

**THE DAILY EXAMINER.**

JULY 18, 1881.

Mr. Blake in St. John.

A GREAT effort is usually followed by a great result. Taking the exertions made by the Grits (together with the reputation of the man) into consideration it is not strange that the Hon. Edward Blake, Leader of the Opposition, spoke to a very large audience in St. John. Neither is it wonderful that he was attentively heard. The people of St. John would not, of course, give him anything to complain about on that account.

In his speech he confined himself to the discussion of three topics. (1) The Pacific Railway policy of the Government; (2) the financial condition of the country, and (3) the fiscal policy of the Government as regards restrictions on trade. His remarks on the Pacific Railway included a brief history of the scheme, and a sketch of the different plans proposed to carry it out. From his point of view, he described the bargain made with the Syndicate, the terms of which he said, startled and alarmed the whole community when they were first promulgated.

He then, (from the same point of view, of course) pointed to the rapid increase in the public debt and annual expenditure—a increase, he said, far greater than the increase in the country's tax-paying power. He condemned the principle of imposing heavy burdens for the purpose of raising more revenue than was really required, because the mere presence of a surplus in the treasury had been made by the present Government an excuse for adding to the expenditure unnecessarily. The argument in favor of reduced taxation formed a transition for the speaker to the tariff, which he discussed in a number of respects, each more or less intimately concerning the Maritime Provinces. He denounced the tax on the necessities of life and on raw material, and affirmed the fundamental principle of the Tilley tariff to be the taxation of the clothing and food of the poor at a much higher rate than the food and clothing of the rich and well to do. He declared the real remedy for the growing difficulty to be to cut down the expenditure; but said that instead of doing so the men now in power were increasing it needlessly.

This, in brief, is Mr. Blake's attack. We assume that Sir Charles and Sir Leonard (when they come to speak in St. John) will have little difficulty in making a successful defence. There is one point, however, which (if Mr. Blake has stated the facts) is rather weak. The increase of officials at Ottawa must be accounted for; and it will hardly do to say that great pressure has been brought to bear upon the Government. In this Province, several additional officials are really required, and several other officials are fairly entitled to an increase of pay; but in neither case could the remedy be applied because the country could not afford the consequent expenditures. Now, if it appears that large additions have, as Mr. Blake says, unnecessarily been made to the largely ornamental staff at Ottawa, it is evident that a wrong thing has been done. Assuming that Mr. Blake has told the truth, an explanation is evidently necessary.

Mr. Blake's attack upon the tariff was exceedingly weak. He did not boldly condemn the principle of Protection; but pointed out the patent fact that too much revenue is being raised. The tariff has produced more revenue than was anticipated, because the country has prospered more than the most sanguine member of the Government expected. Without touching the principle on which the tariff is based, it will be easy to take off certain duties, and thus reduce the revenue to that amount required. The present Government can do this just as well as the gentlemen who now adorn the Opposition.

**The Situation in Europe.**

Europe says the New York Herald may be described as in a state of irritation. There are no wars and no immediate prospects of war. Fighting has become a matter of the seasons, food and transportation. In a finely organized community like Europe, and especially the Continent, war has become so vast and so serious a matter that it virtually means an upheaval of society. Nations no longer send out fighting parties to worry one another, contend a few battles, make a convention and return home nothing the worse for the adventure barring some lives lost and a few millions of taxes. The nations of the Continent are armed camps. All the resources of great nations, like France, Germany, Russia, are concentrated upon military organization. War, therefore, means that all interests—social, commercial and political—are absorbed in war. The very fact that so many interests are involved makes the undertaking a serious matter. There are few if any European governments that could stand a series of disasters. Military discomfiture means revolution. It meant this to France in her war with Germany. If Prussia had suffered the defeats she inflicted upon France there would most probably have been as serious a revolution in Germany against the Emperor William as there was in France against Napoleon. We question disaster. This while it shows an oppressive system in many ways to be deplored, has also a conservative influence in the maintenance of peace. Rulers will pause before taking the risk of wars where everything is to be lost and little to be won.

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**Valedictory Services.**

Yesterday afternoon a very interesting service was held at the close of Sunday School exercises in the basement of the Prince Street Methodist Church.

Mr. S. F. Hodgson, Superintendent of the School, presented the Missionary tract, Rev. Benj Chappell, with the following ADDRESS:

**Rev. Benjamin Chappell, B. A.**  
DEAR BROTHERS:—Learning that you have recently offered yourself for missionary work in British Columbia, we, the undersigned officers and teachers of the Prince Street Methodist Sunday School, cannot allow you to depart for this distant field of labor, without conveying to you an expression of our hearty appreciation of the motives which have influenced such a choice, and our earnest wishes for your future welfare.

It has always been a source of pleasure to us, and an inspiration in our work, that so many have entered the ranks of the Christian Missionary Society for a Missionary Society for Nicola Valley, beyond the Rocky Mountains, that one of the young men formerly identified with our own Sabbath School, is the first to offer.

We have ever taken a deep interest in your welfare during the years you have been connected with the Methodist Conference, and have been pleased to hear from time to time of your success in winning souls, and in building up the Churches which have been under your pastoral oversight.

And now, Dear Brother, as in response to the call of the Church, and under the impulse of duty, you offer yourself for a department of Christian work which has given to the Church many heroes, and not a few martyrs, we sincerely pray that the Great Head of the Church may order your steps, and so open up your way that your sanctified talents may find the fullest opportunity for usefulness in His service.

We doubt not that in your new and untried field of labor, you will suffer many privations, and encounter numberless difficulties, but we ask you to remember when far from us, and under these trying circumstances, that you have the fervent prayers of the many who have been so pleasantly associated with you in the Methodist Sabbath School of Charlottetown.

And now, Dear Brother, as you go forth in obedience to him who hath said: "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature," we pray that you may fully realize the blessed promise contained in that Divine Commission: "And lo I am with you always even unto the end of the world."

We are, Dear Brother,  
Yours sincerely,  
H. P. COWPERTHWAITHE, Pastor.  
S. F. HODGSON, Superintendent.  
WILLIAM STANLEY, Secretary.  
Officers and teachers of the school.

Rev. Mr. Chappell made a brief and appropriate reply.

Last evening a Valedictory Service was held at 6.30, in the Prince Street Methodist Church. The pastor, Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, briefly explained the nature of the meeting, after which Rev. Mr. Smallwood offered prayer, and Rev. Mr. Chappell preached a very appropriate sermon from the words, "For to me to live is Christ." After the sermon Rev. Mr. Smallwood addressed a few parting and fatherly words to Mr. Chappell.

The service was very satisfactorily concluded by the ever popular Dr. Lachlin Taylor of Toronto.

Rev. Mr. Chappell leaves for his new field of labor to-morrow morning via Toronto, followed by the best wishes of his friends in this city.

**Garfield's Courage.**

(From the Toronto World.)

One rare circumstance the recent affair at Washington has been the means of bringing about. It has given to the nation a signal example of a brave man viewing with composure the degree of stern, unalterable fate. And not alone to the nation of which he was the head is the President's fortitude an object of admiration; the calm resignation of the sick room at the White House like one of Shakespeare's immortal dramas, a spectacle for all men of all countries and all ages. The assassination of a monarch or a president is a national calamity affecting only the nation concerned. His heroic submission to the circumstances which befel him renders General Garfield an object of envions regard to Englishmen and Chinese, to Frenchmen and the dread Turk.

Stricken down with the sudden blow of an assassin—that assassin a contemptible wretch—surrounded by friends—an important crisis in the nation's history impending—death staring him momentarily in the face—racked with excruciating pain, and conscious all the while—his wife and children looking on,—these circumstances would have made an ordinary mortal yield up his existence at once, if through nothing else than commotion and perturbation of mind. Although Death hung over the president, and viewed him hourly as his certain prey, all ready to drop down, like the sword of Damocles, yet he gathered together his mind, looked *rectis oculis* on the inevitable, and began at once to nourish the little germ of hope that appeared to gleam from afar. Compare General Garfield's trial with the interest of the great Cæsar, as portrayed by Shakespeare:

He had a fever when he was in Spain;  
And when the fit was on him, I did mark  
How he did shake; 'tis true, this god did  
strike;

His eoward lips did from their color fly;  
And that same eye whose bend thou dost awe  
the world,  
Did lose his lustre; I did hear him groan;  
Ay, and that tongue of his that bade the  
Romans  
Mark him, and write his speeches in their  
books,  
Alas it cried: "Give me some drink  
Titinius,"

As a sick girl.  
The Americans have great cause to rejoice that their calamity fell on a man who was so well able to bear it.

A SOUTHERLY gale blew up on Saturday at midnight, and continued until four o'clock on Sunday morning. It was felt particularly heavy along the Southern Coast of the Island, but no damage—further than the smashing of a few small fishing boats—was done.

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**RAILROADING on the Pacific Coast** is not all fun. A locomotive engineer who is running from Los Angeles to Yuma, 250 miles, writes to his friends in Nova Scotia: "It is a very hard division to run on, the heat is so severe during the summer. Over 130 miles of the road is over a dry sandy desert, without a drop of water or a living green thing, and such sand storms as we have! It makes it very disagreeable. For over 50 miles of the road is below the sea level; one place is 230 feet below and is the hottest place on the road; the glass stands some days at 130, and will average all of 110 degrees." For this he is paid at the rate of \$470 a day. Conductors get from \$100 to \$110 a month.

**LAUNCH**.—On Wednesday last a fine barque of about 800 tons register, called "Parthenia," was launched from the ship-yard of Hon. Wm. Richards, at Bideford. The work upon this vessel has been done in an excellent manner, and no expense has been spared in making her in every respect a first class ship.

**DIED**.—At Charlottetown, this morning (18th inst.) Robert Stewart, Esquire, Attorney-at-Law, son of the late Charles Stewart, Esquire, formerly Attorney-General of this Island, aged 81 years. His remains will be interred at the Southport Church burial ground to-morrow (Tuesday), leaving his late residence at the corner of Pownall and Dorchester Streets, at 3 o'clock p. m. Friends will please accept this intimation.

In this city, on Sunday morning, Robert Wade, in the 67th year of his age. He was a native of the County Waterford, Ireland.

[Funeral will take place from his late residence, Prince Street, to Southport Cemetery, to-morrow, at 3 o'clock, p. m. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.]

**AUCTION!**

**Molasses, Raisins, T. D. Pipes, &c.**

THE subscriber will sell at Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th inst., at 11 o'clock, at his Warerooms, 52 Queen Street, the following articles:—

- 5 puns. Molasses,
- 10 boxes T. D. Pipes,
- 10 boxes Raisins,
- 5 bbls. Washing Soda,
- 20 boxes Starch,
- 100 boxes Toilet Soap,
- 20 boxes Candles,
- 75 reams Wrapping Paper,
- 25 gross Blacking,
- 5 doz. Wash Boards,
- 10 half-chests Tea,
- 10 boxes Bermuda Onions,
- 5 boxes Flat Tobacco,
- 10 boxes Gold Bar Tobacco,
- 10 boxes Mahogany Tobacco,
- 30 dozen Lamp Chimneys,
- 10 gross Mackerel Hooks,
- 20 cases Brandy,
- Flower Pots, Crockery, etc., etc., and other articles, which will appear on day of sale.

July 18, '81. Auctioneer.

**EXCURSION**

**To Souris and Pictou, AND BACK!**

**Tickets One Dollar!**

**To-Night, 18th of July.**

The Steamer "Princess of Wales" will leave Company's Wharf to-night, Monday, at 10 o'clock, for Souris, to take excursionists to Pictou.

Returning to Charlottetown from Souris about 7 o'clock Tuesday evening.

Persons desiring a long day on the sea shore or in the country, will have a nice opportunity; or if they like it better, may remain on Steamer throughout the whole trip. State Rooms half price. Breakfast, dinner and tea, one dollar.

By order, F. W. HALES, Sec'y Steam Nav. Co.

July 18—11

**Anthracite Coal.**

**TO ARRIVE about 1st September, ex Schooner "Aurelia," a cargo Lehigh Hard Coal, Chestnut and Egg sizes.**

F. S. HANFORD & CO.

July 18—pat 31 cod

**Reserve Mine Nut Coal.**

**DISCHARGING at Lord's Wharf, a cargo of the above—the same Coal that gave such good satisfaction last year.**

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**DISCHARGING at Lord's Wharf, part cargo of the above Coal. Quality guaranteed to give satisfaction.**

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**IN SHED and to arrive, all of the above qualities of Coal.**

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**Ontario Round Coal.**

**TO ARRIVE in a few days, two small cargoes Ontario Round Coal. Quality nearly equal to Old Sydney Mine. This Coal is turning out much better this season than last.**

F. S. HANFORD & CO., 43 Water Street.

**CHALLENGE.**

I CHALLENGE Mr. JOHN JOY, jr., to row a Single Scull Race on the Hillsborough River, for \$25 a side, distance 3 or 5 miles. The match to be rowed on the 1st of August, between 2 and 3 o'clock, weather permitting. Money to be staked on the 26th July. Referee to be appointed by the consent of both parties.

(Signed) G. W. DUCHEMIN. Ch'town, July 18, '81—11 pd.

**CHARLOTTETOWN Woollen Factory!**

THE above establishment has recently been re-opened and fitted with the most improved machinery. It is under the management of Mr. David McKay, late of the Mill Valley Mills, who has with him a number of skilled operatives.

We are now manufacturing a full line of Cloths, in Plain and Fancy Tweeds, Full Dressed, Grey and Black, Natural and Dyed Oxford Cloths, Worsted Coatings, Union Dress Goods, Druggat, Ladies Ulster Cloths, Flannels, Blanketing, Knitting Yarns, &c.

The material used is the best Wool the Island can produce, and none of the Cloth contains Shoddy.

We solicit a close and careful inspection of our Goods by the public, and feel satisfied that they will be found to be superior in quality and appearance to any made on the Island.

The Charlottetown Agency of the Mills is at the store of WILLIAM GORDON, North Side of Queen Square, near Walker's Corner, where a large stock of our Goods are on exhibition and will be sold at bottom prices for cash or exchanged for Wool in the usual way.

A full line of our Goods are on Exhibition for sale and exchange at the following agencies:—

David Rogers, Esq., Summerside. Messrs. McDonald Bros. & Co., Montague Bridge. Messrs. Matthew, McLean & Co., Souris East.

Other agencies will be announced when established.

**CHARLOTTETOWN WOOLLEN CO.**

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**AUCTION SALE**

**Valuable Real Estate!**

**CHARLOTTETOWN ROYALTY.**

ON TUESDAY, the 9th day of AUGUST NEXT, at noon, in front of the Law Courts Building in Charlottetown, there will be sold at Public Auction, by the Union Bank of P. E. Island, that beautiful farm and estate known as "Beach Hill," containing about 300 acres of excellent land, mostly in a high state of cultivation, partly under crop, largely the property of the Hon. J. C. Pope. The property is distant about three miles from Charlottetown, and is bounded on three sides by a good public road, viz: On the East by Union Road; on the opposite side by the Norwood Road; and on the North by the Royalty Road, and is well watered and wooded, and in every respect well adapted for grazing and high farming purposes. The land comprises Royalty Lots Nos. 350, 351, 331, 333, 380, 389, 355, 357, 341, 382, 387, 388, 422, 423, 424, 425, 432, 433, 460, 461, 467, 565, 568 and 466. There are about 200 acres clear, of which about 70 acres are under crop, remainder under pasture. The balance of the 300 acres is under hard and soft wood.

The property will be sold in one lot, or in lots to suit purchasers. Terms—One-third of the purchase money to be paid down at the sale, and the balance secured on the premises payable in 10 years, with interest at 6 per cent. per annum. Dated 16th July, 1881.

GEORGE MACLEOD, (ju 18 cod till sale) Cashier.

**NOTICE.**

IN consequence of my son W. C. BOURKE'S illness, all debts due me are to be paid to me, only.

J. R. BOURKE. Mill View, July 18, 1881—3i

**VALUABLE Household Furniture.**

TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION,

AT THE Residence of A. B. Stewart, Esq., JAMES MCGILL'S FARM,

—ON—

Thursday, 4th August,

Commencing at 11 o'clock, sharp, all his valuable Household Furniture, consisting in part of—

PARLOR FURNITURE—In 1 suite Walnut and Hair Cloth, Sofa, Ladies Sewing Chair (Crimson), Centre Table (marble top), 1 Bureau Table (marble top), 1 Walnut do, 1 Mantel Mirror, 2 Lamps, Lace Curtains, 1 case English Birds, 1 case Wax Flowers, Valuable Pictures, What-not, Tapestry Carpet, Heart-Rug.

SITTING ROOM—Stove, Fire Irons and Stand, Book Case, Table, Lounging, Smoking Chair, 1 Rocking Chair, 1 small do, 2 Lamps and Hangings, Window Shades, Pictures, Carpets, Mats, etc., etc.

DINING ROOM—Scotch Carpet, Stove, Walnut Extension Table, Walnut Sideboard, Dining Chairs, Rocker, Easy Chair, Mantel Clock, Trays and Waiters, Dinner Set, Tea Set (red and gold), Silver Tea Service, Silver Salver, Jelly Cups, Glasses, Fruit Dishes, Fish Slice, Pickle Jars, Knives and Forks, of the best quality, Spoons (Tea, Table and Dessert).

Hall Matting, Mats, Oil Cloth, Hat Rack and Stand, Hanging Hall Lamp, Flower Stands, Aquarium, 2 Flower Urns, Window Shades, Hall Stoves, Stair Carpet and Rods, Pictures, Door Scraper, 3 Bird Cages, Bath Room, Bed Room, Kitchen, Garden and Stable Utensils, Carts, Harness, Horse and sleigh.

Full particulars will be advertised by catalogue in a few days.

Terms—All sums under \$50, cash on delivery; and for all sums over that amount a credit of three months will be given on approved joint notes.

W. D. STEWART, Auctioneer.

July 16, '81—

**FLOUR.**

**300 BBS. FLOUR, Choice Brands—**

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- 45 half chests very superior Teas,
- 50 boxes do. do. do. do., 20lbs. each
- 5 bbls. White Wine Vinegar,
- 5 bbls. English Malt Vinegar, very super.
- 5 bbls. Pickling Vinegar,
- 50 boxes Layer and Muscatel Raisins,
- 30 boxes T. D. Pipes,
- 2 bbls. Dried Apples (a prime article),
- 25 doz. Brooms,
- 20 bbls. Labrador Herring,
- 25 boxes Smoked Herring,
- 100 boxes Confectionery.

A few bottles Sherry and Claret Wines. Sale positive to close consignments.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer.

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