

THE DAILY EXAMINER

MARCH 14, 1894.

OPENING OF NAVIGATION

The signs are that Charlottetown Harbor will soon be open. Outside the harbor, the water is reported clear, or almost clear, and inside the harbor the Three Tides are open and the ice rotten. Those who know that the Stanley could now easily come in here. If she were to come and make a passage, there seems to be little doubt, from present appearances, that the ice would float out and that we should soon see the blue water about our wharves. As most of the Stanley's freight is for Charlottetown, and as our merchants are now subject to extra expense and delay when it is brought by way of George town, we hope that the Agent here will call the attention of the Minister of Marine to the facts, to the end that the Stanley may be ordered to come to Charlotte town forthwith.

AN EVASION.

BEFORE the last Provincial election, the Premier of this Province distinctly implied that direct taxation should not be imposed until after the people had had an opportunity to express their opinion concerning it. In the contest he avoided the taxation issue. He left it to be inferred that economy and retrenchment might enable the Government to carry on the affairs of the Province for some time to come, without reverting to direct taxation. He promised that he would not inflict taxation upon the country without consulting his constituents, well knowing that in a very real sense his constituents are the people of the whole Province, and that his promise would be regarded as a promise to electors throughout the country; well knowing, too, that the words, "consulting my constituents," when used by a Leader of the Government, are usually taken to mean the asking of an expression at the polls. That we may not be charged with misrepresentation in this regard, we quote, *verbatim*, an address at the Lyceum in this city, as follows: "On an occasion such as this you will expect some statement as to what we intend to do in the future. I lay down the plank No. 1 that we will continue cutting down and reducing every unnecessary expenditure. Plank No. 2 is the question whether or not we are going to tax the people. My own idea on the question is this: If the country can be run without taxes, we can do it better than the other party, because we are more economical, and have shown it and we can do without taxation better than they can, because we have demonstrated that we can run the country more cheaply than they. Well, I propose to cut down the expenditures, because the more you cut them down, the more likely are you to receive the support of the elector, and the less probable will be taxation. If, after cutting down all the expenditures, with the exception of those on wharves, roads, bridges, education, etc., I find that I will have to resort to taxation, I will consult my constituents, Grit and Tory, and lay before them my proposed scheme and ask them: Do you accept it or reject it? It is not necessary that I should say here that my plan will never be put on, because they may be an absolute necessity, but this I do say, that they will never be put on until you men are fully consulted, and know how they are to be put on. (Applause.) I will tell you another thing with regard to that tax question: When I appealed last on your constituents I said I would not put on taxes until the people were fully consulted. I do not mean that I would reserve to myself the right to tax, but I acknowledge the fact that I must consult the people on the tax question as far away."

THE SANITARY OFFICER.

We are, in courtesy, bound to believe their statement that in the discharge of Mr. McEneaney and the appointment of Mr. McEneaney to the position of Sanitary Officer, the Council were actuated solely by a determination to uphold the letter of the law. No doubt Mr. McEneaney did his duty faithfully and well. But \$310 would not have been added to the city expenditures if the law had not, in the opinion of the Council, necessitated it. Now our correspondent, "Public Opinion," suggests that the law may be changed. That seems to be a good idea. Let the Council be changed during the coming session of the Legislature, and let Mr. McEneaney again take the duty of Sanitary Officer and save to the city the sum of \$300 a year. We think that both Provincial and City Governments ought to adopt the principle of employing a few good men and paying them well, rather than a larger number of men who may have been useful in elections.

MR. BULMAN'S LECTURE.

The audience at the lecture in St. James' Hall last evening was comparatively large. Mr. Bulman's subject was "Tennyson's Idylls of the King." King Arthur, Merlin, Sir Lancelot, Sir Galahad, the Holy Grail and other subjects treated by the great poet, received the lecturer's attention. He showed that those ancient legends were allegories, typifying the Christian graces. At the conclusion of the lecture a vote of thanks was moved by the Rev. Donald McNeil, seconded by Mr. D. Smallwood, and conveyed to the lecturer by the chairman, Mr. James.

AN ISLANDER AT OTTAWA.

Mr. W. L. McEneaney, of Charlottetown, delivered an able, interesting and instructive address before the members of the Central Experimental Farm Club at Ottawa on the evening of March 7th. After paying a high tribute to the charms of the native Province, he proceeded to place the farmers in a most favorable light before the audience. He spoke of the difficulties which farmers have to contend with owing to the isolated position of the Province. He also briefly outlined the system of farming most generally followed and favored the practice of intensive rather than extensive farming. The "credit system" he aptly described as the bane of the farmer in any province. Mr. McEneaney then took up the question of dairy farming in Prince Edward Island. In speaking of the favorable natural conditions of the country for this branch of agriculture, location as to markets, etc., he showed a thorough understanding of the subject. He hoped to see great development in this direction during the next few years and the need of a market for the products of the Island Province sounded from shore to shore as the banner dairy province of Canada.

Ottawa, March 8th, 1894. C. E. F.

GENERAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 11.—The entire fleet of vessels purchased by the Brazilian Government to replace the war ships seized by Admirals Mello and Da Gama, have arrived outside the harbor. It is expected the arrival will result in a decisive action to-morrow, which will bring the hostilities to a close. Whether the termination of the revolution be brought about by a naval battle, a compromise or an unconditional surrender will doubtless be known within 24 hours. The government fleet consist of dynamite cruiser Nicotero, and five torpedo boats purchased in Germany.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Minister Thurston, when seen to-night concerning the reported startling situation on the Hawaiian Islands, stated that he has received advices from his government concerning the present state of affairs, and had gained information of them only from the newspapers. He declined to think the report exaggerated, although it has been known for some time that the expedition was seeking recruits in British Columbia. Mr. Thurston believes, however, that the provisional government, the administration of the government, as well as land in that it has nothing to fear from the Queen's followers. The report that many of these now employed by the government would be the Queen's forces at a signal from her, Mr. Thurston does not credit.

BOSTON, March 11.—In Mrs. Mary Ellen Lease the fifteen hundred persons who attended the meeting of the unemployed on the Common this afternoon, had a speaker after their own hearts. Scarcely had she uttered a dozen sentences before she was applauded without stint. In her speech she scolded her hearers severely and said they had brought all their troubles on themselves by voting year after year for dukes in top hats and kid gloves, who had no interest in their welfare except for men of their rank. She advocated women's suffrage and said that men generally were in favor of bloodshed when things came to grave crises, but she denounced such methods and told them that if they would only do as women and mind the babies, the women would soon find a road out of this terrible business depression.

MONTREAL, March 11.—Ernestus Wiman was arrested this morning on the charge: "I cannot be expected to discuss the case in which I am the unhappy defendant, nor would it be proper to attempt any explanation or foreshadow the line of defence. That many with entire safety left with General Tracey, one of the greatest counsellors of law and a distinguished member of the late cabinet, sustained as he will be by the most devoted of friends, his partner, Albert B. Buchanan, an exceedingly able man, who will be supported by your own Mr. Greenfield, whose help will be eagerly and gratefully welcomed by the thousands of my friends here who are watching the developments in this case. If, however, I cannot speak of the matter in hand, I must avail myself of your instrumentality to express to my friends in Canada my appreciation of the hearty good will which on every hand has been extended towards me. I cannot for a long while per-sonally acknowledge the hundreds of letters of sympathy that have reached me and to the testimonials from points far and wide as to the belief in my integrity and useful life. These to me are very precious memorials and atone ten times over for all the indignity and scolding I have endured. My only act of kindness in my busy life, especially to my people, but now seems to be remembered. Circumstances long forgotten are now recalled by letters and messages from all points of this continent, and if one wanted his good deeds to pass in review before him before the last great day, it would seem that some such fate should be endured as that which I have now to experience. I feel like saying with Daniel Webster: 'Thank God the past, at least, is secure.' What the future has in store for me can be met with fortitude, with such friends and such a record as these letters have made plain."

At the North Pole there is only one direction—south. One could go south in as many ways as there are points on the compass card, but every one of these ways is south, east and west have vanished. The hour of the day at the pole is a paradoxical conception, for at that point the meeting place of every meridian, and the times of all hold good so that it is any hour one cares to mention. Unpredictability is hence impossible.

Over 300 dozen gilt egg cups, the cheapest ever offered in this city.—W. P. Colwell, feb 6 dv&wkly 3wks.

THE SANITARY OFFICER.

SEN.—The action of the City Council in dismissing Marshal Cameron from the position of Sanitary Officer and appointing Mr. Samuel McEneaney at a salary of \$350 per annum, is generally condemned by the citizens, on the ground that the expenditure was unnecessary and uncalled for. The work was, of late years, very satisfactorily performed by the City Marshal at a cost of \$100. The Marshal is the proper person to occupy the position as Marshal brings him daily in contact with all parts of the city, and he is thus enabled to keep his eyes on all violators of the sanitary law. He has now been replaced on an alleged technical ground, viz., that the law requires that some other person than the Marshal shall hold the position of Sanitary Officer. Whether this is the law or not a few weeks hence the act could be amended and the Marshal confirmed in the position. It is, however, openly charged that the Council desired to give Mr. McEneaney a job and to accomplish this the Marshal is dismissed—the law question being made the scapegoat. The citizens, however, are leved upon to the extent of \$250, to give Mr. McEneaney an office. The Council, individually, must remember that they are the custodians of the citizens money, and have no right to employ it in unnecessary or needless ways. This is a strictly a time of economy, not extravagance.

PUBLIC OPINION.

MR. MACLEOD AT ROYALTY HALL. SEN.—Divine service was held as announced at East Royalty Hall on Sunday afternoon. The audience which filled the hall listened with wrapt attention to one of the ablest and most eloquent sermons preached in that part of the country. Mr. Theophilus Macleod fully sustained his reputation as a public speaker and instructor among the people of this Island. He took his text from St. John III, 16, and after expressing the belief that everyone in this world was intended to fulfil a certain destiny, he went on to say that in the Old Testament God was represented as a sort of tyrant to whom sacrifices were continually offered up, whereas in the New Testament He was spoken of as a loving Father, Himself providing the Sacrifice in the person of Christ His Son. Mr. Macleod pointed out that this idea was well enough in its way and admirably suited to the requirements of the people some five thousand years ago, whose manners and beliefs were in no way like ours. But God, in His infinite wisdom, certainly never intended it to be taken as a standard for this enlightened age, and it was this mistake that was driving thousands of our young people into infidelity. Don't mind so much what Moses said as what Christ said. He bore out his remarks by quoting from Christ Himself—"Ye have heard it said, An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth, but a new commandment give I unto you, that ye love one another."

The speaker advised his hearers to put the Old Testament on the shelf for a while and take up the new, where they would read the beautiful story of the prodigal son, which so aptly illustrated what Christ was only too willing to do for us. He strongly objected to the conception of God in the New Testament, as that of a wrathful being, whose anger could only be appeased by the sacrifice of his Son, remarking that he was a God of love and not of terror.

Mr. Macleod spoke long and beautifully of Christ and his mission, illustrating his points in a most lucid and captivating manner. Mrs. Roome, from the city, who officiated at the organ, sang a stirring solo, as only she could sing it, and assisted by local talent and Mr. Theophilus Macleod's well-known tenor voice, made the singing all that could be desired.

Among those present were several prominent citizens, together with a large number of young people from the city, who are always made welcome. The people of East Royalty, as well as the numerous visitors present, hope to have the pleasure of hearing Mr. Macleod again in the near future.

OSE WHO WAS PRESENT. RACES ON THE ICE.—The annual club track took place on Orwell ice on Saturday, the 10th inst. There was a very large crowd of spectators. The winning race was won by a colt named "The Winner," who was greatly admired for his honest trotting, not once going off his feet for the three heats. Below is the summary: Wallie M. by William Wallace, 1 1 1; E. W. Martin, Eldon, 2 2 2; Walter Chief, by Island Chief, 2 3 2; Black Chief, by Island Chief, 3 2 3; Donald McLeod, Orwell, 3 2 3.

LOCAL NOTICES. Advertisements under this heading charged for at the rate of ten cents per line. Common Sense.—Who can buy the cheapest, the firm who buys fifty cases of hats or the firm who buys one? Prove it. Bros. bought the fifty. We sell old style hats for 50c, regular price \$2 and \$3. Why pay competitors \$1.50 and \$1.75 for the same goods? We won't keep old styles, so we let them go at one-fourth the regular price.—Prowse Brothers, the Stylish Hat.

In late, like carpets, we only buy what we can sell, and not making two prices for a hat, we sell in order to pay for the old ones that are left over.—Jas Paton & Co.

Soups—Snider's home-made chicken, tomato and ox tail soup; also Snider's home-made tomato catfish at Sanderson & Co's.

New Books—Prairie Folk and Many Traveled Roads, by the Hamlin Garland, at Hazard & Moore's.

Felt hats We have just opened another lot of men's London felt hats. The latest styles. See ours before you buy.—J. B. Macdonald & Co. m14 31

St. Patrick's—Gentlemen, buy your silk hats from us. We have the latest styles.—J. B. Macdonald & Co. m14 31

Dinner sets, tea sets, chamber sets, and a very large number of cups and saucers, lamps and lamp fixings. Will be sold cheap at W. P. Colwell's. feb 6 dv&wkly 3wks.

Political Meeting. A Meeting will be held at Mount Stewart Hall, on MONDAY NEXT, the 19th day of March, inst., at 6 o'clock, p. m., at which Hon. F. Peters will speak on various matters of importance touching the financial state of the Province. A full attendance of Electors is earnestly requested. j&w mch14

BIBLE SOCIETY. The Annual Meeting of the Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be held in St. James' Church on MONDAY, 2nd April. Chair taken at 7.30 p. m. mch14

ZION CHURCH. Mission Band Entertainment. On THURSDAY EVENING, the 15th inst., at 7.30 o'clock, the Mission Band will give an Entertainment, consisting of Reading, Recitations, Dialogues, Singing, in the Lecture Room of the Church. Doors open, at 7 o'clock. Admission, 10 cents. 21—mch14

WORTH A GUINEA A BOX BEECHAM'S PILLS CURE SICK HEADACHE, Disordered Liver, etc. They Act Like Magic on the Vital Organs. Regulating the Secretions, restoring lost Composure, bringing back the Keen Edge of Appetite, and arousing with the ROSEBUD OF HEALTH the whole physical system. Largest Sale in the World. Wholesale Agents, Evans & Sons, Ltd., Montreal. For sale by all Druggists.

SUPERIOR BRED HORSES, FOR SALE BY AUCTION. I am instructed by Mrs. Charles Cairns to sell by Auction, at the Market Square (Immediately after sale of the Government Stock), on TUESDAY, the 20th day of March, instant, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following valuable stock: 1 Bay Mare, 5 years old, by All Right dam Abdallah. 1 Bay Mare, 3 years old, by All Right, dam Abdallah. 1 Horse, 4 years old, by All Right, dam Abdallah. 1 Mare, 4 years old, by Preceptor, dam All Right. Terms as sale. R. BEARSTO, mch14—m f m Auctioneer.

New Bakery. I beg to inform the public that I have opened a Bakery Store next door to the Masonic Temple, where you will find all kinds of Bread and Cakes constantly on hand. A share of your patronage is solicited. JOHN C. MOORE, Formerly in the employ of Joseph Knight & Sons. dy 1m—mch14

DAVIES' DRUG STORE. For Coughs use our Tar and Wild Cherry, Wilson's Cherry Balsam, British Cough Balsam, Campbell's Cough Emission, Cherry Pectoral, and other kinds too numerous to mention. St. George Pharmacy. mch14

THE SECRET of progress and success is to be ALWAYS CONTENT BUT NEVER SATISFIED. We are CONTENT with the increase of our business this season, BUT WE WILL NOT BE SATISFIED until our New Spring Styles of BOOTS and SHOES are seen by all customers who appreciate values and styles. J. M. McLeod & Co. Ch'town, March 12, 1894—dy

PURE-MILD-SWEET If MASTIFF PLUG CUT was not all that is claimed for it, how so great a business and sale have developed in so short a time? A pure, mild, sweet smoke.—No wonder it goes. All live stores keep it. J. B. Pace Tobacco Co., Richmond Virginia; and Montreal, Canada. mch12—dy 1w 3y 31

LYCEUM HALL ST. PATRICK'S DAY, MARCH 17th, 1894. THE THRILLING IRISH DRAMA ROBERT EMMET, IN THREE ACTS, will be presented by the CHARLOTTETOWN DRAMATIC CLUB, under the auspices of the BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY of Charlottetown. Plan of seats and tickets at Reddin Bros. Admission, 25 cents. Reserved Seats, 35 cents. Secure your tickets early. See programme. Vinnicombe's Orchestra in attendance. Doors open at 7.15 commencing at sharp 8. mch12

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership. This is to certify that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned carrying on business under the style and firm of Matthew, McLean & Company, at Souris East in Kings County, in Prince Edward Island, has on this ninth day of March, A. D. 1894, been dissolved by mutual consent. Dated this ninth day of March, A. D. 1894. URIAH MATTHEW, JOHN McLEAN, BENJAMIN HEARTZ. Signed in the presence of J. A. Macdonald.

NOTICE. The above business will hereafter be carried on by the undersigned at the old stand, under the name and style of MATTHEW & McLEAN, who will be glad to meet their old friends and as many new ones as will favor them with their patronage. URIAH MATTHEW, JOHN McLEAN, mch12—dy 1w 3y 31

Mechanics' Full Wages and Doctor's Fees are paid under the new policies of the Canada Accident Ass. Co. AGENT FOR P. E. ISLAND, E. R. BROW BROWN'S BLOCK, CH'TOWN.

TELEGRAPHIC. SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER. THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT. An Interesting Contretemps. LABOUCHERE IS TRIUMPHANT. Government Defeated in Committee. The House of Lords Voted Out. LONDON, March 14. Lord Randolph Churchill, restating the details on the address in reply to the Queen's speech in the House of Commons, predicted that there was not a man living who would live to see the establishment of an Irish Parliament, or the abolition of the House of Lords.

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USE SKODA'S DISCOVERY, the great Blood and Nerve Remedy. LYCEUM HALL ST. PATRICK'S DAY, MARCH 17th, 1894. THE THRILLING IRISH DRAMA ROBERT EMMET, IN THREE ACTS, will be presented by the CHARLOTTETOWN DRAMATIC CLUB, under the auspices of the BENEVOLENT IRISH SOCIETY of Charlottetown. Plan of seats and tickets at Reddin Bros. Admission, 25 cents. Reserved Seats, 35 cents. Secure your tickets early. See programme. Vinnicombe's Orchestra in attendance. Doors open at 7.15 commencing at sharp 8. mch12

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Read James Paton & Co's. Daily Announcement Gloves! Gloves! Gloves! We have placed on our counters to-day 100 pairs of KID GLOVES, all sizes, all colors, at 60c. a pair. ALSO A lot of BLACK KID GLOVES, worth 75 cents, for 30 cents a pair. Children's Kid Gloves at 20 cents a pair.

JAS. PATON & CO., TO-DAY the grand Northwest Bench Show is on at Chicago. Yesterday was the opening day, and the Show will continue four days, closing on the 16th instant. This exhibition of canine blue-bloods in the White City is a part of the circuit which opened in New York on February 20, and will conclude at St. Louis on March 20-23. The wisdom of your conclusion is apparent when you called on the STAR TAILOR for your Sunday-going-to-meeting Suit. You have been looking for such a Suit for a long time and found it at last, and be thankful. Yes, thanks to the STAR TAILOR is due, but they are being paid day by day with expressions of good will in the shape of bumping orders. With this evidence we will rest our case, by stating that all who will do likewise will be better satisfied with themselves in the long run. Our goods are immense and cheaper than you ever dreamed they would be. The early bird catches the worm.

JOHN T. MCKENZIE, The Star Merchant Tailor. 5th Charlottetown, March 14, 1894. MASONIC TEMPLE OPERA HOUSE. TWO NIGHTS ONLY SATURDAY AND MONDAY, MARCH 17th and 19th. McCloud & Melville's Spectacular Production of Edgar Selden's Irish Drama, WILL O' THE WISP, The Brightest, Wittiest and Prettiest of Irish Plays. Special Scenery. Starting 1 Act, Novel Sensations, Beautiful Music, Thrilling Climaxes, Clever Crotchets. Tickets, 75, 50 and 35 cents. Plan of Balcony at Rankin's Drug Store. Plan of Lower Hall at Dodd's Drug Store. mch

THE SOCIETY OF ARTS of Canada (Limited), MONTREAL. CAPITAL STOCK, - - \$100,000. A Society established with a view to disseminate the taste for art, to encourage and help artists. Incorporated by Letters Patent of the Government of Canada, the 27th February, 1893. GALLERY OF PAINTINGS No. 1666 and 1668 Notre Dame St., Montreal. One of the highest Galleries of Paintings in Canada. ADMISSION FREE, from 10 o'clock, a. m., to 4 p. m. The Paintings are originals, mostly from the French school, the leading modern school. Eminent Artists, such as Francois Rochegrosse, Aublet, Barau, Pesant, Petitjean, Maris Roy, Scherrer, Sauzay and a great many others, are members of this Society. Sale of Paintings at easy terms. Next distribution of Paintings between the Society and Scrip-holders on 28th March. Price of Scrip, \$1.00. Ask for Catalogue and Circular. H. A. BRAULT, Director. jan17—mw f f

New Hats. 1894---SPRING---1894. Just Received, 5 Cases New Hats, English and American, in all the Latest Styles. Call and get one at prices that will send you away happy. JOHN MACLEOD & CO. Charlottetown, March 10, 1894—m w f

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Priestley's Dress Fabrics. In the long run it is the quality of the material that will determine the success of a lady's costume. Every lady who has at all studied the matter knows this. Priestley's Black Dress Goods are the best that the market affords. That is conceded on all hands. The American ladies prefer Priestley's dress fabrics to French. Our Canadian ladies are now asking for them. They wear better than other goods; but their great charm consists in a peculiar richness and softness of appearance, and a flexibility which enables them to drape in the costume with that suggestion of flow and rhythm which is the dream of all tasteful women to realize.

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