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**SCHOOL QUESTION.**

Proposition Said to Have Been Made to Archbishop Langevin.

It is alleged by the *Mouvement Catholique*, which is supposed by some to reflect the personal opinions of Mgr. Lafche and the clergy of that diocese, that the following propositions have been made to Mgr. Langevin with the object of settling the Manitoba School question:

1. Appointment of Mgr. Langevin or a representative of the Archbishop's choice as a member of the Advisory Board.
2. An inspector of French, and an assistant, in case of need, must be a Catholic and acceptable to His Grace, for the French schools of the province.
3. Permission to teach for two years from 1898 for the present teachers in the French schools and to other competent persons upon the recommendation of the French Inspector.
4. Normal course for ten weeks for the preparation of teachers of French schools under the direction of teachers named by the Department of Public Instruction. These teachers are also to be acceptable to Mgr. Langevin. The French and Catholic inspector will be one of these teachers, and the name of Abbe Cherrier has been suggested. This course will be given in an establishment fixed upon by common accord, St. Boniface College and St. Mary's Academy being suggested.
5. Representation accorded to the French school authorities on the Board of Examiners, and it is understood that these examiners will hold the examinations in the establishments where the normal course is given.
6. A meeting of the schoolbook commission of the consulting board, to which will be joined a representative of St. Boniface College, in the University Council, will examine the class books that are to be published by the consulting board and all that is objectionable to Catholics will be eliminated.
7. The same commission and the two representatives of the St. Boniface College will authorize a series of French and English reading books (Montpetit suggested) but it is understood that, in order to prepare the French scholars to follow the bilingual course, French books may be used for the study of French.
8. The same commission will examine the histories of Canada and England, as well as geographies, to adopt them in order to the use of the French schools. It is understood that no historical or geographical work will be approved if it is not acceptable to Catholics.

It is understood no book will be authorized if it contains anything offensive to Catholics, that the French language will be taught, and the French Grammar used.

9. The three Catholic schools of Winnipeg will be leased by the Board and considered as public schools.

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**LOCAL NOTICES.**

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**BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS.**

**Mr. J. J. McKinnon's New Double House on Brighton Road.**

The house that has been built by Mr. J. J. McKinnon ranks with the finest double structures erected in Charlottetown for some time. The house is located on the Brighton Road. It is within five minutes walk of Victoria Park, and commands a full view of the harbor.

The building has a frontage of 53 feet and runs back 50 feet. The front halls are 11x15 feet and are fitted with handsome stairways and hardwood floors. There are three rooms on the first floor of each tenement besides the kitchen and pantry. The parlor is 13x16 feet and the sitting room 13x14. The sitting room has a handsome slate mantel and is connected with the parlor by a large archway. The breakfast room is 10x13 feet, and the kitchen 14x15.

On the second floor there are four large bedrooms and a bath-room. There is a door opening to the balcony, which is 7x12 feet. In the attic there are two large bedrooms and a lumber room.

A feature of the house that must be greatly appreciated by housekeepers are the large closets off the bedrooms and the china closet off the breakfast room. There is also a frost-proof cellar, seven feet deep.

The house is heated throughout by hot water, the Buffalo boiler and Stafford radiators being used. The bath-room is fitted with marble topped basin and steel-clad tub. The house is lighted by electricity, and is plastered with celenite cement.

The work throughout is of the best description, and the contractors, Messrs Parkman & Crabbe, are deserving of the greatest credit.

Now that so many handsome houses are being erected in the vicinity of Brighton, and so radical a change has been made in the topography of that section of the city, it is to be hoped that the City Council will no longer hesitate about doing something in the way of improving the conditions in the vicinity of Government Pond. It is rumored that the present bridge near the old tannery is to be replaced by one of stone in the near future, and it is hoped that the pond will be dredged and made more beautiful to the eye than it has been in the past. There are some other improvements that might be referred to in this connection but they have been so often pointed out by the press that it is needless to go over them again.

**Souris Notes.**

The building craze seems to have taken the place of the Klondike fever here at present. Mr Barney Creamer, of East Point, is in town making arrangements for the building of five dwelling houses for parties here for which he has contracted. Two of these he has sub-contracted to Mr Ambrose Hughes and we have no doubt that under his skillful supervision they, when completed, will do much to uphold his already well earned reputation as a skillful and ingenious builder.

Messrs Dingwell & Dingwell, Sash and Door manufacturers, are making preparations for the Spring trade by an addition of 100 ft to their factory.

The enterprising firm of Longapier Perry & Co., boat builders, have completed during the past winter quite a number of lobster boats, dories etc. Special mention might be made of 10 lobster boats made for the Magdalen Island fisheries the workmanship on which gives evidence that the firm and their assistants are the people when you want a good boat.

Over fifty prominent citizens assembled in the C. M. B. A. rooms on Wednesday night, March 20th on the eve of the departure for British Columbia of our genial friend Mr. John L. Welsh to show their esteem and wish him good luck in his venture. The Souris cornet band of which he was a member presented him with an address and a gold headed cane, and after wishing him good luck and prosperity in the future the company dispersed while the band played "God Save the Queen."

Mr. Simon Aylward, carpenter, has returned from a business trip through the southern part of the Island. He reports trade booming.

Mr Harry Sutherland of the P. E. I. R has removed to Souris.

Mr. C. H. Townsend representing Miller Bros. has rented the house recently completed by Mr. M. J. Paquet.

Mr. Harry McFarlane former principal of Colville School, returned home from Montreal to-day.

**RASTUS.**

**NICE, March 30.**—Lord Salisbury arrived here yesterday and at once proceeded to his villa, Beaulieu, at Ville Franche, two miles from this city. He looked well and did not appear to have suffered fatigue from his trip from London.

**MEAT COVE, C. B., March 30.**—From all appearances the ice is going to be as late as usual in the gulf this spring. The mild weather and absence of severe frost pointed to an early opening of navigation, but there has been so much north-easterly and easterly winds that very little of the ice has gone out of the gulf yet, so that it will be well on towards the last of April or probably well into May before we see the last of it, let the winds be how they will from this out.

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**Local and Other Items.**

**ALL FOOLS DAY**—today.

The Foreign Mail arrived at one o'clock this afternoon.

**THE WEATHER.**—Decreasing westerly winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

**ENGINEERS.**—The Charlottetown engineers will meet for drill tonight at 8 o'clock.

**QUEEN'S JUBILEE.**—Hear the lecture in Kindergarten Hall, on Tuesday evening, by Surgeon Major Warbuton.

**THE STANLEY** arrived in Picton at eleven o'clock. She will return to Charlottetown tomorrow.

**OWING** to the unfavorable weather the rehearsal of the Opera to be given for the new Cathedral did not take place last evening and will be held this evening in St. Patrick's Hall. All who have received cards are earnestly requested to be present.

**THE DROWNING ACCIDENT.**—The search for the body of Mr. Mathias Kilbride, of Lot 11, who was recently drowned while on his way home from Alberton, has been given up. The horse and sleigh and some of the parcels he had with him have been found, but there is no trace of the body.

**PERSONAL.**

Mr James Emery, of St. John, died suddenly at that place yesterday. He was a brother of Rev M Emery, of Charlottetown.

Lady Davies, wife of Sir Louis Davies, who has been staying at the Queen's hotel for a few days, is now a guest at 214 Peel street.—Montreal Star.

Among prospective Klondikers is Faith Fenton, the well-known lady correspondent of several Toronto papers. She will leave in April with Lady Aberdeen's nurses as a correspondent of papers in Montreal, Toronto, New York and London.

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