

DIED.

At his home, Charlottetown, on Monday, 16th inst., Philip Coyle, in the 72nd year of his age. The deceased leaves a wife two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate husband and father. The funeral will take place at Charlottetown on Wednesday, the 18th inst., at 9 a. m., to St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to R. C. Cemetery. May his soul rest in peace.



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A Man Had a Fit

But strange to say he is feeling decidedly happy about it. The fit referred to is the price of a whole month's groceries he got at our store, which fit his purse so well that he will in future be a regular customer of ours.

Call and see us.

DRISCOLL & HORNSBY

Queen Street,

The Scriptures Say

That we are to be moulded and fashioned, so the sand we use for our castings needs to be moulded and fashioned. That's what our moulders are doing every day, moulding and fashioning the sand like unto the patterns, it is therefore very important that the patterns be first-class in every respect.

BRUCE STEWART & Co.

The Modern Founders, Steam Navigation Co's Wharf, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Phone 125

THE MORNING GUARDIAN

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1900.

THE COST OF EDUCATION.

THE GUARDIAN within some years past has frequently directed attention to the very large share of the cost of education which falls directly upon the Provincial treasury. This point has recently been brought strongly before the public mind by Mr. Horace Hazard's letter published in this journal a few days ago, and which is now engaging a very large share of public attention.

Let us briefly contrast our present system of school maintenance with that of the sister Province of New Brunswick. There the cost of maintaining the schools is divided between the Provincial Government, the County Municipalities and the School Districts.

Now let us suppose that our Province of 110,000 people is raising \$165,000 a year in round figures for school purposes, of which \$130,000 comes from the Provincial treasury direct and \$35,000 from the school districts. If the New Brunswick system were applied here the Counties would raise an amount equal to 30 cents per head, or \$33,000, leaving \$132,000 to be apportioned in about equal proportions between the School Districts and the Government.

As a matter of fact the people of other Provinces know precisely what they are taxed for, while in Prince Edward Island taxes are not so raised as to make the object apparent. The people would have a much higher appreciation of the value of schools if the money to sustain them were largely raised by direct taxation for that purpose.

Government on sound business principles is the question of the day.

So far no one has risen to remark that Federal politics in Local Government affairs are either useful or necessary.

Says the Examiner: "We believe that with a Legislature reduced as Mr. Hazard suggests, and party co-partnership between the Dominion and Provincial Governments abolished many of the evils appertaining to party Government in this Province may be abated or wholly destroyed. But"

The experience of three years past shows that the Canadian fisheries yield an average yearly value of over twenty millions of dollars. They give employment to over eighty thousand men, besides the numbers of other persons employed within the 314 canneries. More than a thousand schooners and 38,675 boats find employment in the fishing industry. Lobster traps have multiplied till they number 1,335,640. Before 1897 the kind of fish yielding the largest aggregate value in Canadian waters was

the cod. In that year the salmon took first place and has since been passed in turn by the lobster. In the order of largest production Nova Scotia is an easy first, while New Brunswick comes next on the list, though far behind the peninsular Province. British Columbia follows New Brunswick closely, with Quebec, Ontario, P. E. Island, Manitoba and the territories diminishing to the end of the line. P. E. Island fisheries yield on an average something over a million dollars yearly in value, which is no small sum for our little Province.

To the Examiner.

I thank you for the candid stating of your position on the question of National Prohibition, but this is not what I asked you for. Where do you stand on Provincial Prohibition, with the temperance people's demand as expressed by the Alliance, or opposed to us?

PROHIBITIONIST.

April 17th, 1900.

P. S.—If the Conservatives come into power after the next general election will you support us in demanding immediate repeal of the License Act, no matter how the \$9,000 or \$10,000 taxes are raised?

Food for Great Britain.

New York, April 14.—Great Britain has to a large extent stopped buying food-stuffs for her army in South Africa from this country, according to local steamship agents.

"Shipments to South Africa are now confined almost exclusively to hay, oats and mules, with an occasional large order for canned goods," said one of them today. "The War Department officials found that they could get corn and meats quicker and cheaper from Australia, and since then the shipments have been dropping off."

Mother's Remedy

For Croup, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat and Asthma Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

A right remedy, right at hand, is the right way to prevent serious illness.

That Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is the right remedy for all diseases of the throat and lungs is attested by the prudent mothers of Canada who have cured their dear ones time and again by using this famous family medicine.

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Delightfully healing and soothing in action, pleasant to the taste and prompt in affording relief, Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine is the standard remedy for coughs, colds, hoarseness, throat irritation and soreness, tightness in the chest, cold on the lungs, and all kinds of colds in the throat, bronchial tubes or lungs.

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Dear Sirs,—For some years I have had only partial use of my arm, caused by a sudden strain. I have used every remedy without effect, until I got a sample bottle of MINARDS LIMENT. The benefit I received from it caused me to continue its use, and now I am happy to say my arm is completely restored.

Giamis, Ont. R. W. HARRISON.

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Mr. S. N. Earle's Grand Concert and Opera combined.—The music loving people of Charlottetown will have the opportunity of taking in two concerts in one evening at the Opera on Tuesday evening May 1st. The first part will consist of 12 choice numbers, consisting of choruses, quintettes Orchestra music, vocal solos. The second part will consist of "The Beautiful Operetta in two acts, entitled Pauline, or the Belle of Saratoga." This is under competent management.

Reserve Tuesday the 24th for Rev. Edwin Smith's Lecture in Zion Church Lecture Room. 17 21.

Oxygenator just arrived at Macdonald's Drug Store. —11.

BLACK DIAMOND LINE.—The A 1 steamships of this line will resume their regular service on opening of navigation from Montreal to Charlottetown, North Sydney, C. B., and St. John's, Newfoundland. First intended sailings are:—S. S. "Cacouna" from Montreal on or about May 5th, due at Charlottetown about May 8th; S. S. Bonavista from Montreal on or about May 12th, due at Charlottetown about May 15th. The above steamers sail from Charlottetown to St. John's, Newfoundland via, North Sydney, C. B. carrying horses, cattle and sheep on deck and produce under deck, at lowest possible rates. For further particulars as to freight and passage see adv., later or apply to Peake Bros & Co., Agents. 17 11.

Custom work at Morris & Smith's new boot and shoe store. 16 31.

Repairing at Morris & Smith's new boot and shoe store. 16 31.

Our fine black or blue suits for men have just been opened and are splendid values.—R. H. Ramsay & Co. 18 11.

Mens' stylish hats, you get only the latest and best at Ramsay's, and if you want a new hat, see our values.—R. H. Ramsay. 18 11.

Buy the best Cough Mixture, it is "Hughes" hundreds have testified to its wonderful curative powers. Price 25c for a large bottle at Apothecaries' Hall sat & wed 7 d & w.

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