured.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, June 4—10 a. m.

Light to moderate southwest to northwest winds, fine weather, higher temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE.

Charlottetown, June 4, 1884.

Highest temperature yesterday... 63.6
Lowest temperature (read at midnight)... 46.2
Lowest temperature this morning... 45.2
Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock... 53.1
Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock... 64.0

LUMBER! LUMBER!

To be sold by Auction, To-morrow (Thursday) Evening, 5th instant, at six o'clock, on Lord's Wharf, the cargo of schr. Leonora, from Richibucto:

25,000 feet Seasoned Pine Boards,
10,000 feet good Refuse Deal.
Also, on Pownall Wharf, cargo of schooner Claymore, from Miramichi:
7,000 feet Pine Boards,
6,000 feet Spruce Boards,
31,000 feet Refuse Deals,
52 M. No. 1 and 2 Pine Shingles.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, June 3, 1884.

COAL.

BY Auction, To-morrow (Thursday) June 5th, at eleven o'clock, at Queen's Wharf, 67 tons Small Coal—cargo schooner Cora, from Caledonia, C. B.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, June 4, 1884.

Auction Sale.

BY Auction, commencing Friday, June 6th, at eleven o'clock, a. m., at the store next door to Watson's Drug Store, an assortment of

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockeryware, Boots and Shoes, &c.,

all of which must be closed out without reserve.

Traders and others will get great bargains.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, June 4, 1884.—21

FURNITURE, OIL PAINTINGS, HARNESS, &c.

BY Auction, Friday, June 6th, at two o'clock, in front of store next door to Watson's Drug Store, a lot of Household Furniture, a few Oil Paintings, Looking Glasses, large Mirrors, etc.

Also three sets Carriage Harness, and sundry other articles.

Sale positive. No reserve.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, June 4, 1884.—21

HORSES WANTED.

25 GOOD Workers and Drivers wanted immediately. Apply to

WM. S. McKIE.

June 4, 1884.—21

BANK STOCK.

To be sold by Auction, at my saleroom, on TUESDAY, 17th inst., at twelve o'clock

30 Shares in Merchants Bank of P. E. Island.

1 Share Steam Navigation Company's Stock.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, June 2, 1884.

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FOR SPRING.

NEW SUITS, JUST OPENED!

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SPLENDID VALUE.

New Coats, Pants and Vests! New Coats, Pants and Vests! very cheap. New Furnishing Goods, Linen and Paper Collars, Braces, Gloves and Handkerchiefs, New Ties, Men's Merino and Cotton Hosiery, New Worsted Cloths, New Tweeds.

Clothing made to order at short notice.

W. A. WEEKS & CO.,

Sign of the Lion.

Ch'town, June 4, 1884.

LONDON HOUSE.

TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

JUST OPENED, a splendid assortment of Scotch, English and Canadian

Tweeds and Doeskins,

Worsted Coatings, Broadcloths & Trimmings.

Suits and Single Garments

MADE TO ORDER

AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, May 19—wklly

NEW SUMMER GOODS

Fifty Cases and Bales Now Open and More to Follow.

J. B. MACDONALD

HAS now open the greater portion of Spring Stock, comprising all the newest things in Hats, Flowers, Feathers, Ribbons, Gloves, Hosiery, Sun Shades, Dress Material in all the newest shades and fabrics, Brocade and Ottoman Silks and Satins, Black and Colored Cashmeres and Merinos, Lace Curtains and Curtain Nets, Counterpanes.

CLOTHS! CLOTHS! IN WORSTEDS AND TWEEDS.

A LARGE STOCK OF

Ready-made Clothing, in Men's and Boys',

the most varied and cheapest ever shown by

J. B. MACDONALD,

Ch'town, May 9, 1884.—2aw wklly.

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BOSTON TO CONTRACTORS.

STEAMERS.

CARROLL—Capt. Brown.

WORCESTER—Capt. Blankenship.

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LEAVE BOSTON, SATURDAYS, 12, NOON

Passenger accommodation excellent.

Freight carried at lowest rates.

Egg cases handled with greatest care.

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Ch'town, May 31—pat four pio 3m

LARGE DISCOUNT

OFF EVERYTHING,

While we remain in our Present Store.

WE ARE OFFERING

Watches at from 15 to 30 p. c. discount.

Rings " " " " " "

Bracelets " " " " " "

Gold Set, B & Eat from 20 to 30 " "

Necklet & Locket " 15 to 30 " "

Cruet Frames " 25 to 30 " "

Clocks " 15 to 30 " "

Pencil and Toothpicks at half price.

E. W. TAYLOR, Queen Street.

Ch'town, May 17—cod wklly

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400 Suits Boys' Clothing all Styles and Qualities.



Very Cheap for Cash. \$1.25 Upwards.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, June 2, 1884.

CEDAR POSTS.

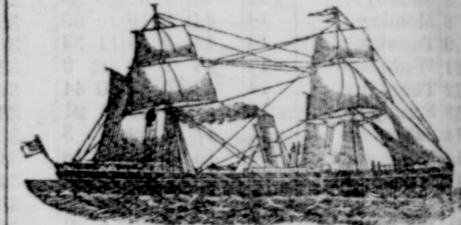
200 CEDAR POSTS FOR SALE AT

McKINNON & McLEAN'S, CHEAP.

June 2.

BLACK DIAMOND LINE.

Between Montreal, Charlottetown, Pictou and St. John's, I. Id.



THE FINE STEAMSHIP

"BONAVISTA,"

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CAPT. D. ANDERSON,

will sail from

Montreal for St. John's, Newfoundland

ON OR ABOUT THE 7TH JUNE,

Calling at Charlottetown and Pictou.

Will carry Horses and Cattle on Deck.

For Freight or Passage apply to

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Ch'town, June 2, 1884—31.

LUMBER.

EXPECTED to arrive on 3rd June per schooner Marie Del him, from Montreal, a special cargo of seasoned pine lumber, flooring, sheeting, etc., etc.

Reserve your orders for good stock.

PATRICK HOGAN, Ch'town, May 28, 1884.—2w 2aw wklly pd

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—A BOY, about sixteen years of age, for attending trains and doing general work about an hotel. Also a good Cook. Apply immediately at the Ocean House, Pownall Street. [June 3]

LOST—Last March, between Brighton Road and Zion Church, a narrow Gold Bracelet, set with one garnet. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at THE EXAMINER Office. [June 3]

WANTED—A Girl for general Housework, and also for Dining Room. Apply at the Bevere House. [June 3]

TO LET—Two Tenements. Possession given immediately. Apply to WALTER LOWE, Kent Street, East. [June 2 th]

WANTED—A PRESSMAN. Apply at the London House Tailoring Department. [June 2]

DRESSMAKING—Miss McKay has commenced the Dressmaking Business, on Hillsborough Street (between Fitzroy and Euston), to which she will give prompt attention, and good satisfaction to all who may patronize her. Stitching done by the yard. Price moderate. [May 30 th]

TO LET—A Furnished House, in a pleasant part of the City. Enquire at THE EXAMINER Office. [May 29]

WANTED—An experienced Cook for a Hotel. To a person who understands her business good wages will be paid. [May 13 th cod pd]

FOR SALE—A light buggy, very little used, will be sold cheap.—C. L. MORRISON. [m 28]

WANTED—An upholsterer, constant work, good wages. Apply at once to MARK WRIGHT & Co. [m 27]

KENT MILLS and other choice brands family Flour for sale by Henry Beer, Office and Warehouse, Water Street, near Ferry Wharf. [May 16]

A CHEAP WAGON and a WASHING MACHINE for sale. Apply to Hector McLeod, St. Peter's Road, Charlottetown. [May 7 th]

TO LET—A House on King Street, between Hillsborough and Weymouth Sts. Possession immediately. Also a Warehouse on Grafton Street. Apply to WILLIAM DOUGLASS. [May 2]

PASTURAGE—Excellent pasture for the season, for a limited number of cattle, in the twelve acre lot next to Henry's Lime Kiln, Malpeque Road. Apply early to GEORGE ANNET. [May 7 th m]