P. E. ISLAND.

MEETING OF THE LEGISLATURE.—On Thursday March 3, 1870, His Honor the Administrator of the Government Sir Robert Hodgson, came down to the Council Chamber at 3 o'clock when he proceeded to open the Fourth Session of the Twenty-third General Assembly with the following

SPEECH:

Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

I am happy to meet you in your Legislative capacity, and at a time generally supposed to be most convenient for the performance of your duties.

During the past summer, this Island was honored with a visit by our gracious Soverign's third son, the Prince Arthur, and I have much satisfaction in informing you, that His Royal Highness, was received with unfeigned demonstrations of enthusiastic loyalty, and his visit will, I am convinced, tend to perpetuate in this Colony, the feeling of loyalty and attachment to our beloved Queen, and to her august family, so unmistakeably evinced by all classes on that occasion.

A visit of His Excellency Sir John Young Baronet, Governor General of British North America, preceded that of Prince Arthur. His Excellency was accompanied by several members of His Cabinet, who availed themselves of this opportunity to discuss, informally, with members of this Government, the subject of a union of this Island with the Dominion of Canada.

Since their return to Ottawa, proposals for such an Union have been received. These proposals, together with copies of Despatches from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, addressed to the Governor General, and to the Governor of British Columbia, bearing on the same subject will be laid before you, and "inasmuch as they convey in earnest terms, the matured opinion of Her Majesty's Government with reference to the great scheme of confederation," I bespeak for them your calm and deliberate consideration.

Some further purchases of Township lands have been effected, and I hope, from communications which have been received from certain absent proprietors, that other estates may be acquired on equitable terms. Papers relating to these transactions will be laid before you.

I have much pleasure in announcing to you, that Telegraphic Communication has been completed in the manner, and to the extent, contemplated by the Act of last session. The success which has attended the establishment of the line to Alberton, induces me to direct your attention to the necessity of providing similar accommodation for the Eastern portion of the Island.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

The Public Accounts will be submitted to you. They exhibit a satisfactory state of the Revenue of the past year.

The estimates for the current year will also be laid before you. They have been framed with due regard to economy and the efficiency of the Public Service.

Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Assembly:

We have great reason to be thankful to Divine Providence for the abundant returns which have rewarded the labors of our husbandmen during the past season.

Three years have now elapsed since the last general Industrial Exhibition was held in this City. Convinced of the great advantages which result from the stimulus thus applied to inventive talent, as well as to the industry of the mechanic, the manufacturer, and the cultivator of the soil. I suggest the propriety of your organizing a similar Exhibition, to take place during the ensuing autumn.

The rapid growth of our County Towns, while it indicates increasing wealth and prosperity, points also to the necessity of making some provision for their local Government. A measure, having this object in view, will be submitted for your approval.

The large sums annually disbursed from the Treasury for Educational purposes renders it desirable to simplify the present cumbrous and expensive system of paying Teachers' Salaries. An Act for effecting this object will be laid before you.

A Board of Works has been established in accordance with the provisions of the Act passed for that purpose, and though it has encountered many of the difficulties incident to the working of new institutions, yet under its superintendence several useful Public Works have been commenced, and others carried on, or completed.

Trusting that your deliberations may be guided by the Wisdom of an overruling Providence to the promotion of the best interests of your fellow colonists. I now leave you to the performance of your legislative labors.

TELEGRAPHIC.

(Special to the Citizen.)

CANNING, (Cornwallis) March 14.—Great excitement here this morning over the arrest of George E. Eaton.

At three o'clock this morning a constable and two or three assistants undertook to arrest Eaton at his own house, Canning, King's County. Eaton, armed with a loaded pistol, offered every resistance in his power and fired three times. The last time he attempted to fire, after taking aim at the head of one of his assailants, the weapon missed fire and thus fortunately bloodshed was avoided.

Eaton was subsequently made prisoner and taken before Justice Chipman on a charge of fraud and embezzlement. A Canning Attorney appeared for the prisoner. The prisoner was remanded to stand his trial at the Supreme Court on the above charge. Ten thousand dollars bail was required for his appearance, which he could not obtain.

No charge was brought forward in connection with the shooting affair.

Great excitement prevailed all day, and a great number of the people of the district were present at the trial.

OTTAWA, March 8.—A very important discussion took place last night in the House on the question of the adoption of the national policy in favour of protection of Canadian productions. The expression of opinion in favour of Dr. Tupper's argument for reciprocity of tariffs was very strong and almost unanimous among Western members, and there is every indication that the financial policy of the Ministry will be moulded to a great extent by the temper of the House.

The Banking Resolutions will be brought down to-day, and after they have been disposed of, the Elective Franchise Bill will be taken up.

The House has got fairly to work, and there appears to be a determination to get through with the work expeditiously. Government intends, if possible, to push through business, so that the House may rise before Easter.

E. M. McDonald (Lunenburg) moved for correspondence with regard to Post-office at Halifax.

Sir John A. Macdonald said the Dominion did not wish to get into unnecessary altercation with the Provincial Government; the Post-office was too small, and that a new one was required to be built.

OTTAWA, March 9.—Mr. Jones introduced a bill to alter the system of management of the Intercolonial Railway by placing it directly in charge of the Government.

On motion of Mr. Coffin for correspondence respecting depredations of Americans on our fisheries, some discussion was had.

In reply to Mr. Connell, Hon. Mr. Langevin stated that the Government had not decided whether to place in the estimates a sum for a survey of the river St. John with a view to improving navigation.

Mr. Mill moved the second reading of a bill to prevent dual representations, speaking at length in its support. Mr. Harrison, seconded by Mr. Grey, moved the six months' hoist. The debate is to be resumed this evening.

OTTAWA, March 10.—Last night Mr. Mill's Dual Representation bill received the 6 months' hoist by a vote of 82 to 69.

Petitions from Halifax against a change of currency, received by telegraph yesterday, were presented to-day. Objection being made because they were not signed by three residents of Halifax—Messrs. Jack (of People's Bank), Topper, and E. M. McDonald affixed their names.

Sir John A. McDonald introduced and explained the Election Bill. Mr. Blake strongly opposed several features of the bill. He will resume after recess.

Mr. Clements, of Yarmouth, is here, urging railway extension. The Nova Scotia members are favorable to the project, but reserve action till the arrival of delegates from Yarmouth meeting.

It is stated that evidence has been collected at Pembina, by order of the State Department at Washington, showing that Hon. Mr. McDougall violated neutrality. His physician states he will not be able to resume his place in Parliament this session.

The Senate took up the bill in reference to Exchange and Promissory Notes. The object is to assimilate the laws on the subject in the Dominion. It does not go into operation until first September next.

FROM NEWFOUNDLAND.

(Special to the Citizen.)

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 12.—The deadlock in House of Assembly continues. House met and adjourned daily for sixteen days, transacting no business.

Confederate members disregard call of the House and refuse to attend, alleging that Government have violated act regarding contested elections, and falsified Journals of House. Without a quorum of twenty the petition against Carter cannot be tried.

Government obstinately refuse to discharge the order of the day and proceed to business; and to-day have issued writs to fill two vacant seats and so secure a quorum. Forty days must elapse before returns of writs, and House must meet and adjourn daily for six weeks. No business can be transacted.

Government determined at any cost to outset Cartier, Evens, and Emerson, and are content to stop all legislation to gain their end.

Fine weather for sealing fleet. Prospects good.

UNITED STATES.

BOSTON, March 11—The Secretaries of Navy and State have been invited to appear before the House Committee of Foreign Affairs, and tell what they know about the Cuban Insurrection.

NEW YORK, March 11.—Steamer *Schmidt* from Bremen, concerning which much alarm has been felt, arrived to-day

EUROPEAN.

LONDON, March 11.—The Irish Land Bill was further debated this evening in the House of Commons, and passed the second reading, 442 voting in favor, and eleven against.

Mr. Otway, Under Secretary for Foreign affairs, informed the House that the difficulty between the United States and Great Britain in regard to the Water boundary of their respective territories in North America, had been referred to arbitration.

A despatch from Rome gives the scheme of the papal infallability, defining what the Church must hold in faith in morals, and the prerogative of papal infallibility extends over the same matter to which the infallibility of the Church is applicable. "If any should dare, which God forbid, to controvert the present definition, let him know that he departs from the true faith."

LONDON, March 12.—M. Louis Noir, brother of Victor Noir who was killed by Prince Napoleon Bonaparte complains through the press that he has not been permitted to know anything of the accusation against the Prince, that neither he nor any of his friends have been cited to appear as witnesses in the case, and that the prosecution seems to be against his dead brother and not against the prince.

PROVINCIAL TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

A reduction of travelling fares for benefit of parties attending the Provincial Temperance Convention next week, has been secured as follows:—

T. S. Lindsay & Co.'s Stage Line.—Pay full fare to New Glasgow. Return free on certificate of Secretaries.

C. B. Archibald's Line—Between Truro and Amherst.—Full fare to Truro; half fare returning on certificate from Secretaries.

Provincial Railways.—Full fare to Halifax; return free;—but Delegates to obtain their certificates, when coming to Halifax, at Pictou, New Glasgow, Truro, Windsor, and Antigonish. (See this day's *Abstainer* for list.)

It is probable that similar arrangements will be made on the Windsor and Annapolis Rail way.

RECEIPTS FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.

To March 15th, 1870.

Rev F H W Pickles	4.00	Jacob Payne	1.00
By Rev John McMurray		By Rev D W LeLacheur	
John Fisher	$2 00	Joseph Calhoun	2.00
D J Holder	2.00	George Parker	2.00
J Wright	2.00		$4.00
	$6.00	By Rev Chas Stewart—	
Rev S Gooseley	1.00	William Sandull	$2.00
By Rev. G M Barrett—		W. G Strong	2.00
Joseph Wilson	$4.00		

Honourable mention was awarded Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites at the Provincial Exhibition held at St. John, October 1867, in addition to high encomiums passed by the medical gentlemen chosen to examine it. Sold by Apothecaries. Price $1.50 per bottle. Six for $7.50.

LIFE ASSURANCE.—The "Canada Life" is without question one of the most prosperous and best managed Assurance Companies doing business in this country, while at the same time it is deservedly the most popular. Its financial condition, it will be seen by refernsces to the Government return, is all that the Shareholders and Policy Holders could reasonably desire.—These figures furnish ample evidences of the constantly increasing business of the Company, of the safety and soundnees of the institution, and of the excellency of its management.—*Ontario paper.*

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES,

"I have never changed my mind respecting them from the first, expecting to think yet better of that which I began thinking well of."
REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER.

"For Throat Troubles they are a specific."
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"Contain no opium or anything injurious."
DR. A. A. HAYES, Chemist, Boston.

"An elegant combination for Coughs."
DR. G. F. BIGELOW, Boston.

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Rev. E. H. Chapin,

"Most salutary relief in Bronchitis."
Rev. S. SEIGFRIED, Morristown, Ohio.

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Rev. S. J. P. ANDERSON, St. Louis.

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Johnson's Anodyne Liniment is, without out doubt, the safest, surest, and best remedy that has ever been invented for internal and external use. It is applicable to a great variety of complaints, and is equally beneficial for man or beast.

We have seen it stated in various papers throughout the country, that Agents for the sale of *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders* were authorized to refund the money to any person who should use them and not be satisfied with the result. We doubted this at first, but the proprietors authorize us to say that it is true.

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.—All parties effecting assuranee on their lives before 30th April next, will be entitled to participate in the profits of the year.

EDITOR'S AND BOOK STEWARDS NOTES, &c.

1. CIRCULATION OF THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.—Having now completed a somewhat careful revision of the Subscription Lists of the Connexional Organ, we are glad to be allowed to report, for the information of those interested in its prosperity, that we find there is a net gain in its weekly circulation within the last few months of just about 200 copies. This is less than half the increase for which we thought it not unreasonable to ask. We have entered, we believe, fully 500 new names on the Office Books since the last Conference; but we have been compelled to cease sending the paper to nearly 300 of the former subscribers who, apparently, had failed to pay anything since 1868.

We believe that most of these might have been retained if all the Brethren on the Circuits had been willing to take the trouble which some have done to meet the obligations which their own resolutions, passed at the last Conference, imposed upon them. We very much wish that the Brethren who have not given all possible diligence to the work of collecting subscriptions from former subscribers, and to earnest efforts to extend the circulation of the *Provincial Wesleyan*, could even now be induced to exert themselves aright, so that the losses which should have been avoided may soon be more than made up.

We now know that, as we anticipated would be the case, the paper has been withheld from some because of mistakes. Some of these have been already reported, and so opportunity has been afforded to us of correcting the mistakes; and we have had the great pleasure of re-entering the names of former subscribers, from whom the paper, because of those mistakes, had been withheld.

If all our Brethren will take a little extra pains to look after our other former readers from whom we have so reluctantly parted company, we are confident that we shall soon be authorized to renew our weekly visits to most of them.

2. We have been much encouraged in our efforts to increase the circulation of the *Provincial Wesleyan* by the interest which some of our Lay-brethren have shown in the work, and by the very efficient help they have rendered.

The largest list of new subscribers which we have received was made up by a young brother who is not in the Ministry. He has sent us the names of 25 new subscribers, with advance payment for each.

On the 2nd of Feb. the gentleman named in Bro. Thurlow's note published this week in another column, called and paid in advance for ten copies of the *Wesleyan*, to be forwarded as Bro. Thurlow might direct.

On the 28th of Feb. we received a note from Bro. A. S. Tuttle, dated "Hopewell, N. B., Feb. 24th," in which he says: "At a Donation-visit made to the occupants of the Wesleyan Parsonage last evening, by a large number of friends,—which by the way was a highly interesting occasion,—a letter was put into my hands reading as follows and containing the amount which I here enclose, $20:—"The agent for the *Provincial Wesleyan* will please direct the forwarding of that paper twelve months to each of the following-named ten persons."

We have received payments for the *Wesleyan* to be sent to parties named by several other persons also.

These are examples of *enlightened liberality* which we think it would be well for many of our friends having $2 or $20 to spare to imitate.

The many friends of the Rev. A. W. Turner—who is now with his friends in North Shields, England,—will regret to hear that he has not seemed to derive the hoped-for advantage from his voyaging to South America and thence to England. In a note to the Editor dated 24th Feb. he says:—

"As to myself, I am, I suppose, somewhat worse than when I left Halifax, but I lack nothing that care and kindness can do for me. I think I have done with circuits, but all things are possible to God.

Kind regards to all friends."

Those friends will not forget to pray earnestly that if it can be according to God's will, this beloved Brother may yet be restored to health.

Marriages.

At Passekeag, N. B., Feb. 23rd, by the Rev. G. Harrison, Mr. Robert McAfee, of St. Martins, in the County of St. John, to Miss Lizzie Crockett, of Norton, Kings Co.

On the 9th inst., at the Wesleyan Church, Weymouth, by the Rev. W. C. Brown, the Rev. J. M'Cully Fulton, A. M., Wesleyan Minister, to Miss Ida Cornelia, eldest daughter of Edward H. Oakes, Esq., of Weymouth.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 3rd inst., by the Rev. A. B Black, Mr. Robert M. West, of Cornwallis, to Miss Martha A. Sandford, daughter of Mr. Dean Sandford, of Burlington.

On the 3rd inst., by the Rev. H. Pope, Mr. Lemuel Poole, to Miss Eliza J. Brundage.

On the 2nd inst., by the Rev A. S. DesBrisay, Mr. James Calwell, of Summerside, to Miss Eliza Ellen, eldest daughter of Mr. Arthur Crozier, of Lot 10.

At the Parsonage, Summerside, on the 1st inst., by the same, Mr, Alexander McRea, Boushaw, to Miss Mary Hall, of Summerside.

Deaths.

At Burlington, after a lingering illness, which he bore with much resignation, trusting in Christ, Israel Sandford, Esq., J. P., deeply lamented by a large circle of relatives and friends.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

THURSDAY, March 10

Brigts Mayflower, Nauffts, Boston; Grace Kelly, Kelly, Boston; H Porter, Card, New York; Empress, Matson, Havana; schr A D Dater, Pattle, Liverpool.

FRIDAY, March 11

Steamer Chase, Mulligan, Portland; brigt Frank Churchill, Forest, Cuba; schr Rival, Smith, Liverpool.

SATURDAY, March 12

Brigts Kingston, Woods, Cienfuegos.

MONDAY, March 14.

Schrs Lady Caroline, Jones, Mahone Bay; Ninth of June, Boudrot, Gowrie Mines; Zebra, Corkum, Port Medway; steamer Carlotta, Portland.

CLEARED.

March 10—Steamer City of Halifax, Jamieson, St John's, Nfld; brigt Athalaska, Langenburg, Little Glace Bay; schr A E Dater, Pattle, Liverpool.

March 11—Brigt Lena, Nichol, B W Indies; steamer City of New York, Philips, Liverpool; schrs Life Boat, Foster, Port Medway; Juliet, St John, N B.

March 14—Brigt Golden Rule, Johnston, Porto Rico; schr Four Brothers, Portier, Mahone Bay.

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DEPARTMENT Of Marine and Fisheries.

OTTAWA, 12th February, 1870.

Tenders for Light House.

TENDERS will be received at the Department of Marine and Fisheries OTTAWA, up to noon of FRIDAY, the first day of April, for the erection of a

LIGHT HOUSE,

At Apple River, Cumberland County, N. Scotia

Plans and Specifications can be seen on application at the offices of the Department of the Marine and Fisheries, in Halifax, Nova Scotia, and St. John, New Brunswick, and at the residence of the Keeper of Apple River Light; and Form of Tender can also be obtained on application at those places.

The work is required to be completed on or before the 31st day of July next.

The names of two responsible sureties must accompany each tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

P. MITCHELL,
march 16 Minister of Marine and Fisheries

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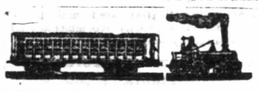

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

The Commissioners appointed to construct the Intercolonial Railway give Public Notice that they are now prepared to receive tenders for four further Sections of the Line.

Section No. 13 will be in the Province of Quebec, and will extend from the Easterly end of Section No. 8 to Station 906, near Malfait Lake, about 20½ miles in length.

Section No. 14, will be in the Province of Quebec, and will extend from the Easterly end of Section No. 13, to Station 543, a point between the mouth of the River Amqui and the little Matapedia Lake about 22½ miles in length.

Section No. 15 will be in the Province of New Brunswick, and will extend from the Easterly end of Section No. 9 to Station No. 639, a point fully half a mile Easterly from the crossing of the River Nepissiguit—length, twelve one-tenth miles.

Section No. 16, will be in the Province of New Brunswick, and will extend from the Easterly end of Section No. 10, about 18 3-4 miles in length.

The contracts for the above sections to be completely finished and ready for laying the track by the 1st day of July, 1872.

The Commissioners also give Public notice that having annulled the Contracts for Sections Nos. 2 and 4, they are now prepared to receive Tenders for re-letting the same.

Section No. 3 is in the Province of New Brunswick and extends from Station No 370, about two miles South of the Restigouche River to Station No 190, about 2,000 feet South of Eel River, near Dalhousie, being a distance of about 24 miles.

Section No. 4 is in the Province of Nova Scotia, and extends from Station No. 230, on the Amherst Ridge, to Station O, on the Ridge about a mile North of the River Philip, a distance of about 2 miles.

The Contracts for Sections Nos. 3 and 4 to be completely finished and ready for laying the track by the 1st day of July, 1871.

Plans and Profiles, with specifications and terms of contract, will be exhibited at the Office of the Chief Engineer in Ottawa; and at the offices of the Commissioners in Toronto, Quebec, Rimouski, Dalhousie, Newcastle, St. John, and Halifax, on and after the 10th March next; and Sealed Tenders addressed to the Commissioners of the Intercolonial Railway, and marked "Tenders" will be received at their office in Ottawa, up to 7 o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 4th day of April, 1870.

Sureties for the completion of the contract will be required to sign the Tender.

A. WALSH,
ED. B. CHANDLER,
C. J. BRYDGES,
A. W. McLELAN,
Commissioners.

Commissioners Office,
Ottawa, 26th Jan. 1870.
Feb. 2nd. 6 ins.

COLUMBIA ENGLAND ON DROIT

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,—OTTAWA.

TUESDAY, 25th day of January, 1870.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Hon. the Minister of Customs and under and in pursuance of the Act 31 Victoria Chapter 6, intituled "An Act respecting the "Customs" His Excellency has been pleased to Order, and it is hereby ordered that on from and after the first day of February next, the Port of Amherst in the Province of Quebec, shall for all the purposes of that Act be designated and known as the Port of Magdalen Islands.

That the Port of Bytown in the Province of Ontario, shall for all the purposes of that Act be designated and known as the Port of Ottawa.

That the Port of Dalhousie in the Province of Ontario, shall for all the purposes of that Act be designated and known as the Port of St. Catherines.

WM. H. LEE,
Feb 22 3ins Clerk Privy Council.

A $50,000 LAW SUIT.

Mr. Benjamin W. Hitchcock the originator and successful Publisher of Half Dime Sheet Music has commenced an action in the Supreme Court, against R M DeWitt, for an alledged infringement of his Trade Mark, laying damages at $50,000. The Courts have already awarded heavy damages in suits of this kind. [an 19

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RULES prescribed by the Treasury Board, under the sanction of the Governor-General in Council, in reference to the mode of Acquital of Warrants for the payment of money by the Government of Canada:

1. No Officer in the Civil Service shall, under any circumstances, be permitted to act as Attorney for the receipt of public moneys.

2. No power of Attorney will be recognized, received or acted upon by the Receiver General, which is not printed, and of the form to be obtained from the Department of the Receiver General, under which only payment can be made—and such power operate as to any sum of money due only by the Government at the date of the power of the Attorney.

3. General Powers of Attorney, authorizing the receipt of money due, or which may become due after its date, by which any chartered Bank or Agent of a chartered Bank is constituted the Attorney, will be received and acted upon if printed and of the special form to be obtained from the Department of the Receiver General, and in the event of the power being to the Agent of a Chartered Bank, the Bank must declare itself, by a proper instrument in writing, responsible for the acts of such agent, in respect to the receipts of moneys thereunder.

It is, however, optional with the party executing any power of Attorney to a Bank or Agent of a Bank, prior to the execution, to erase the words 'or may hereafter become due.'

4. Duplicate Powers of Attorney must be produced in every case, except when there may be General Power of Attorney, as above mentioned; to a Chartered Bank or Agent of a Bank, in which case a duplicate must be lodged with the Finance Department.

5. All powers of Attorney and duplicates must be signed in the presence of a witness.

6. In case of the death of the person in whose behalf payment is claimed, the probate of Will or other proof that the applicant is entitled to receive the money, must be furnished on application for such payments.

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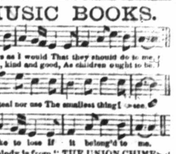

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