

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

JULY 4, 1883.

Death of Father McGillivray.

With great regret we convey to our readers the intelligence of the death of the Rev. Alexander McGillivray, which occurred to-day at a quarter to twelve o'clock. On Sunday, the 17th ult., he was first taken ill; and his disorders soon assumed a very critical form. During the past week, however, he improved rapidly, and his physicians became hopeful of recovery. Last night a violent reaction set in. He was seized with congestion of the lungs which resulted fatally.

Father McGillivray was a native of the County of Anigouish, in Nova Scotia, and at the time of his death was in the 38th year of his age and the eighth year of his priesthood.

His course of studies was made in his native Province, with the Jesuits in Maryland, and at Quebec. He began his career in the Priesthood at Cape Breton, and about four years ago became Parish Priest of Charlottetown. During the time of his residence here, he labored with untiring zeal to promote the best interests of his congregation. Of a free, genial and enthusiastic disposition, he was popular with all classes and creeds in the community. He made a conspicuous stand in opposition to the general use of intoxicating liquors. He was open and fearless in advocating his principles, and what he taught he practised. He was a forcible speaker; and in earnestness and power his sermons will compare favorably with those of any clergyman in the Province.

Of a kind, sympathetic nature, those in need always found in him a friend, and in days of his great illness his enquiries were ever about the Bishop, who was indisposed, and any who were ill about him.

All objects calculated to promote the well being of the community, either spiritual or temporal, were sure to meet with his earnest encouragement.

He has passed to his rest in the bloom of manhood and in the midst of a career full of usefulness and promise. Long will the Roman Catholic Congregation of St. Dunstan mourn the loss of their dear and faithful Pastor, and throughout long years to come the people of Charlottetown will cherish in fond recollection and esteem, the memory of Father McGillivray.

The Scandal-mongering Party.

THOUGH the case is now before the Courts, where it will be duly tried, the Toronto Globe and the Patriot of Charlottetown continue the publication of comments upon the Section B. Slander. They lose no opportunity of impressing the lie upon the public mind. This discreditable conduct is quite consistent with the record of the Grit party. As every one at all conversant with the political history of Canada well knows the career of the standard electors has been marked from the very beginning by misrepresentation and slander. For twenty years its leaders had been declaring the utmost purity of intention, and promising the people that if the control of public affairs were placed in their hands, they would elevate the public standard so high that even the most sceptical would be compelled to acknowledge it. Of course they avowed themselves actuated not by self-interest but by the purest and most patriotic motives. On all occasions, and at all times, they were ready to condemn their political opponents, while with up-lifted hands and up-turned eyes, they, like the pharisee of old, offered thanks that they were not as other men.

At last, by means of their fair promises and foul slanders, they succeeded in accomplishing their ends. Sir John McDonald's Government was defeated. An election followed, and Mr. McKenzie and his friends came into power with flying colors—with a majority large enough, and apparently solid enough, to carry out some, at least, of the many reforms about which they talked so glibly when in opposition. But, no sooner did the Grit government begin to live, than it began to die. The moment the people began to realize the grave mistake that had been hastily committed, in handing over the destinies of a great country like this into the hands of inexperienced and incompetent men, from that moment, the "Organized Hypocrisy" was doomed. Constituency after constituency declared against them, our own Queen's County among the rest, until, finally, the great day of reckoning arrived, when the party of incapables were indignantly hurled from power.

Since then the Grit Leadership has changed hands, and with it some of the tactics of the party have been abandoned, but in the main they are the same. Weighed in the balance and found wanting was the verdict rendered on the 15th September, 1878; and that verdict has never been revoked, nor is it likely to be for the next twenty years at least. The present generation of Grits can no longer pose as purists, for their five years record discloses a condition of bare-faced jobbery and corruption unequalled in the history of the neighboring Republic. With no policy of their own to recommend them to the consideration of the people, their leaders depend now entirely upon slanders, old and new, in the hope that some day or other they may get into power again.

There is one circumstance in con-

nection with this Section "B." matter which is quite characteristic of Grit dishonesty and lack of fairplay. On the 4th of May last, in the House of Commons, Sir Charles Tupper delivered his Railway speech. He referred at length to the contract made with the Canadian Railway Company and to the Sections under Government Contract, &c., &c., giving a clear and exhaustive statement of the whole subject. Of Section "B." he spoke as follows:—

"I may say in relation to that matter, that I stated in the House on a former evening, something like \$500,000, on Section "A," and something over \$1,000,000 on Section "B," and I am glad to be able to say that those contracts will be completed, and that the charge upon the country will not exceed the amounts which I have stated. They will be completed with a very large margin under the original amount which was contemplated on the extension of the prices when the contracts were let."

Mr. Blake was present and heard these statements from the lips of the Minister of Railways himself. He, spoke too, at great length in reply, criticising the Government Railway Policy with all the force and ingenuity of an able special pleader; but not one word had he to say about either the Contract or the Contractors on "Section B." No sooner, however, was Parliament prorogued, than the Globe, the leading organ of the Grits, came out with its pretended revelations of Government corruption. Could anything be more cowardly and contemptible than this—the latest attempt of Grit scandal-mongers to gain popularity by trying to blacken the characters of men infinitely superior to themselves—men whose honest, patriotic endeavors to make Canada a great and prosperous country will be remembered by a grateful people long after the petty traducers of public life are forgotten?

—Public expenditures go on increasing in the United States, even in those services in which there should be a decrease. Thus we are told, that in 1875, the pensions paid amounted to \$29,980,000—last year they amounted to \$116,000,000! Jobbery resulting from party exigencies is set down as the cause of this enormous increase. No doubt, the Republican Party will be called to account at the next election.

—The appointment of Hon. Joseph Godefric Blanchet, lately Speaker of the House of Commons, to the office of Collector of Customs at Quebec, is announced. The appointment gives general satisfaction. But, of course, some of the disappointed are not pleased.

The Drowning Accident at Richmond Bay.

We publish to-day some of the evidence taken by Dr. Jarvis, at the inquest held in view of the bodies of the victims of the sad drowning accident at Richmond Bay. It will be observed that the accident was mainly due to one of those on board rocking the boat, and that had those on shore, or even those on board the boat, possessed any presence of mind the dreadful consequences might have been averted:—

RANDOLPH ARBING (Sworn)—I was with them in the boat, a little flat boat with no oars. All were out together and the boat commenced to sink. I told them the boat was going to sink, and I jumped out and found no bottom. The boat then went over, and all were thrown into the water. Three of us held on to the boat as long as we could. The rest disappeared. Two of us were taken off by another boat. There were three holding on to the boat at first besides the two of us who were rescued. They lost their hold and went under. The boat kept turning over and over. The boat was rocking from side to side when I jumped out, and I found no bottom. I sang out to them that I cannot touch bottom. They were alarmed and were sinking.

EMMA REEVES (Sworn)—I was out in the boat. There were eight of us. We went out for amusement. After getting out a short distance, commenced to rock the boat. The water then began to come in and the boat very soon began to sink. We were all very soon thrown into the water. We all caught hold of the boat at first. I saw some of them sinking. One held on longer than the rest. Margaret Ellen George held on longer than the rest. The others went under the water. The boat went over us and I saw Margaret Ellen George floating off a piece. I got hold of the boat again. The boat went over a couple of times with us two holding on to it, when we were rescued by another boat. I was at one end of the boat. We did not think the water was as deep as we found it. I thought it was about up to my waist. I heard some of them exclaim "We shall be drowned."

PATRICK BRENNAN (sworn)—I, in company with James Whelan, rescued Randolph Arbing and Emma Reeves, and picked out the bodies of the drowned man and women with an oyster rake. The bodies were in six feet of water.

JAMES REEVES (sworn)—I was bathing a short distance from the scene of the accident but I could not get nearer than a chain and therefore could render no assistance.

The Jury returned the following verdict:—

"That the deceased Edmund Reeves, Annie Reeves, Margaret Ellen George, Mary Jane Drummond, Mary Arbing, and Mrs. James Arbing, on the 28th day of June, in the year aforesaid, being on Richmond Bay in a flat boat, which was casually and by misfortune upset, causing them, the said parties, to be thrown into the water, and there suffocated and drowned, and, so the Jurors aforesaid, upon the oath aforesaid, do say that the said parties, in manner and by the means aforesaid, came to their death, and not otherwise.

HENRY CLARKE, G. W. BENTLEY, EDWARD HOGG, THOMAS BROWN, JAMES BROWN, J. E. DUGGAN, THOMAS W. LARKIN. DR. JARVIS, Coroner.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Nuisances.

DEAR SIR,—Much is said, and especially at this season of the year, when their blighting influences are most keenly felt, upon the subject of nuisances. People ominously shake their head, and comment upon the obnoxious vapors which here and there assail them, and vent their indignation generally upon those guardians of the public, the police. We would venture to affirm that were private individuals as attentive to the laws of health as Marshall Flynn and his staff are to the calls of the community, there would be fewer cases for the doctor and the undertaker. I read, through your columns, an able, convincing, and I should say, most unselfish article from the pen of one of the class most likely to profit by the laws of hygiene (Dr. McLeod), in which he exposed the abominable practice of disseminating disease through the deep pits, or sinks, which corrupt our water supply. Another flagrant evil is love of filthy surroundings. A case, which I hope for the honor of Charlottetown, has few parallels, has just occurred. A gentleman of good standing engaged to rent a house for one year from an agent, who promised to make the place thoroughly comfortable. After both labor and expense upon their part, the family entered the dwelling, but were, one after the other, taken sick, from having incautiously dared to open the back windows for ventilation, thereby inhaling the loathsome odors from the green-coated cess-pool in the yard, sent in from said agent's slop pails and waste-water pipe. And yet (tell it not in Gath) this man clothes himself in broadcloth (not sackcloth) and falling down every Sunday upon his knees before God's altar, confesses himself "a miserable sinner," then goes forth fully charged to sow the seeds of disease and death; and when his tenant, a person of moral rectitude and decency, expostulates, retorts that "if he cannot endure the noxious effluvia, he can vacate the premises."

In the cities of Europe and America the laws in regard to cleanliness are most rigidly enforced, and however much individuals educated in filth may delight to wallow therein, they cannot obtrude their nuisances upon their neighbors. There are laws to punish the poor wretch who, goaded on by insult and abuse, rids the earth of a tyrant, but what laws save those of Omnipotence, can fully punish the still baser man, who would poison the blessed gift of a gracious Heaven, pure air, and force upon his neighbor in lieu of that, his obnoxious filth?

I am, Sir, Truly yours, S. M. Ch'town, July 4, 1883.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

SEASIDE HOTEL.—RUSTICO BEACH. June 30—Thomas D. Tims, Ottawa; C. Stanton, do. July 2—E. Norton, Charlottetown; J. F. Lewis, do; H. C. McLeod, do; Chester B. McNeill, do; Wm. S. Stewart and S. Blanchard, do; A. L. Bridges, do; F. McLeod, do; W. C. Bink, do; Miss Helen Mason, do; Miss Gurtie Mason, do; Robert Coffin, do; Miss Ella Miller, do; Miss Aggie Bridges, do; Miss Henderson, do; Miss U. L. Harvie, do; W. W. Stanley, do; Alex. Stewart, do; Geo. Stanley, do.

REVERE HOUSE. July 2—T. M. Thomas, Halifax; Thomas J. Bourke, St. John; Miss Bourke, do; James Coleman and wife, Ch'town; John Alexander, Brockville; Miss Alexander, do; D. G. Burgess, Toronto, Ont.; Wm. McDonald, Cape Breton. 4—C. A. Liffon, Montreal; M. H. Hazard, do; Mrs. Huggan, Moncton; Miss Weldon, do; Master Bruce Huggan, do.

DIED.

At Cavendish, on the 23rd June, after a short illness, George Harken in the 87th year of his age. Deceased was a native of Lanarkshire, Scotland, and came to this Island in the year 1820. Shortly afterward he settled in Cavendish where he remained until the time of his death. He was much respected by all who knew him, for his honesty and industry, and unobtrusive manners. He was, doubtless, one of the last of those hardy pioneers of our country who immigrated at that time, whose energy and perseverance reclaimed our little Island from its wilderness state, and of whom we, their children and great-grandchildren, have such just reason to be proud.

SHIP NEWS.

Summerside, July 3—ent schrs Ripple, Lachance, Quebec, salt; Emerald, McKay, Pictou, coal. Old schr Annie Florence, Bernard, Pictou, ballast.

Auction Sale of House and Premises.

BY AUCTION, MONDAY, JULY 9th at 12 o'clock, noon, that pleasantly situated property fronting on Euston street, 34x165 ft. opposite Mr. Dalton's residence. The House is well furnished, 2 storey mansard roof.

Also a building lot, 50 165 ft., adjoining the above property. Terms, etc., at sale. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

Ch'town, July 4.—4i d w kly li

FARMER'S GROCERY

—AND— DRUG STORE.

THE Subscriber takes this opportunity of thanking the public for their patronage during the time he has run the FARMER'S GROCERY, and begs to announce that he keeps constantly on hand a full line of GROCERIES, and will supply his customers wants at the lowest possible prices.

Also in connection therewith he has opened a

DRUG STORE AND DISPENSARY,

and having secured the services of an experienced Druggist, is prepared to put up doctors' prescriptions, and fill all orders at Charlottetown prices. Genuine PATENT MEDICINES always on hand. Please call before purchasing elsewhere, and be convinced of the fact.

O. B. WADMAN. Ch'town, July 4.—d lin, w kly 2

Merchants Bank of Halifax.

ON TUESDAY, 2nd July, 1883, an Agency of this Bank will be opened at Georgetown, P. E. Island.

D. H. DUNCAN, Cashier. June 28, 1883.—4ly tf

LONDON HOUSE. NEW SUMMER GOODS.

- New Black Cashmeres, New Colored Cashmeres, New Black French Merinoes, New Colored French Merinoes, New Plush Velveteens, New Satin Parasols, New Silk Sunshades, New Silk Jersey Gloves, New Tarlatan Frillings, New White Cottons, New Brown Hollands.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Ch'town, June 22, 1883.

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS.

J. B. MACDONALD

IS now showing a magnificent stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Millinery and Clothing, bought in the English, American and Canadian markets, on the very best terms. I am in a position to give my customers and all who favor me with their patronage the very best value to be had in the city.

Special attention is directed to the splendid range of Worsted Cloths for gentlemen's suits and ladies' mantles. Ready-made Clothing Department is well stocked, and at cheaper prices than ever.

CUSTOM TAILORING.

Suits made to order in the latest style and good fits guaranteed and at prices that cannot be beaten. Also

250 Half-Chests Fine Congou Tea.

warranted extra quality, sold low. Wholesale and Retail.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Ch'town, May 10, 1883.—w kly pat pres ne

British Warehouse.

To the Wholesale and Retail Trade.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

HAVE now opened the completion of their large stock of SPRING AND SUMMER

DRY GOODS.

They are offering special inducements to cash buyers.

It will be to your advantage to inspect their stock before purchasing elsewhere.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Ch'town, June 1, 1882.—w kly

Great Summer Resort of P. E. Island.

SEASIDE HOTEL

Rustico Beach, P. E. Island.

This beautiful and well known watering place will be opened for the season on July 1st. The Proprietors have taken pains to improve this establishment, so as to merit the continuance of the distinguished patronage of former years, from Charlottetown and all parts of the world.

For charming scenery, beautiful shores, shady walks, boating, surf bathing, fishing, gunning, etc., "The Seaside Hotel" is unrivalled, in America.

TERMS—\$1.75 to \$2.00 per day, \$10.00 per week, \$8.00 per week per month. Special rates for families for lengthened periods.

Coach will leave Charlottetown every Wednesday and Saturday Evening, calling for Guests; returning every Thursday and Monday Morning, at 9 o'clock, p. m.

Trains leave Charlottetown for Hunter River at 6.45, 9.20 a. m., and 4.15 p. m.

Hunter River for Charlottetown 9.04 a. m., 2.25 and 7.11 p. m.

Hunter River for Summerside 7.45, 11.00 a. m., and 5.40 p. m.

Summerside for Hunter River 6.45 a. m. and 12. noon, and 5.40 p. m.

Mr. Bagnall will meet trains from all points at Hunter River to convey passengers to Seaside.

JOHN NEWSON & CO.,

PROPRIETORS.

June 7—23m

BUY ONLY THE BEST

MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,

are acknowledged by the highest musical authorities in the world to be the

Best Reed Organs Ever Made.

They have taken the

Highest Prizes at every Exhibition in the World.

Sold on very easy terms, with large discounts for cash, by

LEONARD MORRIS,

SUMMERSIDE.

Sole Agent for P. E. Island.

Summerside, June 12, 1883.—1y

GRAND TEA OF THE SEASON

—TO BE HELD AT—

FORT AUGUSTUS,

—ON—

WEDNESDAY, 11th JULY, 1883

THE committee of St. Patrick's Church, Fort Augustus, intend holding a Tea Party in aid of the Church, near the Church grounds on the above mentioned day. Intending visitors can rely on spending a pleasant day, as the committee will spare no pains to sustain the reputation of Fort Augustus.

Steamer "Southport" will leave Ferry Wharf at 9 o'clock, a. m., and return same evening at 6 o'clock, p. m.

Return tickets, including Tea, 50 cents, to be had at Mr. Fowle's office, Ferry Wharf.

A first-class Refreshment Saloon, well supplied with all the delicacies of the season will be provided. Also Booths for dancing plain and fancy dances. The services of good musicians will be obtained for the occasion.

All games usual on such occasions will receive the prompt attention of the Committee, and no person showing any signs of intoxication will be allowed on the grounds.

Admission to the grounds 25 cents.

By order of Committee.

Anthracite Coal.

TO ARRIVE in a few days, per Schooner "Annie Simpson," now running N. W. York,

300 TONS CHESTNUT AND EGG SIZES

(BEST QUALITY)

For sale low while landing.

FENTON T. NEWBERY.

July 3—5 w kly 1, pat 5i, her 2i, n ra 2i.

HARD COAL.

TO ARRIVE, ex brig "Canada," on or about the 10th July next.

225 tons Chestnut,

75 " Egg Anthracite Coal.

Orders can be left at

CAPT. J. HUGHES.

Water Street, Ch'town, June 30.—pat tl arrival, her pres li

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—AND—

FOR SALE LOW

FOR PROMPT PAYMENT:

- CASKS PAINT OIL, CASKS OLIVE OIL, CASKS MACHINE OIL, CASKS ENGINE OIL, CASKS WOOL OIL,

—ALSO—

A full supply of "LONDON PURPLE," Wholesale and Retail.

D. GORDON,

Georgetown, June 29, 1883.—5w, w kly

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WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

LOST about ten days ago, a small silver Brooch, in the shape of a Maltese cross. Finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office. [Jly 4]

WANTED—a young man to learn the drug business—or one who understands the drug business thoroughly. Apply at once at The Apothecaries Hall, DesBrisay's Corner, Charlottetown, P. E. I. [Jly 4]

LOST—a Brass Store Key, about four inches long, slightly bent. The finder will be liberally rewarded with thanks, on leaving the key at this office.—2 in [Jly 4]

LOST on Thursday last, between West Kent Street School and Miss Ramsay's, Fitzroy Street, a bunch of keys. The finder will please leave them at this office. [Jly 4]

LOST on the Malpeque Road between Henry's Lime Kiln and the city on Tuesday, the 3rd inst., Day's Common Law Procedure Act. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the Book at Palmer & McLeod's office, Mal olm McLeod. [Jly 4]

LOST between the steamboat wharf and Hayden's corner, Water Street, a bundle of papers, tied up in a red handkerchief. The finder will please leave the same at the EXAMINER OFFICE.

SODA FOUNTAIN—One in Good Order. S Apply to Henry Coombs, Agent, Upper Great George Street. [Jy 2 3i]

FOR SALE—An American Seize Boat, 25 feet keel, in good order. Apply to C. C. CARLTON. [June 29]

WANTED.—An active boy to attend horse and cow. One from the country preferred. Apply at this office. [June 29 ff]

FOR SALE—A Grand Square Piano, nearly new, will be sold at a bargain. Apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [June 28]

APOLLINARIS WATER. Hunyadi Janos Water, Pulusa and Frekerick's Hall Mineral Waters, fresh from England, at DODD'S MEDICAL HALL. [June 25 w s 2w]

DEATH TO POTATO BUGS.—Paris Green and London Purple, wholesale and retail, at Dodd's Medical Hall. [June 25 2w w kly 1i pat 2w w kly 1i]

WANTED A Cook and Nurse. Apply at THE EXAMINER OFFICE. [June 18]

TO LET—Furnished Rooms with use of Kitchen and Kitchen Utensils, suitable for a small family. Apply at this office. [May 21]

TO LET—(with immediate possession) that handsome and commodious residence in the northern suburbs of the city, on St. Peter's Road, lately occupied by L. B. Archibald, Esq. Enquire of LONGWORTH & HAZARD. [May 16, 1883]

TO LET—One-half of that three-story Brick House, on Upper Queen Street, containing nine rooms. Possession at once. Apply to ALEXANDER HORNE. [June 25]