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afford the most indisputable guarantee and most  
secure confirmation in the eye of the law, as well as  
that of the people, to their rights. It is to protect  
the sacred rights of property not to confiscate it,  
that this Court is established.

I think, Sir, I may safely add, that when the party  
who are still distinguished by the term of Liberal  
came into office the majority of the members sincerely  
desired to bring into effect, the long deferred  
wishes of their constituents, and that in my opinion  
several, but not all of them were pledged to that  
effect, and when the Civil list bill became law, it was  
looked upon as a certain guarantee of the power  
within ourselves to ascertain the extent of the right  
of the Colonial public to the interest directly con-  
veyed to us by the Crown in the Statute just referred  
to, what the Island has derived from the sessions so  
largely spoken of, to what advantage they have been  
turned. I shall, Mr. Editor, with your consent, per-  
use my remarks in another number of your indepen-  
dant journal.

I am Sir, yours,  
COLONIST.

COLONIAL LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, WEDNESDAY, April 11.

The appropriation Bill passed.  
The Revenue Bill was put into committee.  
Mr. Warburton suggested that it would be  
better to pass the Bill for more than one year.  
Merchants would then be better able to give  
their orders for goods, and would not require  
to wait for the Bill to pass before they made  
large importations. He also wished to see the  
system changed for the collection of duties,  
and particularly for duties of large amounts  
such as spirits, &c.

The Duties are left the same as last year,  
except the duty on Home manufactured spirits  
which has been reduced 6d. per gallon. The  
duty on Port Wine has been raised 6d. The  
duty on tobacco is much the same, as it is to  
be paid on the manufactured article.  
Mr. Haviland, moved that printing paper  
and materials be exempted from duty, the  
other colonies had taken off these duties, and  
as the House, professed to be the friends of  
Education they should extend it to what would  
enable us to have cheaper books and newspa-  
pers, besides books came in free of duty, and  
while there was a duty on paper, it was a tax  
on the home manufacturer, who employed  
people and machinery on the Island.

The views of Hon. Members on this subject,  
will be given in a future Number, the motion  
was lost on the following division.  
AYES.—Haviland, Montgomery, Warburton,  
Longworth, Speaker, Clark.  
NAYS.—Mooney, Coles, Perry, Muirhead,  
Cooper, McIntosh, Laird, Lord, Munroe.

House in Committee on Bank Bill.

Mr. Haviland explained—  
The present Bill was introduced instead of  
the one that passed the House last Session,  
and to which Her Majesty refused her assent  
for the reasons assigned in the Despatches.  
Members were acquainted with those reasons,  
as they had already been debated. He believed  
that every Hon. Member would admit the  
necessity of a Bank; the want of exchange was  
severely felt, a large amount of money for the  
Patriotic Fund was now lying idle because  
reliable drafts could not be obtained. The  
amount of Capital proposed was limited to  
£30,000 in 1500 shares of £20 each, perhaps it  
would be better to divide it into shares of £10  
each, which would accommodate men of small  
means. If persons were interested in the Bank  
in various parts of the Country, it would not  
be so liable to a run, in cases of hard times.  
Mr. H. spoke of the principal features of the  
Bill, which we have given a little more in  
detail from our notes, as the Bill went through  
Committee.

Capital to be £30,000 divided into 3000  
shares of £10 each.  
£15,000 to be paid in, before the Bank can go  
into operation, and the remainder to be paid in  
two years.

Corporation may hold Real Estate to amount  
of £3,000.  
As soon as 600 shares are taken up, a meeting  
may be called to make Bye Laws and choose 7  
Directors, after giving 30 days' notice. Mode  
of transfer of shares to be approved of by the  
Governor in Council.

Annual General Meetings of Stockholders to  
be held on the 1st Tuesday in March for choos-  
ing Directors, who will choose one of their  
number for President. President to be remun-  
erated by what the Stockholders may deem  
proper.

Holder of twenty-five shares may be a Di-  
rector.  
Holder of 1 or 2 shares will have 1 vote; for  
every two shares above 2 up to 12, 1 vote; for  
every three shares above 12 up to 30, one vote;  
and no one person shall have more than 15  
votes. Stockholders not to hold more than  
three proxies.

No person can take more than 40 shares  
until the list has been open three months; they  
may then have 80 shares. No Stockholder  
shall hold more than 100, unless acquired by  
purchase, after the Bank has commenced opera-  
tions. And no person shall at any time hold  
more than 20 per cent. of the shares.  
When £15,000 have been paid in, the Presi-

dent shall notify Lieut. Governor, who may  
appoint three Commissioners, who shall not be  
Shareholders, to inspect vaults, &c.  
Shareholders shall be liable to twice the  
amount of Stock.

Notes may be issued as small as £5.  
Mr. PALMER suggested, that the Notes be  
issued in British Sterling, as it would be  
thought tend to their being taken more freely  
in the other provinces, where our currency is  
depreciated.

Mr. Lord thought they ought to be issued in  
dollars.  
It was left to the Shareholders to fix as  
to what sums they might issue.

Some debate took place, on allowing the  
Bank to issue notes as small as 5s; two or three  
Hon. Members arguing that it would drill out  
the small currency, and others, that it would  
have no prejudicial effect.

Mr. WARBURTON moved, that no private In-  
dividual shall issue any Note printed on a plate,  
or otherwise resembling a Bank Note, under a  
penalty of five pounds.

Shall be kept in City of Charlottetown.  
Directors shall at the General Meeting on  
the 1st Thursday in March, lay before the Com-  
pany a statement of affairs.

Joint Committee appointed by the Legisla-  
ture can visit the vaults and inspect the  
Books.

Stockholders being not less than 12 persons  
owning 600 shares can call a Special Meeting  
giving 30 days notice.

Before a dissolution, it must be advertised 12  
months. Shareholders liable for two years.

Cashier to make return to the Government  
annually, in triplicate, of affairs, according  
to a form.

Directors may, if approved by Shareholders,  
issue additional shares to the amount of  
£30,000, such shares shall be sold at auction.

Suspension of payments for 90 days, a forfei-  
ture of charter.

Limits charter to 21 years.

The Bill was reported and ordered to be en-  
grossed.

THURSDAY, April 12th.

Several conferences were held with the Legis-  
lative Council.  
The Bank Bill was read a third time and  
passed.

THE LEGISLATURE.—Since Thursday, no new  
matter has been introduced in the House of  
Assembly. What had been previously in progress,  
has been passed through. Yesterday a joint Ad-  
dress of both Houses was agreed to for presenta-  
tion to the Queen, together with the vote for the  
patriotic fund. The Legislative Council have  
the Charlottetown Incorporation and the Bank  
Bills in Committee. It is the intention of both  
Houses to rise on Tuesday.

LATE FROM EUROPE.

A Colonial Mail arrived yesterday afternoon.  
We have seven days later news from Britain  
via New York, which will be found below.

New York, April 7.

Telegraph Despatch to the Halifax Reading Room.

The American Steamship Baltic, arrived at  
New York on Saturday morning.—Liverpool  
dates to the 24th ult.

Advices from the Crimea quite unimportant.  
Conference proceedings satisfactory.

First point relative to Protectorate of Danubian  
Provinces, affirmed unanimously.

Cotton had declined one eighth.

The market for Breadstuffs continued—steady  
prices unchanged.

Sugar in moderate demand—no change in price.  
Coffee firm with a steady demand.

At the Vienna Conference, the first of the  
four points of guarantee, viz: that the Danubian  
Principalities be placed under the joint protec-  
tion of the Five Powers, has been agreed to.—  
The second point is under discussion.

The Czar Alexander has made a speech to his  
army which is interpreted as pacific.

SECOND DESPATCH.

(By the Fredericton and Quebec Lines.)

The Vienna Conference unanimously agreed  
on the first point—placing the Principalities  
under the five powers.

The new screw steamer City of Baltimore, of  
the Liverpool and Pennsylvania Company, had  
been taken up by the French Government for  
six months, and had left Liverpool for Marseilles;  
having in tow the American ship Ticonderoga,  
also engaged by the French Government.

The new Czar had made several mild speeches  
in the Diplomatic, and very strong ones to  
the army. On the whole, his language was  
interpreted in a pacific sense.

The first of the four points which had been  
unanimously agreed on at the Vienna Confer-  
ence reads thus—"the abolition of the exclusive  
privilege of Russia in Moldavia and Wallachia  
—the privileges accorded to the new provinces  
being placed under the guard of the five  
powers."

The latest despatches from Vienna say the  
Conference is progressing favorably. The second  
point was either settled or would be to-morrow.  
It must be recollected that the question of

peace or war is not settled until the third point  
is settled.

The Paris correspondent of the London Times  
telegraphed under date of Friday evening—"the  
news from Vienna appears to be favorable to  
peace, and at Paris the people are disposed to  
believe the Conference will be attended with  
happy results."

Count Nesselrode, it is believed, will proceed  
to Vienna when the negotiations become criti-  
cal.

The new Czar gave strong evidence that he  
would adhere to the plans laid out by his father  
—that he would make no concessions.

Rumors were current of a new basis of ar-  
rangement, including the Black Sea and open-  
ing of the Danube, the erection of Turkish forts  
in Asia, &c.

Advices from Constantinople state that the  
Porte has determined to maintain undiminished  
sovereignty in the Dardanelles, and protests  
against the Christians of the Empire being re-  
ceived under foreign protection. The Porte also  
desires the participation of Prussia in the Con-  
ference.

Nothing of importance before Eupatoria.  
General Burgoyne remains in the Crimea at  
the request of Lord Raglan.

The health of the allied troops is satisfactory.  
The English position was well fortified.

The Russians had received reinforcements.  
At an allied council of war, held on the 9th,  
it was resolved to recommence active opera-  
tions.

QUEBEC, March 29.—Important Proceedings in  
the Canadian Assembly.—The second reading of  
a bill for introducing the elective principle into  
the second branch of the Legislature, was  
carried in the Assembly last night by a vote of  
80 against 4.

NO WONDER HE WAS THANKFUL.  
READ AND JUDGE FOR YOURSELVES.

Rochester, October 19, 1852.

Gentlemen—Having experienced the benefi-  
cial effects of Dr. McLane's Celebrated Liver  
Pills, I take great pleasure in recommending  
them to the public. I feel warranted in saying,  
that they are a certain cure for liver complaints  
and all bilious diseases, no matter how difficult  
or long standing. I myself was afflicted with this  
dreadful disease for over two years, and oh! how  
thankful I am, that I heard of these Pills. I pur-  
chased one of your agents three boxes, and be-  
fore I had finished the third box, was completely  
cured. I verily believe, but for Dr. McLane's  
Liver Pills, I should have been in my grave; but  
as it is, I am now enjoying the best of health, and  
stand a living witness of the efficiency of Dr.  
McLane's Liver Pills. Besides recovering my  
health, I consider that I have saved in pocket  
some two or three hundred dollars physician's  
fee.

This testimony I give you with the greatest  
pleasure, and hope it may do something towards  
making these invaluable Pills known to all who  
are suffering with liver complaint.

WILLIAM BISS, Traveller in Western New York.  
P. S. Dr. McLane's Celebrated Liver Pills,  
also his great American Vermifuge or Worm  
Destroyer, can now be had at all respectable  
Drug Stores in this city.

Purchasers will please be careful to ask  
for, and take none but Dr. McLane's Liver Pills.  
There are other Pills, purporting to be Liver  
Pills, now before the public.

W. R. WATSON Agent for P.E. Island.

The Treasurer of the Patriotic Fund begs to  
acknowledge the receipt of Two Pounds from Mrs.  
Sarah Smith, Widow of the late Ensign, Peter Smith,  
of H. M. W. B. Fencibles, being her subscription  
in aid of the fund.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Coun-  
cil has been pleased to appoint Nicholas J. Brown,  
Esquire, Postmaster at St. Eleanors in place of  
James J. Frazer, Esq., superseded.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been  
pleased to appoint, provisionally, Thomas Clow,  
Esquire, a Member of the Legislative Council.

Died.

At Lot 14, April 1st, Nancy Campbell, in the 29th  
year of her age. The deceased's gradual and long  
illness (consumption) had been borne by her with  
that Christian resignation, and consoling hope, that  
point out that death to her was stripped of its sting,  
and that her latter end was peace.

At Lot 48, on Monday the 2d ult., Mr. John  
McEachern, formerly of Mull, Scotland, in the 77th  
year of his age; his end was peace.

Charlottetown Markets, April 11.

Beef, (small) lb.	6d a 9d	Oatmeal,	2d a 2d
Do. by quarter,	5d a 7d	Turkeys each,	4s a 6s
Pork,	4d a 5d	Fowls,	1s a 1s 6d
Do. (small),	5d a 6d	Ducks,	none.
Mutton,	6d a 8d	Rabbits,	4d a 6d
Veal,	3d a 6d	Eggs dozen,	1s a 1s 2d
Ham,	6d a 7d	Barley bush,	3s 6d a 5s
Butter (fresh),	18d a 20d	Oats,	2s 6d a 2s 10d
Do. by tub, 1s 5d a 1s 6d		Potatoes,	2s 6d a 3s
Lard,	9d a 10d	Ternips,	1s
Tallow,	11d a 1s	Homespan yd.,	3s 6d a 5s
Wool,	as a 1s 3d	Hay, ton,	70s a 80s
Flour,	3s a 3d	Straw,	2s a 2s 6d
Pearl Barley,	2d		
Clover Seed,	1s 3d		

CARD.

STEWART & MACLEAN,  
SHIP BROKERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
For the Sale and Purchase of American & Pro-  
vincial Produce, and Dealers in Provisions,  
Fish, Oil, &c.  
FERRY LANDING, Water-Street, St. JOHN, N  
REFERENCE  
Charlottetown, P. E. I., JAS. PURDIE, Esq.,  
St. John, N. B., Messrs. R. RANKIN & Co.  
April 13, 1855.

Treasurer's Office, April 5th. 1855.

WARRANTS from No. 1209, of the date of the  
12th January, 1855, to No. 118, of the date  
of the 24th March, 1855, (both inclusive), will be  
paid at the Treasury on demand, together with the  
interest due thereon.  
JAMES WARBURTON, Treasurer.

For Sale or to let,

A DESIRABLE BUSINESS STAND, at Sum-  
merside, formerly in the occupation of J. AN-  
DREWS. Possession given on the 1st day of JUNE  
next. Enquire in Charlottetown from either ROBERT  
STEWART, Esq., or GEORGE BEER, jun.  
Charlottetown, April 14, 1855. 1m

JUNIPER POSTS and RAILS, HARD and  
SOFT CORDWOOD.

Also,  
50,000 SHINGLES,  
For sale by  
BENJAMIN CHAPPELL.

Lighter!

WANTED to purchase, a strong substantial  
LIGHTER, built of the best material. For  
specification, &c., &c., apply to  
J. P. BEETE.

March 6.

JOHN T. THOMAS

RECOMMENDS

WITH ALL PERSONS

INDEBTED TO HIM

previous to his leaving the Island Early next Month.



AMERICAN HOUSE.

THE SUBSCRIBER intends leaving Charlot-  
tew in a few days, and respectfully requests  
all parties who are indebted to him, to hand in the  
several amounts of Accounts, as furnished. And will  
oblige  
JOHN GIBSON.

All the papers 4in

WANTED, by the Prince Edward Island Auxil-  
iary Bible Society, a COLPORTER. Appli-  
cation to be made in writing, stating terms, &c., and  
accompanied with certificate of character from a  
Minister of the Gospel residing near the applicant.  
W. CUNDALL, Secretary.

Jan. 27th, 1855.

Clydesdale Horse "COLUMBUS."

WILL stand for the season at the  
following places—  
May 1, At Mr. Robert Walker's,  
Lot 19. May 2, John Wright,  
South of the house. May 3, Mrs. Todd's, Ander-  
son's Road. May 4, Mrs. Pie's, Cross Roads, West  
River. May 5 & 7, Archibald McDougall's, Nine  
Mile Creek. May 8, John McPhail's, Black Point.  
May 9, Devon Whitty's, De Sable. May 10, John  
McLean's, Tryon. May 11, William Clark's, Cape  
Traverse. 12 & 14, Thomas Robins's, Bedouque;  
and continue to that route during the season.  
TERMS.—13s. prompt payment.  
CHARLES HYDE, Groom.  
Summerside, March 30, 1855. entim