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GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS.

And Changes of Officials—The Montreal Postmastership.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

MONTREAL, Feb. 16.—Le Soleil announces semi-officially that it is definitely decided that Beansoleil, M. P., for Berthier, shall become Postmaster at Montreal in succession to Mr. Danereaux.

It is also stated that the Hon. Hector Fabre, at present Canadian commissioner in Paris is to be recalled and replaced either by Hon. J. E. Robideaux now the Provincial Secretary, or Alderman Rainville of Montreal.

Candidate Dean Committed

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

St. JOHN, Feb. 16.—Candidate Dean has been committed for trial on a charge of libelling Surveyor General Dunn.

Britain and France.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 13.—Pekin despatches state that the British government has advised the Chinese government not to concede an extension of the French settlement at Shanghai under any circumstances, adding that Britain will assist China to oppose any pressure and resist any threats France may exercise.

Despatches received from Hane Chau report a rising among the rowdy class belonging to Lung Yen in the Yang Chow prefecture of Che-Kiang, against the native converts of American missions, resulting in the burning of the mission chapel and the wounding of two converts.

Sir Charles and Sir John.

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 13.—On the return to Canada, from Europe, of Sir Charles Tupper, Principal Grant sent him a circular regarding the endowment of the Sir John A. Macdonald Chair of Political and Economic Science and received promptly, enclosing a handsome subscription, with the promise that he would promote so important an object in any way in his power. The minimum sum required has been so nearly reached that subscriptions are being now collected for the chair for the Chair of Mental Philosophy.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—English bird lovers are much perturbed over the diminution in the number of swallows. The reason for this decrease is said to be the practice of catching the birds on the shores of Italy and southern France as they pass on their northern migration. They are caught with net or with line and hook by the thousand and used for food, though the practice is forbidden by Italian law, as well as by a treaty binding Italy not to permit the netting of birds on her shores.

WELL DONE, QUEBEC.

SIR,—In those days, when the religious flag is so frequently raised in this and other communities, it does one good to come across items like the following which I found in one of my papers yesterday:—

FATHER POINT, Que., Feb. 7.—Mr. John McWilliams, the popular mayor and well-known steamship signal officer of Father Point, has just been re-elected to the mayor's chair for his tenth term. The fact is the more noteworthy because Mayor McWilliams is the only Protestant in the parish.

This speaks well for Roman Catholic Quebec. It should cause the blush of shame to come to the cheeks of those who have so much to say about the intolerance of the priest-ridden Catholics.

OBSERVER.

Snow Shoveling.

DEAR SIR,—Hearing that summonses have been issued on several private persons for not having cleaned the snow off their sidewalks I would like to call the attention of the proper authorities to the entrance to the railway station.

Meanwhile, what about the crossings? Shouldn't the twenty-four-hour rule apply there as elsewhere?

TIT FOR TAT.

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FIRE IN BROOKLYN NAVY YARD.

All the Models and Patterns Were Destroyed.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Fire in the machine shop of the Brooklyn Navy Yard caused one million dollars damage.

All the models and patterns were destroyed.

Reported Train Accident.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

LEWISTON, Maine, Feb. 16.—It is reported here that the Grand Trunk train jumped the track at Yarmouth, killing ten persons.

IN PECULIAR PLACES.

Priceless Pictures That Have Been Found in Queer Localities.

The recently reported discovery of the famous Duchess of Gainsborough painting in the cellar of a house at Chelsea is a striking instance of the peculiar places in which works of art by old Flemish and Italian masters have been discovered. It would, indeed, come as a great surprise to those art masters to know the almost degrading circumstances under which their pictures have been found.

A curious case came to light a short time ago regarding one of David Taniers, famous works of art. A picture dealer found it among a quantity of canvases which a second hand-dealer was exhibiting for sale at Montmartre. The dealer had put them on one side as worthless, and the collector, glancing through them, came across one which was a genuine painting by Taniers. All doubts of its authenticity was removed when the monogram of the famous Flemish painter was traced in the corner of the picture.

One of Titian's finest pictures has been discovered in a most peculiar place. It is owned by some half-caste in Mexico, and adorns one of their churches. Fabulous sums have been offered for it by artists who have been to examine the painting. It is guarded in a most careful manner, and every visitor is accompanied by an Indian while the picture is being viewed. Experts who have seen it agree as to its genuineness. The painting is 16 feet long by 7 feet high and is a scene of the entombment of Christ. Its state of preservation is marvellous, considering that more than 300 years have elapsed since the artist painted it.

Not long ago a genial Van Dyke was discovered in that painter's native city, Antwerp, in a most singular manner. In one of the poorer neighborhoods two houses partly collapsed, which necessitated their being demolished together. While the work was in operation one of the workmen came across a very dirty painting, which he threw on one side with some rubbish.

One of the other men, who had a little talent for painting, took it home, with the intention of cleaning it. He was amazed at the exquisite coloring, and thinking that he might perhaps be able to sell it, consulted a picture dealer. The dealer gave him a small sum for the canvas, and a few days later an eminent artist passing the shop recognized it as a genuine Van Dyke. He purchased it, and, although he has received big offers for it, refuses to sell.—Tid-bits.

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AMERICAN-CANADIAN CONFERENCE.

Yesterday the Situation Was For a Time Precarious.

[SPECIAL TO THE EXAMINER.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The American Canadian commission meet again today.

For a time yesterday the situation was very precarious, and a dissolution was almost expected.

PRINCE ALFRED'S DEATH

Died Unattended by His Relatives in a Sanitarium.

The London Morning Leader publishes the following despatch from Meran, in the Austrian Tyrol: Nothing could be sadder than the circumstances attending the death of Prince Alfred of Saxe-Coburg, on Monday, in his lonely spot, left alone by his friends and surrounded by strange faces. There is a certain mystery enveloping the whole affair. When he arrived, a fortnight ago, the young Prince was already deranged and dying. Yet he was accompanied by only a single man. He was so weak that he could not stand. At times he was unable to convey his food to his mouth. He raved in his delirium of his childhood, relatives and comrades, and had frequent fits of violence, during which he suffered agony and would cry like a child, begging his father and mother, in heart-rendering terms, to save him from the awful pains in his head. Toward the end these pains increased, causing frightful scenes. He died in a delirium, alone with the two doctors entrusted with the case. It seems strange that no relatives or friends were summoned to the death-bed. The proprietor of the sanitarium declined to state the cause of death; and the registrar at the town hall, told me the death certificate was under lock and key, and could be shown to nobody.

Was Thrown From a Train

LONDON, Feb. 11.—A marvelous escape from death was that of a man named Albert Dack, of Watergate street, Deptford, who was thrown from a train by a crowd of card sharps on the Great Northern Railway, near Peterborough. The train was running at the rate of 60 miles an hour. The man made his way to the signal box, three miles from Peterborough, and there in a dazed condition, he gave an account of what had happened. In the Peterborough infirmary it was found that no bones were broken, but that he was suffering badly from bruises on the head and face.

Remembering General Garcia.

HAVANA, Feb. 19.—About 300 wreaths and floral emblems from individuals and societies have been piled at the foot of the bier of General Galixto Garcia, whose body arrived here from the United States yesterday afternoon on the U. S. gunboat Nashville.

MARRIED.

At Mr. Malcolm M Stewart's residence, Caldonia, on Feb. 9th, 1899, by Rev. John Sutherland, Mr. Alexander McDonald, to Mrs. Flora Stewart, both of Lot 60.

DIED

At Orwell Cove, on the 11th inst., after a short illness, of bronchitis, George Irving, aged 68 years.

At Rona, Lot 60, Feb. 8th, 1899, Mary Matheson, relict of the late John McLeod, of Spring Park, Charlottetown, aged 74 years, leaving two sons and one daughter to mourn.

At Culloden, Lot 60, Jan. 20th, 1899, Peter Gillis aged 44 years.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel Davies: Edward Bayfield, M. McLeod, city; T. H. Taylor, Byron N. Barns, F. D. Scott, Montreal.
 Queen Hotel: Thos. Hsram, Quebec; H. Sutherland, Morell.

The list's but a man with a gun in his hand
 And cavalry's only what horse can stand
 When helped by the Engineers
 Artillery moves by the leave of the ground
 But we are the men that do something around
 For we are the Engineers —Kipling.

Natural History & Antiquarian Society

NEXT MEETING—Tuesday 21st inst., Y. M. C. A. Parlor, 8 p. m.

PAPER—"Some reminiscences of Island Geology," by Mr. Thos. May. The public are invited. Those whose names have been handed in for membership will please pay their fees at or before this meeting.
 LAWRENCE W. WATSON, Sec'y-Trea

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES.

Philadelphia Ledger: "A body of cadets from Toronto is on its way to a military convention in Florida, in a car which is draped with the British flag on one side and the American colors on the other. This is carrying international courtesy a little further than is usual on such occasions, but it does not harm, and is a compliment which tends to promote Anglo-American good-fellowship."

Montreal Gazette: The Laurier Government will give New Brunswick better terms, if the voters at the coming election endorse the Emmerson Government with its two prices for bridges record. This, at least, is what Emmerson speakers tell the voters. It is not a bad story. One version of it was used two years ago to fool Quebec voters into casting their ballots for Marchand. Another version was whispered in Prince Edward Island, when that little province's general election was on. If it takes in New Brunswick the disappointed ones will have lots of company in their misery.

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