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COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

Education was primarily made free to all in the common schools in order that none by reason of poverty might be deprived of its benefits. But if parents by neglect, or of their will permit their children to idle away their time at home or about the streets, or keep them employed otherwise when they ought to be at school, the effect upon such children and upon the state is quite as bad as if poverty were the preventing cause. Hence in many countries compulsory attendance at school during the period of school age, enforced by truant officers, has come into vogue. It is recognised as the logical sequence of the free school system that all children of school age shall not only be privileged to attend but shall attend the schools and receive the benefits which the state provides for them.

Compulsory instruction has not been carried very far in Canada, but is steadily advancing. A measure for this purpose is promised by the New Brunswick Government at the coming session of the Legislature and the time seems ripe for its introduction in our own

Province. Australia is more advanced than Canada in this regard. New South Wales compels attendance at school from the age of six years to fourteen years; Victoria from six to thirteen; in the other States of the Commonwealth thirteen or fourteen years is the maximum. From seven to fourteen is the compulsory school period in New Zealand. In the countries of continental Europe the system of compulsory attendance is quite generally in operation. Thus in Germany, Austria, Hungary, Denmark, France, Norway and Sweden the age of exemption from school attendance is either thirteen or fourteen years, while in Greece it is twelve years.

Messrs Torrey and Alexander, the evangelists who recently conducted extensive revival services in Toronto have gone thence to Philadelphia where a religious campaign will be conducted for three months to come. The preparations are made on a very extensive scale.

St. John seems to be doing a good winter port business. So far 45 outward cargoes have been reported at the custom house with an aggregate value of \$9,757,940. This is a good showing for the period since the close of the St. Lawrence. Of the total C. P. R. steamers carried \$5,180,416 or 53 per cent of the whole. The Allan, Donaldson, Head, Furness and Manchester lines with thirty-two steamers together carried less than thirteen C. P. R. steamers.

New York has a system of pensioning its police which began in 1885. In the first year a quarter of a million was sufficient to pay the pensions but the amount has increased by more than a million since that time. A deduction is made from policemen's pay as a contribution to the pension fund, and from this source about one third of the total pension list is paid, leaving two thirds to be made up out of the general revenues. Police officials share in these pensions and the list in excess of \$1800 a year is quite a large one. Ex-Chief Burns gets a pension of \$3,000 a year.

"Why in the world is it proposed to bring marriageable women to Prince Edward Island" is what one woman wants The Guardian to tell. We are at a loss for a reason. There are now only a few hundred more men and boys than there are women and girls on the island, the majority being made up of confirmed bachelors who are of little use to King or country. Our island girls are of the best, pretty, bright, capable and to the manner born, and no Islander of proper spirit would think of looking elsewhere for a wife. It is quite different in some other Provinces. British Columbia has nearly 80,000 more males than females, Manitoba 22,000 more, the new Provinces 16,000 more, Ontario 10,000, Nova Scotia 8,000 and New Brunswick 6,000 more. In Canada there is a shortage of 132,000 in all to be made good to even up the two sexes. We offer no objection to importing marriageable women to the Mainland Provinces where that particular commodity may be in demand.

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PRINTERS STRIKE IS STILL GOING

Boston, Feb. 5.—The striking printers assembled as usual Saturday in their headquarters in 45 Elliot street, where the roll was called and reports from various sections of the city were received. During the forenoon a meeting was held at which the union officials were the principal speakers. The strikers are confident of a speedy settlement of the trouble, as it is known that a number of firms have work on hand that must be delivered at a specified time. The statement of the union officials that they are gaining every day in the number of firms which have agreed to the eight-hour day, and also in getting men to quit their jobs, was a factor in making the strikers confident of ultimate success.

AMHERST MERCHANTS' DAY A SUCCESS

AMHERST, Feb. 5.—This was the first Merchants' Day held in Amherst and it was a decided success. Notwithstanding the almost impassable state of the roads throughout the country, great crowds of purchasers filled the stores throughout the day and merchants found difficulty in waiting on the customers. The merchants have decided to make this a permanent institution.

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BOTH DROWNED.

KINGSTON, February 5.—William Laird, of Wolfe Island, aged 38, while driving "Lord Russell," a 210 pacer, valued at \$1,000, from Kingston to Batavia, broke through the ice on Loughboro lake and both man and horse were drowned.

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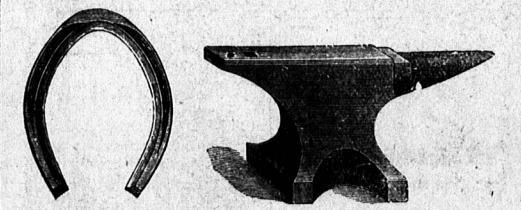
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