

Correspondence.

FROM OHIO.

MOUNT GILEAD, OHIO, Oct. 15, 1866.

Dear Sir, - In spite of the exaggerations of newspaper writers, it is evident to every impartial observer, that Fenianism is not yet on its death-bed...

Now, instead of being characteristic of only one man, such sentiments are cherished by almost every member of the Fenian Brotherhood...

The congressional election came off last week in the States of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and Iowa...

We have had a great deal of wet weather this fall. It rained almost incessantly for several weeks...

Yours truly, ARGO.

FOR THE HERALD.

Lines dedicated to "G. S." of the "Islander."

I am proud of you, "George," a Scotman, I ween...

This is too small for your name, "G. S."

A "political parson" come think you, "G. S."

You'll be Chapsin, (!) I'm sure, in the Parliament Hall!

It's Ottawa fair, the' you'd stretch to the walls!

I'll tell you, "G. S.," what we want you to do...

To the Magdalen Islands now his, "G. S."

And when you come back, we'll expect from your pen...

That's right, "George," don't spare them, you're able...

These go into them, "George," "be the round and the square."

These come to the point and I'll give you a plumper...

Yours, etc., RHYMER.

Rhymer's Office, King's County, October 21st, 1866.

To the Editor of the Herald.

Dear Sir - Here I am, after another late day's work...

Sandy, taking advantage of Tom's absence, (who was out to South-western, on the 10th inst.)...

But, Mr. Editor, I must conclude, as the facts are all consumed, and the pine torch, which is throwing light on the subject, is growing smaller and smaller...

AN ELECTOR.

First Electoral District of King's, October 23d, 1866.

To the Editor of the Herald.

Sir, - I have great pleasure in acknowledging the receipt of forty-eight dollars...

WM. DODD, Sec'y and Treas.

-Other papers please copy-

The Herald.

Wednesday, October 31st, 1866.

POLITICAL.

ALTHOUGH the Legislature has neither been called together nor dissolved, nor yet the despatch of the Colonial Secretary...

The Republican Party, as opposed to Frequentation-Johnston's reconstruction policy, has been triumphant at the polls in every State where an election has taken place this fall.

is for its own benefit. If the \$200,000 free grant be what its friends represent it—a bona fide "gift"—they should have no hesitation in placing it before the public...

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The gale of Saturday and Sunday last was so severe that it has been experienced around these coasts for many years. We have vessels having been stranded at St. Peter's Harbor, and other ports around the coast, and all within this Harbor.

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December, after having the Imperial Act made all right, may be looked for. The public will, of course, wait patiently the result, satisfied, as they may truly be, that the interests of this Colony will be daily guarded in the compact which our delegates are deputed to assist in completing."

Says the Journal - "Our English letters by last mail express the great satisfaction of the friends of confederation at the satisfactory and earnest utterances of the members of the Government at the Liverpool and London banquets."

Surely these people are utterly lost to shame, else they would not make such statements when they know that exposure is so certain. - St. John Freeman.

The Lamirande case, which our Canadian organs affected to regard as so trivial, is now making much noise in England and much trouble in Canada. The Imperial Government have sent out for all papers connected with it, and Lord Monck, it is believed, will be rebuked as his unbounded confidence in the members of his Government deserves.

Francis McPhelin, Esq., Sheriff of Kent County, N. B., died recently at Richibucto. The breath was hardly out of this gentleman, when Livingston, of the St. John Telegraph—who would like to be a sort of Bismarck if he could—lectured the Government as to who should be appointed to fill the office.

Mr. McPhelin represented Kent for a number of years in the Legislative Assembly, was associated at one time with Messrs Gray and Wilton, in the Executive, and was the first Postmaster-General of the Province who held a seat in Council. He was a man of considerable natural ability, a fluent talker, and a clever debater.

LEATHER TRADE WITH CANADA.—One of the strongest arguments used by the anti-Confederates against a Confederation of Prince Edward Island with Canada is that we have nothing in the shape of manufactured articles that we can send from here that will pay.

"Dear Sir, - I enclose you account sales of Leather, consigned by Mr. W. B. Dawson; sales have been made for cash; I hope the prices obtained may be further business. The Wax and Grained Upper Leather was of good quality, and will always command the highest market price."

The leather exported by Mr. Dawson not only commanded the highest price, but was pronounced to be the best in the market, and this in an experiment, and from what we can learn, has proved successful. Mr. Dawson's extensive tannery factory is now in full operation, preparing a further supply for export before the navigation closes, and this in the face of a tariff of, we believe, 20 or 25 per cent. - E. E.

BUILDINGS IN THE BURET DISTRICT.—The lower part of the City, devastated by fire in July last, now presents a more cheerful aspect than we expected it would assume in so short a space of time. The buildings erected and in progress are quite numerous. We are indebted to the Patriot of Saturday last for the following interesting particulars of these evidences of private enterprise: -

On Monday evening last, the mason-work being completed, Messrs. W. R. Watson and Alexander McKenzie, as a mark of approval of their conduct, entertained their workmen and laborers—about thirty in number—in their first four-story brick building on Queen Street. Refreshments of a substantial kind were provided in abundance. The party was a most pleasant and social one. Before breaking up, they gave three hearty cheers and one more for their employers, who reciprocated the compliment by proposing Mr. Watson and his men. Both parties expressed themselves highly pleased with the other, and concluded the festivities of the evening by singing that loyal old tune, "God Save the Queen."

The Victoria Building—for such it was named—is the first four-story building erected in Charlottetown, and reflects great credit upon its enterprising owners, Messrs. Watson and McKenzie. We hope that ere long many of our citizens will follow their example, and ornament the city, whilst adding to its safety, so these gentlemen have done. The Victoria Building is 56 feet long, 40 feet wide, and 4 1/2 feet high. The front of the building is finished for shops, and the remainder for private residence. The first and second stories are 11 feet high, the third 10 feet, and the fourth 9 feet between the ceilings. Architect, David Stirling, Esq., Halifax; Superintendent, Silas Barnard, Esq.; and Builders, Messrs. Charles Heertz & Son.

The Hon. D. Brennan has rebuilt his brick store on the corner of Queen and Dorchester Streets, and added an additional story to it. F. LePage, Esq., and H. E. Starbird & Co., who occupied the building at the time it was destroyed, have removed thither again. It is completed in front, and much improved in appearance externally and internally. Mr. Richard Lockhart has erected a neat two-story brick house on Fowall Street and Mrs. Blake and sons are building a three-story private residence of the same material on King Street. Dr. Hodgson, Esq., Lemuel C. Owen, Esq., William Walsh, Esq., Mrs. Hodgkin, the Bank of P. E. Island, and Messrs. McKenna and Hollens are all, we understand, making arrangements to build with brick next spring. Owen Connolly, Esq., has a large four-story warehouse in frame, and Mr. James Peables is putting up a two-story dwelling house on Fowall Street. The Queen's County Drill Shed is enclosed and partly shingled. The Market House is also approaching completion, and will, when finished, be the most commodious and substantial office of the kind in the Lower Provinces. The buildings of Messrs. S. Benson, J. D. Edmunds, Martin Hogan, James Hughes, John O'Connell, John O'Connell, and Timothy O'Connell, Edward Ryan, and Mrs. C. McKenna are nearly finished on the outside, and some of them are already occupied. They are well improved, both in size, appearance, and design, and being destroyed by the late fire.

Mr. Howlin, a member of the P. E. Island Legislature, proved himself a friend of union, by writing in the hands of wolf-dog with one of the daughters of New Brunswick—Miss Oton. This is a governor of this political union of which he will no doubt prove himself the friend and advocate on his return to the Island. - N. B. Morning News, Oct. 26.

Owing to the Saturday, the 11th inst., the trip to the West did not take place, and the Heister were both absent.

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