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THE DAILY EXAMINER.

NOVEMBER 23, 1897.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

The people of this country have many more things to be thankful for than can possibly be enumerated. Thanksgiving Day ought to be generally and properly observed. We are not of those who condemned the Government for postponing our national thanksgiving day to that of the great Republic beside us. There is grandeur in the idea of the inhabitants of the greater part of the Great North American Continent uniting to offer at the one time their tribute of thanks and praise for the blessings that have been vouchsafed to them and to the world at large. One of the many causes for thankfulness is the fact that they can do so. The conditions tending to hostile feelings and to war have happily been avoided, and the conditions tending to peace and prosperity have happily been maintained. In the Great Republic, as well as in Canada, the dawn of a new prosperity seems to have come, and while we look back with thankfulness to the past, we look forward with confidence to the future.

THE PATRIOT FORGETS.

The Patriot expatiates upon the fact that prosperity continues in Canada even though we have a Liberal Government. It seems to forget that the Liberal Government, false to their programme, have maintained the Conservative policy. The Liberals declared that they would, when elected, root out protection. It was upon this ground that "the Tory journals" prophesied that "a change of Government would bring ruin to the country." But the Liberals in office have maintained the protection which they denounced when in opposition—they are carrying out the Tory policy—and the country continues to prosper. The Liberal Government had the wit to see that the Tory journals were right, and that they must at all hazards—even to the point of falsifying their record and forfeiting their characters—hold to the course pursued by their predecessors, or the country would be ruined. If they are entitled to any credit for the continued prosperity of the country, it is for this,—only for this. They had nothing to do with increasing the price of wheat. They had nothing to do with the discoveries of gold in British Columbia and the Klondike, which have followed the opening up of the Western country by their predecessors. In respect to our cheese and butter industry they are but following the lead of those who went before them,—the few changes they have made being for the worse and not for the better. They have talked a great deal about cold storage and direct regular communication with Great Britain; but we have yet to see that they have in this regard done anything in this part of the country or anything worth while in any other part of country. They have done nothing that has promoted the prosperity of this Dominion. They have simply been fortunate in succeeding a government composed of statesmen, and in stealing their clothes. Whether or not their extravagance and mal-administration will neutralize the benefits accruing from the adoption of their opponent's policy remains to be seen.

—On the subject of "How to be Happy Though Married," there is an amusing bit of comment in a recent publication, as follows:

"If a young husband, she says, would choose his house with some reference to his wife's neuralgia as well as his own fishing, and would play chess or piquet or read Dante with her in the evenings, and not be always praising his sisters, there would be no shrews to be tamed. But Sophia was always an optimist. She told me that old Mrs. Cox, in the village, who has been ill with rheumatic fever, said her husband had run el her so well he was more like a freud than a husband."

ARLINGTON.

The Temple of Fame and Other Interesting Features.

On the Virginia hills overlooking the Potomac river where one may comprehend the outward and material beauty of Washington, D. C., is situated Arlington National Cemetery. Crossing the Potomac to Washington via Aqueduct bridge and following the military road through the reservation of Fort Meyer, to Fort Meyer gate, or by taking a circuitous route, via Georgetown and Alexandria road, and entering by the memorial gates, but by whatever gate the grounds are entered the tourist will come to Arlington House a glimpse of whose portico columns may be obtained from sections of Washington. This house was built in the earlier part of the present century by George Washington Parke Curtis, (foster son of George Washington). Upon the death of Curtis Arlington it passed into the hands of his daughter, Mary Curtis Lee, wife of Col. Robert Lee, who, when the civil war came, resigned from the Federal service and in 1861 left the estate and went with his family to Richmond, Va., to take command of the Virginia troops, and afterwards to become commander-in-chief to the Confederate army. When the Lees had gone the Federal troops took possession, converting the house into a headquarters and the grounds into a camp. Then as the war went on a hospital was established and the level plateau and grassy slopes of Arlington were devoted to the purpose of a military cemetery.

In the days of both Curtis and Lee the house contained many mementos of Washington, but were dispersed with the coming of the war and the invasion of troops; and it is now occupied by the superintendent of the grounds. In the room on the left of the hall, formerly the main drawing room, is kept a register where visitors are requested to register their names. On the walls are hung copies of orations and addresses becoming the place.

When Lafayette was a guest at Arlington House it is recorded that when praising the fine outlook from the front door, and also the beautiful trees which were the pride of the estate, he said to Mr. Curtis, "Remember, my dear, how much easier it is to cut down a tree than to make one grow." Since then the view has changed; the Capitol has been completed the Washington monument built, the Congressional Library, and other architectural features have now their place in the picture, while so many of the natural beauties of the place were ruined by the devastation of the war. Yet a traveller coming from distant lands as did Lafayette, might well pronounce it one of the fairest pictures he ever had beheld. Soberly and mysteriously look one upon the other. What can be more fitting than that the men who rest at Arlington—having died for their country—in the bivouac of the long night they should sleep on the heights, would overlook the capital itself so close to the heart of the nation that they gave their blood to maintain? And it seems that through the past centuries, nature has been making this spot beautiful as an appropriate resting place for her honored dead.

If at Arlington one can find one object more interesting than another, special mention should be made of "The Temple of Fame." It is an open circular colonnade with a domed roof. The cornice bears the names of Washington, Lincoln, Grant and Farragut, on the columns those of Thomas, Meade, Macpherson, Sedgewick, Reynolds, Humphrys, Garfield and Mansfield. The surrounding flower beds are so arranged as to form the names of the great commanders and the symbols and badges of the army corps.

In close proximity to the Temple of Fame stands the monument to the unknown soldiers who were deprived individually of the fame their loyalty would have given them. Their story is chiselled in the granite as follows: Beneath this stone repose the bones of two thousand one hundred and eleven unknown soldiers gathered after the war from the fields of Bull Run once the route to the Rappahannock. Their remains could not be identified, but their names and deaths are recorded in the archives of the country, and its grateful citizens honor them as their noble army of martyrs. May they rest in peace. September, A. D. 1866.

One of the slopes of the cemetery is set apart for the burial of the officers. Prominent are the monuments of Generals Sheridan, Baxter and Admiral Porter, as well as among these the sarcophagus of General Meigs, upon whose suggestion

this site was converted into a national cemetery.

The most impressive sight at Arlington, is the "Field of the Dead." Who can enter its sacred precincts—no matter of what race or country—and gaze on those silent emblems—the tiny marble slabs arranged in uniform distances one from the other—and not feel a quickened glow of admiration for the silent army of 16,000 men? Each of the many slabs that stretch in rows, endless to the vision—bears the name of the soldier whose grave it marks, together with his State and the number by which he is enrolled in the Roll of Honor. Scattered here and there are bronze tablets standing each bearing a verse of Colonel Theodore O'Hara's elegiac

THE BIVOUAC OF THE DEAD.

The muffled drum's sad roll has beat
The soldier's last tattoo;
No more on life's parade shall meet
That brave and fallen few.

On Fames' eternal camping ground,
Their silent tents are spread;
And glory guards with solemn round,
The bivouac of the dead.

No rumor of the foe's advance,
Now swells up in the wind;
No troubled thoughts at midnight haunts
Of loved ones left behind.

No vision of the morrow's strife,
The morrow's dream alarm;
No wailing horn or screaming foe,
At dawn shall call to arms.

The neighing troop, the flashing blade,
The bugle's stirring blast;
The charge, the dreadful cannonade,
The din of life is past.

Rest on, embalmed and sancted dead,
Dear as the blood ye gave;
No impious footsteps here shall tread,
The herbage of your grave.

Nor shall your glory be forgot,
While Fame her record keeps;
Or Honor points the hallowed spot
Where valor proudly sleeps.

Nor wreck, nor change, nor winter's blight
Nor Time's remembrance doom,
Shall dim one ray of nois light
That gilds your glorious tomb.

D. I. T.

November 20th, 1897.

"RAMBLES IN SCOTLAND."

Whether the high reputation of the reverend lecturer, of the magnetic quality of the subject he treated, or the shade of St. Andrew, or all combined drew the crowd to St. James' Hall last evening, we shall not stop to enquire. Certainly the audience was very large and in a high degree appreciative of Mr. Fullerton's eloquence and the many Scottish scenes so vividly and so satisfactorily portrayed under the management of Mr. Morrison. The characteristic songs sung by our popular soloist, Mrs. Roome and Mr. John Bell, gave verity to the graphic descriptions and witty remarks of the learned and able lecturer. The vote of thanks was moved by W. S. Stewart, Esq., and seconded by the Rev. J. R. McKay.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Sir Louis Davies has been cheated out of his promotion, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier has acted as a puppet in the hands of Sir Oliver Mowat, and the tired representative of the small Province has had to give way to the "donomni quantity" of the big Province—but the latter "cannot see it." There are none so blind as those who are paid not to see!

—The Montreal Gazette aptly remarks that the Premier did not take advantage of the retirement of Sir Oliver Mowat to reduce the number of salary drawing ministers. Perhaps the much talked of economy will be effected when Sir Henry Joly de Lotbiniere is persuaded that he is out of touch with the practical gentlemen of the Quebec district and retires.

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES

Montreal Gazette: Nansen could withstand the terrors of the Arctic regions, but the course of lectures and receptions he is now going through is undermining his health. The society ladies are now overwhelming in their attention and harder to escape from than the polar bear. Nansen may as well give in and betake himself again to the Arctic regions for refuge. It is the only place where he will be safe.

Mail and Empire: Grenier has come out of gaol and is a free man again. Some people suppose that Grenier was a conservative who libelled Mr. Tarte. Quite the contrary; he was a prominent Liberal. In voicing the feelings of the respectable Liberals against Mr. Tarte he went too far and was tripped up. When next a Liberal tackles Mr. Tarte he must keep within the truth, as the Conservatives do.

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Nov 21—wed & fri.

NOTICE.

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