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QUARTERLY MEETING

The general quarterly meeting of the corporation will be held in the upper room of the Masonic Temple, in this city, on the evening of Wednesday, the 13th inst, at 8 o'clock.

EDMUND T. HIGGS, Secretary.
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MONTREAL & QUEBEC

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SOURIS.

The Steamship Campana will call at Souris regularly once a fortnight during the present season. Sailing from Montreal on or about 25th April. Merchants ordering goods would do well to have them come by this line. For rates of freight or other particulars, enquire of

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LORD SALISBURYS GOVERNMENT.

The New York Tribune, in the course of a very thoughtful article, points out that both Germany and Russia have good grounds for protesting against the British occupation of Wei-Hai-Wei, in as much as that strategic move on the part of John Bull has completely checkmated both of them. The Tribune says:

"The strategic importance of Wei-Hai-Wei has recently been explained in these columns. It is a more commanding place than Port Arthur, for it dominates the approach not only to Peking, as the latter does, but also the approach to Port Arthur itself. It commands not only the Gulf of Pe Chi Li, as does Port Arthur, but Korean Bay as well. It is, moreover, naturally fitted to become an impregnable fortress, a veritable 'Gibraltar of the East,' to use again a much overworked phrase, British possession of it will be to Russia much what British possession of Heligoland was to Germany, but rather more annoying and menacing. All Russian commerce to and from Port Arthur and Talien Wan and all Russian naval preparations there will henceforth pass under the very muzzles of British guns.

Not the least interesting and significant feature of the case is the part played by Japan. She holds Wei-Hai-Wei at present as surety for the Chinese war indemnity, and not long ago considered the desirability of taking permanent possession of it. Now, however, she has said to have acquiesced in the British 'lease' of it. That indicates a close and friendly understanding between Japan and Great Britain—a thing of hopeful omen for civilization in the East. It also indicates that Japan will devote her energies to strengthening her hold upon Korea, where Russia has for the time given her a clear field."

The Tribune predicts that now that Russia finds herself so completely outgeneraled in the Gulf of Pe-Chi-Li, she will "again move upon Korea," which is probable enough, but it is not so certain that she will be permitted to nominate the kingdom. There is no doubt that she has promised Japan not to interfere further in the affairs of Korea, but to let Japan have a free hand there; and while Japan is not yet reckoned among the Great Powers, she is not a power that Russia would like to offend. If Russia is to be a Pacific power Japan will be a neighbor that can do her a lot of injury. So after all the boasting there has been about Russia's "master stroke" in the East, it appears that she has only acquired a port that will be dominated by British guns, and give bonds to Japan to keep the peace towards Korea.

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES.

St. John Sun: Mr. Mulock proposes to impose postage on Canadian newspapers, while the same time American newspapers will be carried free in Canada.

Farming: The hog will turn money faster for the farmer than any other animal, and, perhaps, than any other thing he can put his hand to.

St. John Sun: For a man who preaches the evils of tariff tinkering and the benefits of a stable tariff, the Hamilton Spectator regards Mr. Fielding as an extraordinary performer.

Montreal Gazette: The number of penitentiary inmates last year increased from 1,214, the record of 1896, to 1,353. "The topic uppermost" does not seem to be making the people good. The cost of management likewise increased, from \$389,284 to \$386,000. Free trade is not making us rich either.

Chatham Planet:—"The Globe is either stupid or deceitful in attempting to convince anybody that popular feeling is going against the Senate because of the recent vote on the Yukon bill. It is stupid if it does not perceive that the feeling is the very reverse of what it represents it to be, or it is deceitful if, perceiving the truth, it still goes on trying to mislead its readers."

Farming: "In the estimates brought down by the Hon. Mr. Fielding at Ottawa last week, we notice that the appropriation for arts, agriculture and statistics is reduced from \$357,200 for 1897-98 to \$332,000 for 1898-99, a decrease of over \$25,000. As the three items are lumped together, we are not prepared to state definitely how much this reduction affects the direct estimate for agriculture. It may be taken for granted, however, that the appropriations for arts and statistics do not vary much from year to year and consequently the reduction is made largely in the estimates for agriculture.

"If this be true, the reduction is to be regretted. Canada's great agricultural resources are just beginning to be recognized abroad and any retrenchment of expenditure that would tend to hinder developing them to the greatest extent possible would be very unfortunate at this stage in our history. What we need for the next ten years is a vigorous and progressive agricultural policy. Agriculture has many and varied branches and not one of them should be allowed to retrograde in order to save the country a few thousand dollars.

—Commenting on the recent Anglo-Egyptian victory at Atbara, the Montreal Gazette says: There has been no mistake made from the beginning. Evidently contingency seems to have been provided for beforehand. There has been neither check nor rebuff. Major-General Kitchener, from a little known colonel detached from the regular army service, has risen to be recognized as one of the coming men, a credit to an army which has no lack of courageous, capable and energetic generals.

Rich, firm, durable, original in design—Paton's covert suitings for sports or for dress. See them. 86 21 d 1w.

CAVENDISH AND BAY VIEW NOTES.

The Easter services in both churches were well attended yesterday.

Rev. C. M. Jackson (Baptist) took for his text in the morning 1st Corinthians 15 chap. 17 verse. His subject was "The Resurrection of Christ."

In the evening he preached from Rev. 1st chap. and 18th verse. "I am he that liveth and was dead and behold I am alive forever more."

The theme was Christ living. Both sermons were of a very high order. Specially selected Easter music which included the hymns "Christ Arose," "I am he that liveth" and the anthem "Rejoice" was furnished by the choir.

In the Presbyterian Church Rev. G. C. Robertson's sermon was from Rev. 1st, and part of the 17 and 18 verses "Fear not I am the First and the Last." "I am He That Liveth etc." The discourse was delivered in the rev. gentleman's usual, logical and impressive style.

Cavendish Literary Society had a very interesting programme on their last night of meeting. It was "newspaper night" and a collection of original and selected articles were read by the editor Mr. Simpson and others.

Centennial Division meets every two weeks and the meetings are quite interesting.

The temperance people here are much disappointed at the turn matters have taken with respect to the Plebiscite. They think the Dominion Government is favoring the liquor interests in the matter.

Mr. Roger Simpson who has lately returned from Boston, has rented the McLeod farm at Bay View for one year.

Miss Maggie Taylor, teacher, of Summerside, spent her Easter holidays with her sister Mrs. George Simpson.

Miss E. Janie Simpson of Ch'town, is visiting relatives at Bay View.

Bay View Mills under the efficient management of Mr. Herbert Simpson, are doing a good business and giving every satisfaction to customers.

Our school is progressing favorably, under the management of H. S. McLure. The roads are in a terrible condition just now.

Large quantities of ice in sight in the Gulf.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Not Pleasing to the Senators.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The President's message did not, after the first reading, receive the endorsement of a majority of the senators, and many excused themselves from speaking about it until they could have time for a careful perusal. The general feeling was expressed by the statement that the president had through his message washed his hands of the subject and imposed the responsibility upon the shoulders of congress. In other high diplomatic quarters some question was expressed as to that portion of the president's message in which he speaks, in the name of civilization, of the duty of stopping the war in Cuba, and the intimation was made that the great powers of Europe, so far as they represented civilization, did not support the view expressed by the president. There has been no further general conference between the ambassadors and ministers of the powers, nor is there likely to be any further action from that quarter. No new diplomatic phases of the question developed yesterday at the state department.

—The Huntingdon Gleaner thinks that by the killing of the Yukon bill this country has not only saved its land but has been preserved from an inevitable large cash outlay. On the latter point there is some question. Report has it that the supplementary estimates will contain a vote for the benefit of Mr. Sifton's favorite contractors and that Mr. Blair's Drummond County coup with the Supply Bill will be repeated.

Liver Trouble

When the yellow flag of quarantine is hoisted over a dwelling it means disease and danger. So when the yellow flag flies in the face—when the cheek is sallow and the clear white of the eye is dyed saffron—there is danger. It is liver trouble. The liver is one of the most important organs of the body. On the proper discharge of its functions depend human health and happiness. When the liver fails of its duty, poisons at once begin to generate, and other organs of the body become involved. Never neglect the liver if you value health. If you are suffering from liver trouble, begin at once the use of AYER'S PILLS and you will find prompt relief and permanent cure.

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35 dollars (two lessons a week)
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Notice to Cheesemakers.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned until Saturday, the 16th day of April, next, up to the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., from persons willing to engage as cheesemaker, to receive milk from milk drawers and manufacture the same into cheese of first-class quality, keep patron's accounts and do all other work incidental to business done at the East River Dairying Co's Factory for the season of 1898. Cheesemaker to find his own help and furnish all material necessary. State rate per pound of first-class cured cheese. Good references must accompany each tender. Not bound to accept the lowest or any tender. Sgd.

JAMES H. CUMMISKEY,
President.
JOHN LOUGHRAN,
Secretary pro. tem.
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Notice to Cheese Box Makers

The Hillsboro Dairying Co., at Mount Herbert, will receive tenders on and up to Wednesday, April 20th, from persons willing to supply Cheese Boxes for the ensuing cheese season, delivered at the factory. Tenders to state price per box. The directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
JOHN J. JENKINS, Pres.
S. M. JENKINS, Secy.
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