

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

FEBRUARY 17, 1893.

Notes and Comments.

—Ex-Governor Board, of Wisconsin, perhaps the foremost practical dairyman in the United States, says "if the cow could talk, she would cry out for an improved breed of dairymen."

—Massachusetts requires each party in an election contest to make a declaration of its expenses in the campaign. The record of the Presidential contest shows that half a million dollars was paid out on behalf of various parties.

—Here and there are continually cropping up queer stories of suffering and death caused by the benighted barbarism of the English nation in doing without fire in the winter time. A public hospital of all places in the world is the last one would imagine could do without heat.

—The St. John Telegraph says: "Unfortunately there have been more accusations made of late against the ministers of religion than at any past period in the history of our province."

Personal.

Mrs. Cunningham recently died in Leeds, Ont., aged 102 years.

King Humbert has made Nerdi, the composer, Marquis of Bussolo, in recognition of the success and merits of his last opera, "Falstaff."

The Rev. Dr. W. W. Page, a leading Presbyterian minister in New York and a graduate of Princeton University, was ordained deacon a few days ago by the Right Rev. Henry C. Potter, Anglican Bishop of New York.

The Montreal Gazette publishes the following item concerning the fourth son of William McPhail, Esq., of Falconwood: "The corporation of McGill University nominated Mr. James A. McPhail to receive the scholarship of £150 per annum (\$750) for two years offered by Her Majesty's commissioners for the exhibition of 1851."

In the Ottawa Citizen appears a list of the thirteen surviving "Fathers of Confederation," who are as follows: (1) Sir W. P. H. Draper, born 1811; (2) Hon. R. B. Dickey, born 1812; (3) Sir A. T. Galt, born 1817; (4) Sir Ambrose Shea, born 1818; (5) Sir S. L. Tilley, born 1818; (6) Sir F. B. Carter, born 1819; (7) Sir Oliver Mowat, born 1820; (8) Sir Charles Tupper, born 1821; (9) Hon. W. L. Mackenzie Bowden, born January 18, 1822; (10) Hon. T. H. Haviland, born November, 1823; (11) Hon. Peter Mitchell, born 1824; (12) Sir Hector Langevin, born 1826; and (13) the Hon. A. McDonald, born 1829.

Another poisoning case.—The case of Dr. Buchanan, of Halifax, charged with poisoning his wife in order that he might marry another woman, is set down for trial at New York on the first Monday in March, before Recorder Smythe. This case is similar to the celebrated Harris poisoning case, in that the alleged victim was the wife of the accused. In that there was no suspicion of foul play till a newspaper started the community with an exposure of the whole story. In that the body of the alleged victim had lain long in the grave before the exposure, and in that the prosecution must rely for its conviction mainly upon circumstantial evidence, with scientific medical and chemical testimony for its foundation. In the Dr. Buchanan case it is the theory of the prosecution that after divorcing his first wife (a native of Halifax) he married the woman now dead to obtain her wealth. She owned a good deal of property, and within three weeks after her death it is claimed he remarried his divorced wife and paid up a lot of Boston debts with the money left by his alleged victim.

News Notes.

During the month of January 420 Englishmen and one Scotchman emigrated to Canada.

Winnipeg capitalists are organizing a strong company to manufacture binding twine there.

The Right Hon. Arnold Morley, Postmaster-General, denies that the Government is considering the subject of Imperial penny postage.

The Stanley arrived in Georgetown this forenoon about eleven o'clock. She will lay up at Georgetown to-day to clean boilers, and will be ready to resume work by the last of the month.

CONCERT.—Come to the concert in Eaton Street this Friday evening. An excellent programme has been prepared. Tickets, 5 cents; reserve seats, 10 cents. Feb 12 41.

The cheap sale of canned goods, apples, and other goods, saved from the fire, is still going on at Geo. Carter & Co's, two doors below Prowse Bros. feb17 11

The public will imagine that something is wrong with OUR UPPER STORY when they hear the news we are offering in boots and shoes during this great sale.—J. M. McLeod & Co.

Another Triple Alliance.

It is now announced that the so-called extradition treaties between the United States, France and Russia, recently ratified by the Washington Senate, are backed by a secret alliance offensive and defensive between the three countries named. The Washington correspondent of the New York Press says that the negotiations to this end have been pending for six years, known to either the political or diplomatic world. Of course the negotiations as to extradition have been known; it is the understanding as to a war alliance that is new. The Press says:

"In ratifying these treaties the United States government has received distinct pledges, both orally, through the Russian and French legations in Washington, and by correspondence through our department of state with the foreign offices of those governments of their support, by force if necessary, against any interference by Germany, Great Britain, or any other European power, with the maintenance by the United States of what is commonly termed the 'Monroe doctrine.' In other words, the control of the Hawaiian Islands, the annexation of British America, the acquisition of Cuba, of Hayti and San Domingo, and the ultimate expulsion of Great Britain from Bermuda, are all possibilities, in fulfilling which the United States would be upheld by the two powers which in European politics are most directly opposed to the Dreibund, the alliance between Germany, Austria and Italy. Should England protest against the acquisition of the Hawaiian Islands or the annexation of Cuba by the United States, the British lion could do nothing more than growl in the face of the forces which are thus brought to the support of our new navy."

The Press proceeds to exult over powerful naval forces that would be at the back of the United States in the event of war with England.—Russia with 389 vessels, manned by 29,254 men, maintained at a cost of \$21,266,000 yearly, and France with 388 vessels, carrying 54,841 men, maintained at a cost of \$38,000,000. These, combined with the new navy of the republic, would sweep the sea and dominate the world. What is a sea and a dominant feature of the alliance, as outlined in the Press, is that "it does not commit the United States to any violation of the negative part of the Monroe doctrine, which is to avoid involving the republic in the broils of European politics. It is only when one of the other European powers might attempt to check the new expansive policy of this republic that such interference would meet with the united resistance of the armistice and navies of Russia and France, the historic friends of the United States." In other words, the alliance "gives the Yankees all the fish, France and Russia all the bones the way they do the other side of Jordan," to modify the words of an old negro song. It is not improbable that at Paris and St. Petersburg there may be a less one-sided version of the new triple alliance—if there is an alliance.

McGill University.

We note in the Montreal Star a report of the eleventh annual dinner of the students of Applied Science, James A. McPhail, president of the fourth year students,—one of our Island boys—occupied the chair, and beside him sat W. C. McDonald—another of our Island boys—the munificent benefactor of the Faculty. Professor Bovey, Dean of the Faculty, Professor McLeod, Dr. Johnson, and other distinguished teachers, were among the invited guests. The latter gentleman, in response to a toast, referred to their future and that of the country. He said that if Canada was to make progress it must be through her leaders, and it was the duty of their colleges to develop good men. Their university was making progress, and its evidences could be seen on every hand. The Faculty of Applied Science had one hundred more students this session than last, and at the University there were nine hundred students. It is pleasing to note that Mr. G. Alley has recovered from his recent severe accident sufficiently to be present and second the toast to "The Freshmen."

Another poisoning case.—The case of Dr. Buchanan, of Halifax, charged with poisoning his wife in order that he might marry another woman, is set down for trial at New York on the first Monday in March, before Recorder Smythe. This case is similar to the celebrated Harris poisoning case, in that the alleged victim was the wife of the accused. In that there was no suspicion of foul play till a newspaper started the community with an exposure of the whole story. In that the body of the alleged victim had lain long in the grave before the exposure, and in that the prosecution must rely for its conviction mainly upon circumstantial evidence, with scientific medical and chemical testimony for its foundation. In the Dr. Buchanan case it is the theory of the prosecution that after divorcing his first wife (a native of Halifax) he married the woman now dead to obtain her wealth. She owned a good deal of property, and within three weeks after her death it is claimed he remarried his divorced wife and paid up a lot of Boston debts with the money left by his alleged victim.

CONDUCTOR KILLED.—Late Newfoundland papers contain particulars of the death of Conductor V. H. Pusbie, of the Bill's Bay, Nfld., railway line, which occurred the other day. It appears that Conductor Pusbie (who is a brother of Mr. John Pusbie, butcher, Mount Stewart) was standing in the doorway of the car, with his head leaning against the door post. The engine had just cleared a snow bank, and the snow was thrown against the sides of the flagger with such force that the door closed instantly, striking Pusbie in the side of the head pinning him against the door post and killing him instantly. Mr. Pusbie was a native of Antigonish, N. S., whether the body will be sent for interment. He leaves a wife and two children.

EACH WANTED HIM.—We read, on the authority of the Acton, Ont., Free Press, that the young ladies of a local club had long been teasing a local "young man" for not getting married. He said: "I'll marry a girl of your club whom, on a secret vote, you elect to be my wife." There were nine members of the club. Each girl went into a corner and used great caution in preparing her ballot and discharging the handwriting. The result of the vote was that there were nine votes cast, each girl receiving one. The young man remains a bachelor, the club is broken up, and the girls are all mortal enemies.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

The Budget Debate.

Hon. Mr. Haggart's Reply to Sir Richard Cartwright.

Grit Consistency Again Set Forth.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.

Hon. Mr. Haggart resumed the Budget debate yesterday afternoon, replying to Sir Richard Cartwright with a force and fluency that surprised those who did not know that the Minister of Railways was a ready speaker. In dealing with the ex-finance Minister's strictures on the National Policy, Mr. Haggart showed that it had added 113 articles to the free list of the Mackenzie tariff and that working on its lines the Government was steadily reducing the burden of taxation. He traversed Sir Richard Cartwright's exodus figures, and read from the United States census to show that the total number of Canadians in the Republic in 1890, was but 216,310 more than it was in 1880, following with extracts from Sir Richard Cartwright's budget speech of 1874, to the effect that, on account of the westward trend of the Empire, we could not expect any great increase of population in the older provinces. The reading of these extracts was received with loud applause by the Conservatives. The vacillating trade policy of the Opposition was closely analyzed by the Minister of Railways, who invited the member for South Oxford to reply to Mr. Blake's statement that the "Liberal party were agreed that free trade is an impossibility." Mr. Haggart took up, one by one, the public expenditures, and defied the opposition to show wherein they could so reduce them as to admit of any wholesale reduction in the tariff. The first charge on our revenue was \$12,000,000 interest on the public debt, for which debt the opposition were equally responsible with the Government.

Mr. Paterson, of Brant, who followed, had the floor at six o'clock, and concluded at 9.15. He was followed by Hon. Mr. Daly. At 10.15 Mr. Edgar moved the adjournment of the debate, and on motion of Hon. Mr. Foster the House adjourned.

DOMINION RIFLE ASSOCIATION. ANNUAL MEETING.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.

At the annual meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association, Col. Armstrong was elected President, and Col. Moore, of Charlottetown, and Col. Ball, of Newcastle, Vice-Presidents.

UPS AND DOWNS OF SKATING.

Breen Beats Hagen.

ST. JOHN, Feb. 17.

Breen beat Hagen in a one-mile exhibition race yesterday. Times, 3m. 2 1/2s. Hagen fell on the ice, and to this accident his friends attribute his failure.

The Reserved Bill.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.

Last session the P. E. Island Legislature passed a bill abolishing the Legislative Council.

Governor Carvell held back the measure and forwarded it to Ottawa for the Governor-General's opinion. The bill has now been returned without remark by the Federal Council, and as it lacks the royal assent it fails to take effect.

Fire at Chatham.

CHATHAM, Feb. 17.

A fire yesterday destroyed a building occupied by M. & J. Hickey, with \$3,000 worth of goods. Muirhead's block was also completely gutted. William Richards, Captain Brown, J. Fotheram and Mrs. Bridget lost their furniture, with no insurance. Hickey's building was insured for \$1,000, but there was no insurance on the block.

Church Division in St. John.

ST. JOHN, Feb. 17.

The trouble is not yet over in Rev. Sydney Welton's church. A minority who desired to accept the recommendation of the Council as to disaffiliation their pastor will hold a public indignation meeting. It is said they contemplate withdrawing from the Weltonites and forming a new church.

Young Stanley—Better.

MONTREAL, Feb. 17.

A cable from London says: "Lord Stanley's son is improving."

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Feb. 17.—10 a. m.

Fair and cold.

Boneless Fish, Codfish, Herring

1750 BXS. BONELESS FISH, 3000 lbs. CODFISH, 100 barrels } HERRING. N. B. & M. RATTENBURY. feb17—5i eod

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Good references required. Apply to Mrs. R. F. DEHLOS, Spring Park. 31 pd—feb17

NEW DEPARTMENT!

GENTLEMEN,—Having opened up our large, well lighted Mantle Room in the centre of our Store as a GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING ROOM, we respectfully ask you to call and inspect our large stock of New and Fashionable Hats and Caps. As we will require to use this Room in the month of May for our Ladies' Mantles, we want to do our Hat Trade in March and April. We will offer the very best makes at low prices to effect this purpose trusting every gentleman in Charlottetown will visit this New Department, whether he intends to buy or not. Every person invited. All kinds of shapes to suit every taste. Prices away down.

Q. R. S. P.—Quick Returns and Small Profits will be our motto in this and every Department this season.

JAS. PATON & CO

Charlottetown, February 13, 1893.

Removal OF Business.

WE hereby thank our friends and customers for their patronage during the past fourteen years, and are pleased to be able to say that the late fire will not compel our retirement from business, although it does compel our seeking new quarters. We have been fortunate in being able to secure the commodious building lately occupied by Messrs. Patton Bros. on Queen Street, two doors below Messrs. Prowse Bros., and will there have all the facilities necessary to the proper carrying out of our large and increasing Grocery and Seed Business. We trust that under the circumstances all our friends and customers will make it a point to find our new place of business and give us the benefit of their patronage. We shall open the New Store on Thursday, February 16th, with a new stock of goods. The balance of goods saved from the late fire will be kept separate and sold at suit.

OVERDUE ACCOUNTS.

We beg to intimate to those who have not yet squared their Fall accounts, that we expect them to call at once and settle either in cash or approved notes. We do not wish to resort to harsh measures, and hope this reminder will be sufficient.

GEO. CARTER & CO.,

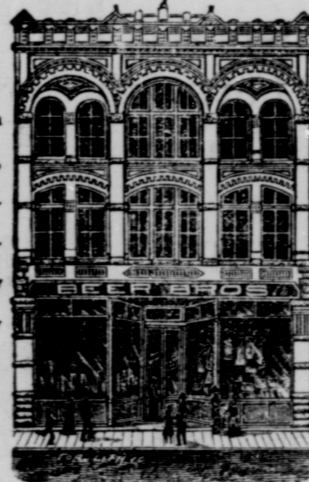
Grocers and Seedsmen, 136 Queen Street.

Charlottetown, February 16, 1893.

Variety! Quality! Low Price!

LINENS! COTTONS!

Best Irish and Scotch TABLETS, NAPKINS, etc., at special prices during February. Housekeepers will save many dollars by buying now and buying FROM US. English and Canadian SHEETINGS, PILLOW COTTONS, SHIRTINGS, TICKINGS, etc. A large and very choice stock. NEW SPRING PRINTS in attractive Dress patterns.



Lace Curtains and Embroideries.

This sale of ours means more than a few goods hastily bought and cheaply marked to attract trade. It means constant search—buying—making ready. It means every centre, foreign and domestic, has been explored. It means what the power of cash can do. It means that only goods of standard and reliable makes and qualities were bought and will be sold at the lowest possible prices.

BEER BROS.

THE NEW "YOST" WRITING MACHINE

Is unquestionably the most perfect, most satisfactory as well as the most economical machine in the market to-day. If you doubt it, inquire of any of the following among numerous firms who have the "YOST," old and new, in use; many of them replacing Ribbon and Shift-key machines:—Messrs Daniel and Boyd, Manchester, Robertson & Allison, J. & A. McMillan, Hon. A. G. Blair, Barker & Belyou, C. A. Palmer, Halifax Banking Company, E. S. Carter (Progress), E. T. C. Knowles, Whitaker Bros., A. W. Morris, W. Frank Hitheway, Morrison & Loring, H. Chubb & Co., Exhibition Association, Board of Trade, and others, St. John: Messrs Black, Jordan & Bliss, Wesley Yarnet & Co., Fredericton; J. T. Whitlock, St. Stephen; Gilles & McEichen, Sydney, C. B. Hotel Dieu, J. Fred Benson, Chatham; S. E. Whiston, Frank B. Carter, Halifax; W. M. Christie, Windsor, N. S.; D. S. McLellan, Truro; White, Allison & King, Sussex; M. N. Cockburn, St. Andrews.

Send for Illustrated Catalogue to IRA CORNWALL, General Agent for the Maritime Provinces, 134 Prince William Street, St. John, or to

D. B. STEWART, Agent, Charlottetown. "Queen" Insurance Office.

feb11—6i eod



\$1,000 Reward.

A REWARD of One Thousand Dollars will be paid by the author to any one who will give such information as will lead to the conviction of the person or persons who shot fire to the premises of T. L. Chapelle on the morning of Sunday, 5th February, inst.

E. RIGG BROW, Agent.

Ch'town, Feb. 13, 1893—Jy 11

\$1,000 REWARD!

THE above reward will be paid in Commercial College currency for the discovery of any person who buys a Bicycle other than a COLUMBIA during the coming summer. Should one be found, proof that he or she was not violently insane at the time of purchase will be required before the money will be paid. Don't make any mistake. Nine years' experience with almost every conceivable make of wheels has satisfied me that "the pride of the ocean" is the gem of them all. Catalogues on application.

R. M. YOUNG, Agent for P. E. Island.

Business Property

AT CARDIGAN.

I HAVE decided to close up my business, and now offer for sale my property, consisting of lawling stone and lot, with good stable and well. Lot contains a fine lot of ground with southern front, and backs on the shore.

STORE AND WHARF PROPERTY.—The best Business stand at Cardigan. The size of the Store is six feet, with front-proof cellar, feet deep, also good Warehouse in rear. The Wharf is the best in King's County.

All the property is in first-class repair.

Terms reasonable. Apply to

J. F. NORTON, Cardigan.

Or to E. H. NORTON & CO., Charlottetown.

feb13—2w eod wky 31 guar

A TRIP TO PARIS,

IN ST. JAMES' HALL,

Under the Auspices of the Helping Hand Society.

A. A. BARTLETT, Esq., will deliver a Lecture, "In and Around Paris," with Stereoscopic Views, on TUESDAY, 21st February.

Proceeds in aid of the organ fund.

Admission tickets, 15 cents, at G. D. Rankin's Drug Store and Dudd's Medical H-ll.

Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Lecture at 8 o'clock. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement. feb14

Removed to Stamper Block.

DR. J. P. MURRAY,

DENTIST.

feb14

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. PHILIP LAWSON, 104 1/2 Street. feb14

FOUND—This morning, an upper set of false teeth. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement. feb14