

(To the Editors of the "Patriot.")

GENTLEMEN,—

Believing it to be the duty of every man who loves his country, and the institutions established by his forefathers in connection with the British Government, to use his greatest efforts to preserve those institutions, and, especially, at this present time, when such strenuous exertions are being made to sacrifice them, and to sever the connexion with the British Empire, I proceed to place before your readers some remarks on this subject.

The time has come, Messrs. Editors, when it is found necessary to use strong language in denouncing the politicians who are endeavoring to sell our Legislative rights, especially as this attempt is being made by those in whom we placed implicit confidence, and who promised to cherish and advance the interests of the Province.

The Government that obtained by false statements the confidence of a large majority of the people, has utterly failed in accomplishing anything for the good of the country. The attempt which was made to arrange the contract that had been effected with Peto, Brassey & Co., to build the European and North American Railway, was a failure on the part of the Government. The attempt to build an Intercolonial Railroad in connexion with Canada and New Scotia, was again a failure. The Government showed that it was utterly incompetent to make a Treaty to trade with the several Provinces. The same Government was authorized last year to complete a Union with the Maritime Provinces—this also resulted in a miserable failure. Through the promise and inducement of political advancement and emoluments by the infamous clique composing the Canadian Government, this wretched and worthless Government of New Brunswick, in combination with other political demagogues, who have heretofore opposed that Government in all its actions, but who now, by the prospect of lucrative positions, have been induced to join and assist in selling the liberties and rights of the people,—those liberties which have been held by the loyal people of this Province since their forefathers (who left homes and firesides through love to the British Crown,) established a free Government in the land which was then a wilderness, but which has since been made to bloom as the rose.

The Provincial Secretary of the Province, Mr. S. L. Tilley, is the leader in this reprehensible action,—the man who, pretending to be a Temperance philanthropist, succeeded in getting the people's confidence. He has, by his plausible, and in many instances, false statements, deceived many simple-minded men with regard to trade, introduction of capital, railroads, and manufactures. He is the man that has utterly failed in everything for the good of the country. The citizens of St. John will now show Mr. S. L. Tilley that they will submit to him no longer; that they have at last opened their eyes to his duplicity, and, in getting rid of him, will also get rid of this detestable Confederation scheme. Those who revere the memory of their forefathers who lie mouldering under the sod, which they cultivated and improved;—those who, having made this Province their home, have near and dear friends in England, Ireland, and Scotland, with whom they wish to have direct and sure connexion such as they have always had; all the true and loyal inhabitants of this fine Province, who love and revere the memory of everything that is good and sacred, are now earnestly called upon to battle for their principles; to crush to the earth the demagogues that would sell your birthright.

The time is short, and large sums of money have been subscribed to purchase the franchise of those

whom poverty and want may compel to submit to the insult; but let the loyal and true not be afraid of their cause. Throughout the length and breadth of this Province, let every man with a spark of patriotism within him, remember that he is fighting in a good, a holy cause, and resolve never to submit to the disgrace of being ruled by Canadian rebels; but hold to the connexion he now has with the fatherland.

Yours, &c.,
A DESCENDANT OF THE LOYALISTS.

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GENTLEMEN,—

It is somewhat surprising that no notice whatever has been taken of a letter published some time ago in the *Morning News*, headed *Adam Smith vs. Albert Smith*, and signed "J. R. MacShane."

To be sure, it was not easy to see the point of the thing, as the only reference to Adam Smith was made by way of parenthesis, thus (Vide Adam Smith, page 50 and so).

But can nobody be found to tread on the tail of the bellicose man's coat?

BRICKBAT.

THE CANDIDATES AGAINST CONFEDERATION.

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FOR THE COUNTY:

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WORK FOR ALL OF THEM!
VOTE FOR ALL OF THEM!!
ELECT THEM ALL TRIUMPHANTLY!
God Speed the Noble Cause of Patriotism!

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25 Shares of the Stock of the *St. Stephen's Bank*;
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Feb. 21, 1865.

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Ladies Furs constantly on hand Wholesale and Retail.

The subscriber also begs to state that he has for sale a BEAR SKIN ROBE of the best description.
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UPON ANY PART OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE MISS BENTLEY, in the Parish of Portland, St. John, upon either side of the Bridge Road near the lots in the occupation of the Messrs Joseph and Francis Ruddock, between the Straight Shore Road and Portage Cove.
Also Rooms in the Brick house to let.

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Feb. 23.

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TO BE SOLD on the premises on TUESDAY the 16th day of March next, at 11 o'clock, forenoon, the HOUSE and PREMISES now occupied by John E. Ganong, situate in King's Street.

Terms and particulars, inquire of subscriber. Terms easy.
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THE SHOP at the Corner of Prince William and Duke Streets, lately occupied by William Duffell, with the rooms over the same. The above is well known as a valuable stand for business. Also—for sale or to let, building lots in the City and its vicinity. Apply to
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C. G. BERRYMAN,
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Per New Lampedo and Steamer via Halifax.

70 CASES, containing Common and Polished Fire IRONS, Japanned, Galvanized and Copper COAL HODS and SHOVELS; B. Metal and Silver Plated Dish Covers; Block Tin Tea Pots; Dust Pans; Slop Pails; Cooke Ladies and Tormentors; Fine Annealed Wire; Rabbit Wire; Block Rivets 1/2 to 1 1/2 inches; Coopers Rivets 2 1/2 to 12 inches; Pad Locks; Square Head wood Screws; Hooks and Staples; Otter, Fox and Mink Traps; Chair Nails; Chest Nails; Jack Chains; Door Springs; Bolts; Brass Lever and Water Cocks; Chairweb; Albata and Silver Plated Tea and Table Spoons; Gamois Skins; Porcelain Shutter and Door Knobs; Shoe Brushes in sets; Hearth Brushes; Heel Balls; Rein Saaps; Corkscrews; "Adams" Polishing Paste; Nash Fasteners; Bell Pulls; Bollet Webs; Auger Files; "Stubbs" Pit and Taper Saw Files.

1 cask HARNES MOUNTING
1 cask Scotch F Hinges, 2 casks Sad Irons.
1 cask Waster Files and Horse Rasps.
1 cask Countersunk NAILS.
1 cask Tinned and Enamelled Saucepans, Glue Pots, &c.
1 case Refined BORAX.
1 case Baranaw's Patent Cocoa Scrubbing BRUSHES.
8 bundles Foster's Gravel Shovels.
2 bundles Sand Riddles.
6 bundles Galvanized Wire, for Ship's Skylights.

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Feb. 21. C. G. BERRYMAN.

TEAS, COFFEES, RICE, SPICES, &c.

The Subscriber has received per "Eleanor," from London, and "Thetis," from Liverpool:—

60 CHESTS fine Congou and Souchong TEAS; 30 half-chests do.;
20 half-chests extra fine Oolong do.;
1 ton Java COFFEE; 2 hales Mocha do.;
2 tons East India RICE; 4 cases Refined Table SALT;
6 cases J. & J. Coleman's No. 1 STARCH,
3 do. Patent Starch.
20 kegs J. & J. Coleman's Mustard.
2 cases Mustard, in tins and tinfoil.
2 do. Coleman's No. 1 Black Lead,
7 do. Crown BLUE.
10 bags Black Pepper, 5 do. Pimento, 1 box Mace,
8 hales Java, 2 cases Eggs, 2 hales Prunes,
1 case Whole Cinnamon, 1 case Mixed Spice, 1 case Ground Cassia.
1 case White Pepper, 1 cask Walnuts, 1 do. Soft Shell Almonds.
1 cask Alum, 1 do. Sulphur, 2 box Vermorel.
2 cases Cook & Blackwell's SAUCES and KETCHUPS.
1 case Madras Indigo, 1 cask Cream of Tartar, 5 boxes Soda CANDY.
1 case Coty's Perfumery, 2 cases Robinson's Patent Groats and Barley.
1 case Candied Citron, 1 do. Lemon Peel.
20 kegs Bicarbonate of Soda, 15 casks Sal Soda
3 casks E. Lazenby & Son's Mixed and Assorted PICKLES.
2 cases Sauces, Tomatoes, Walnut and Mushroom Ketchup.
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Which, with a general assortment of GROCERIES, will be sold Wholesale and Retail, at lowest market prices.

JOHN CHRISTY,
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Feb. 21.

FEBRUARY 21, 1865.—5 half-chests Common Congou, 46 half-chests Lapsang, 900 half-chests Oolong, 2 half-chests Orange Pekoe, 1 case of the Sun, 18 chests Java Sun, 25 chests best Java, 1 case of the Sun, 18 chests Java Sun, 25 chests Java Sun, 1 case of the Sun, 18 chests Java Sun. For sale by Wm. B. DAVENPORT & SONS.
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1 RANDRAM'S Paint & Oil, 1 cask White Lead, 1 cask Black Lead, 1 cask Red Lead, 1 cask Yellow Lead, 1 cask Blue Lead, 1 cask Green Lead, 1 cask Purple Lead, 1 cask Brown Lead, 1 cask Grey Lead, 1 cask Black Lead, 1 cask White Lead, 1 cask Black Lead, 1 cask Red Lead, 1 cask Yellow Lead, 1 cask Blue Lead, 1 cask Green Lead, 1 cask Purple Lead, 1 cask Brown Lead, 1 cask Grey Lead, 1 cask Black Lead, 1 cask White Lead.
For sale by
Feb. 22. L. H. DEVEBER & SONS.