

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

MAY 8, 1888.

The total school population, between the ages of six and fourteen years, of the United States, as per last year's report, was 10,928,943.

The Educational Journal says that every school should thoroughly inculcate the maxims:—All honest labor is honorable. Loyalty to a definite purpose is the condition of success in life.

The Empire characterizes the resolution concerning reciprocity of trade with the United States, recently passed by the House of Assembly of this Province as "a well worded resolution which expresses most satisfactorily the desire of all who favor British and Canadian interests in preference to all other interests."

A local option Act went into operation in Michigan on Monday under conditions that are considered favorable for its being carried out with efficiency.

According to the Michigan Moderator, Arbor Day is a child of Nebraska, just "sweet sixteen."

Regarding the new Dominion loan, the Canadian Gazette says that it hopes it will be three per cent. stock, without conditions of payment, and adds that such stock will afford a full register of the Canadian Government Credit.

The Montreal Gazette remarks that they have a Congressman at Washington whom his fellow legislators have nicknamed "Calamity" because of his inveterate habit of publicly predicting all sorts of ruin for the country as the result of the defeat of any measure in the promotion of which he is entrusted.

We take very great interest in the movements of Mr. Yeo, M. P. The hon. member has been very silent and quiet during the present session.

Mr. Yeo.—Order of the House for copy of all correspondence that may have taken place between the Department of Marine and Fisheries and A. Lord, Esq., Agent at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, during the year 1887, having reference to the dismissal of Ronald Campbell, Esq., from the office of Harbor Master for the port of Summerside, P. E. Island.

Mr. McKenzie has not yet lost his faculty for saying sharp things off-hand. The other day Sir John McDonnell pointed out that if the Government followed the inconsistent and contrary advice of members of Mr. Charlton and Mr. Davies' stripe they would fall between two stools: "Mr. McKenzie—We would be satisfied no matter what way you fell."

Yes, the Opposition would be satisfied no matter how the Government was defeated. Their only trouble is that Sir John and his colleagues are too wise to follow their advice, or to act in any way but that which they believe to be for the interests of the country—and so they don't fall.

We clip the following from the Canadian Journal of Commerce:—

Representations are being made in Ottawa of the unreasonable enforcement of an obnoxious excise regulation by one Carliss, a so-called Customs detective, in the country towns of Nova Scotia. One of our Montreal manufacturers ship ten boxes of tobacco to a Nova Scotia dealer, and if the latter opens a box and takes the tobacco out for sale, the detective drops on him and seizes the article for being out of a stamped box.

This obnoxious regulation will, it is carried out, completely ruin the retail trade of small shopkeepers, and is too petty a business to be done in the name of the Dominion of Canada.

It would be well for our merchants to be on their guard against violating these regulations.

A sensational telegram from Berlin is published in the New York Evening Sun. It says that the press correspondent Blakely Hall, is unable to send telegrams and letters from Berlin describing the real situation there on account of the censorship maintained by the Government, and that he has conveyed to London secretly the following information:—There are grave fears of a social uprising. The Crown Prince is protected by extraordinary police precautions whenever he appears in public.

The Social Democratic party is alarmingly active and is flooding Germany with seditious documents which the police are busy in confiscating. Houses are searched by the police in a most despotical fashion. Some of the pamphlets issued revile the Crown Prince and accuse him of ruining daughters of the people.

The Legislature of New Brunswick passed a License Act at its last session—a very stringent measure. Among the provisions which are new in the regulation of the liquor traffic is one declaring it illegal for a licensee to receive anything but money in payment for liquor, and this he may not receive in advance; nor shall he purchase wearing apparel, tools, implements of husbandry or trade, fishing gear, household goods or furniture, the compensation for which is intoxicating liquor, under a penalty of \$20 and restitution of the property.

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Personal.

A. Lord, Esq., Agent Department Marine is in Georgetown.

Mr. Ewen McDougall, formerly of this city, is now in San Diego, Cal.

Hon. John Lefurgey, is in Moncton, the guest of his son-in-law, Mr. George McSwaney.

Mr. Wm. Knight, formerly of Charlottetown, is now leader of the Presbyterian Church Choir, Moncton.

Mr. Wm. Larter, who left here for San Diego, Cal., some time ago, has returned east and is now in Boston.

The Daily News correspondent at Rome says he has the best authority for denying the report that Archbishop Walsh will resign.

Mr. H. W. Findley, of Findley & Moore, dealers in groceries, farm produce and fruits, San Diego, Cal., has our trunks for late papers.

Mr. Ruskin does not find that authorship spells beggary, for his publisher sends him \$4,000 a year. He has written in all sixty-four works.

There is no shadow of foundation for the report that the Prince of Wales contemplates a visit to America next year in company with the Duke of Southernland.

Congressman McKinney, of New Hampshire, says he has never tasted a drop of beer or liquor in his life, and twelve years ago he stopped drinking sweet cider. All the same, he thinks prohibition is a failure wherever it has been tried.

A London cable says: Lord Stanley, of Preston, was a guest at the Canada club dinner. Lord Stanley, replying to the toast of his health, said, while adhering to his own political views, he recognized that at Ottawa, he must serve the state and not himself.

Referring to the recent criticism of his imperial federation views, he held by every word he uttered at the federation league banquet when he spoke of the great and growing interest between the mother country and other parts of the empire. He regarded the criticism as an attempt at political thought reading with which English politicians are well acquainted.

Mr. Chamberlain was unable to attend the dinner but wrote, expressing his regret. He said his recent visit to Canada increased the pride and interest he always felt in the Dominion.

The bishop of Algona and Principal Grant, of Queen's University, Kingston, also spoke. Another cable says: "Mr. T. P. O'Connor is responsible for the statement that Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Parnell met last night for the first time in their lives at dinner. The giver of the dinner was Mr. Armitstead, formerly member for Dundee, and the scene Mr. Armitstead's house in Cleveland Square, under the shadow of St. James' Palace, Stafford House and Bridgewater House. There is no more aristocratic neighborhood. There was a company of six altogether, the other three being John Morley, T. E. Ellis and Herbert Gladstone.

Mr. Ellis is a Nottinghamshire colliery owner and member for the Rushcliffe division of that county. The meeting, it is judged, is the fruit of Herbert Gladstone's diplomacy, as he is more or less a permanent guest of Mr. Armitstead, who is a strong Home Ruler, and a prosperous Russian merchant. So, perhaps that terrible impending split between Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Parnell may be averted. The bitterness of current politics again showed itself yesterday in the House, on the bill for giving a salary to the Irish Under Secretary. There are not two better tempered men in England than Mr. John Morley and Mr. Balfour. But on this burning question they are contrived to fall out. Mr. Morley accused Mr. Balfour of bad faith. There is no evidence of bad faith, and Mr. Balfour resented the charge in terms which implied a breach of all present relations between himself and Mr. Morley."

Fought a Mad Dog Alone.

A Nashville, Tenn., despatch says: Miss Mollie Green is the heroine of Perry Co., Tenn. Miss Mollie, who is eighteen years old, teaches school in Cypress Creek, in Perry County, though her father, Robert Green, lives across the Tennessee River, in Hickman County. The little log schoolhouse was quiet, and the little children busy with their lessons a few days ago, when a shaggy dog, foaming at the mouth, snapping and biting, dashed in at the door and sprang towards one of the children. The brave teacher thought only of the children in her care and sprang between them and the intruder. She told them it was a mad dog, and kicked at it, her skirts protecting her. By the aid of a heavy ruler she kept it bay until all the children had fled. The infuriated animal repeatedly sprang at her throat, but she was too agile to be caught and resolutely held her ground. When all the little ones were gone she desperately fought off the dog until she reached the door, which she pulled to after her and fell fainting outside. The children had in the meantime run to the nearest house, an eighth of a mile distant, and gave the alarm. Two men came up, and after reviving the teacher with water, killed the dog. The dog had been in the neighborhood for two days. The grateful parents of the children took up a subscription and will give the young lady a fine saddle horse. Her clothes were literally torn off during the struggle with the dog.

A DANGEROUS PATENT MEDICINE.

An exchange says: A specimen of Scotch Oats Essence, a proprietary article just now extensively advertised and guaranteed to cure the opium habit and recuperate tired brains and nerves, has been analyzed by the Massachusetts Board of Health and found to contain one half a grain of sulphate of morphia to each fluid ounce. Alcohol is present, too, in large quantity. The New York board of health is having an analysis made with a view to commencing criminal proceedings against the proprietors of the preparation.

ANOTHER UNFORTUNATE.

A North Sydney C. B. despatch reports that a young man named Hector McNeill attended a wedding at that place a short time ago. He left the house about ten o'clock in the evening. On the way home he complained of feeling unwell, and remained over night at the house of a friend. In the morning he was found dead. An inquest was held and a verdict was returned that "the deceased came to his death from paralysis of the heart, brought on by partaking of very injurious intoxicating liquors."

AUCTION SALE.

The auction sale of the two vacant lots, corner of Cross Street and Spring Park Road, will take place as advertised, to-morrow (Wednesday) May 9th, at 12 o'clock (noon) sharp. Also, at the same time and place, the double tenement house opposite the residence of Wm. Boyle, Esq., Spring Park Road.—A. McNeill, auctioneer.

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Song.

Sweet spring is returning; She breathes on the plain, And meadows are blooming In beauty again. Now fair is the flower And green is the grove, And soft is the shower That falls from above.

Full gladly we greet thee, Thou loveliest guest, Ah, long have we waited By thee to be blessed! Stern winter throb o'er us His hoary, cool chain, We longed to be breathing In freedom again.

And welcome, thou loved one Again and again, And bring us full many Bright joys in thy train. And bid the soft summer, Nor linger so long, E'en now we are waiting To greet him in song.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Exception Taken.

SIR,—In the very interesting article under the heading "Varia," which appeared in your issue of the 5th inst., is one paragraph to which I venture to take exception. In the list of euphemisms for death, the quotation from Gray, "Gone to salute the rising morn," does not, I think, refer to death. The line occurs in "The Bard," and the poet has been describing the sad desertion of Edward III. on his death bed, he then asks what has become of the Black Prince? a question answered by saying that the Prince "rests among the dead." He then asks about the butterfly courtiers who deserted in Edward's "noontide beam;" a question also answered by saying that they "have gone to salute the rising morn," the "morn" being Richard II. It seems to me to be a poetical reproduction of Pompey's well known saying that "more worship the rising than the setting sun," meaning that more persons pay honor to ascendant than to fallen greatness. I imagine that the idea had its origin in allusion to the Persian fire worshippers.

Before I close this letter permit me to take exception to another statement made by your correspondent some weeks ago, that the Bishops occupy seats in the House of Lords "by reason of their baronies." This statement is inexact and involves a grave error of constitutional law. For besides the fact that the baronies themselves did not exist till the Norman Conquest, the tenure of the Bishops was not at any time per baroniam, but in frankalmoinage, so that they were not barons in right of their possessions, but the possessions were baronies in right of the holders as customary barons. And they had a right to sit and vote in the House of Lords before obtaining the temporalities of their sees at all, and even before consecration, once they were elected and confirmed. What clearly shows that the Bishops never have been accounted barons, in the temporal sense, is the fact that they are liable to be tried by a jury of commons and cannot claim a jury of peers.

Many people imagine that the title, "My Lord," is given to Bishops in England because of their right to sit in the House of Lords. This is a vulgar error. The Bishop of Sodor and Man always had this title, although he has no such right. All Bishops are politely called "My Lord." In the first canon of the fourth Council of Arles, A. D. 524, Bishops are called "Sacerdotes Domini," and the title now given is simply a translation of the word "Dominus," and is without any reference whatever to their temporal status.

Yours &c., E. J. H.

May 7th, 1888.

Information Wanted.

SIR,—Among the euphemisms for death given by your correspondent "Varia" in Saturday's EXAMINER, I observe one from McAulay, viz., "The Dark House." I would be much pleased if "Varia" or any of your well informed correspondents would state in to-day's EXAMINER wherein McAulay's writings can the expression be found?

SCIPIO.

Ch'town, May 8, 1888.

A Warning.

SIR,—In the Georgetown Lodge, No. 38, I. O. G. T., on the 30th ult., the following resolution was passed: "That the Secretary be instructed to warn all the rumssellers of Georgetown, through the Island papers, to discontinue the sale of intoxicating liquors, or to continue the sale of the same at their peril."

By publishing this notice you will greatly oblige

Yours respectfully, A. H. WILLIAMS, Secy. Geo'town Lodge, Georgetown, P. E. I., May 7, 1888.

THE LAST SURVIVOR.—Norman McDonald of Big Bras d'Or, Cape Breton, is dead, aged 110 years. He was the last known survivor of Waterloo, having fought in that battle under Wellington when thirty-seven years of age. He was born in the Isle of Arran Scotland, 1778. After serving in the British Army in various parts of the world he emigrated to Nova Scotia in 1833, when fifty-five years old. He was a man of great activity, and up to two years ago did considerable work on his little farm.

STOPPED IN TIME.—A German boy was reading a blood-and-thunder novel. Right in the midst of it he said to himself: "Now this will never do, I get too much excited over it. I can't study so well after it. So here goes!" and he flung the book out into the river. He was Fichte, the great German philosopher.

ATTEMPTED MURDER.—James Ganong, proprietor of the Clarendon Hotel, St. John, N. B., has been jailed on a charge of attempting to take the life of his wife. Some months ago Ganong's father-in-law died, leaving several thousand dollars to the former's wife. Ganong has since been endeavoring to get the use of the money, but his wife refused to allow him to handle it, hence the present difficulty.

BOYS, GIVE HEED.—Early rising is one of the characteristics of persons who live long lives. It is more important than total abstinence.—Medical Record.

Earl Derby has become the leader of the Unorthists in the House of Lords.

Local Notices.

NASAL BALM at Watson's. REMEMBER the sale of furniture at the residence of Geo. McLeod, Esq., Thursday, the 10th inst., at 11 o'clock. m5 til sale

CUTICURA SOAP at Watson's. The fashionable event of the week. Beer Bros. grand show day to-morrow.

ENGLISH and French bonnets and hats, much caps, bonnets and hat frames, children's hats, and a great variety of other millinery, opened to-day at Mrs. R. Young's.

OPENED to-day, large quantities of Ribbons, Lacons, Hats and Mantles. On view to-morrow.—Beer Bros.

DIED.

On May 7th, Hilda, daughter of Henry and Sarah Hooper, aged 10 years. [Funeral on Wednesday, at 10.30, to Milton Cemetery.]

At Spring Park Road, on the 28th of April, Malcolm Livingston, aged 82 years.

At the residence of his son-in-law, Edward H. Kinsman, Lot 17, on the 1st inst., Samuel H. Brown, in the 83rd year of his age.

At Friston Road, May 3rd, of apoplexy, John Curran, 77 years of age. He leaves a sorrowing widow, five sons and three daughters to mourn their loss.

Dearest father thou has left us, Under thy loss we deeply feel, But it is God that has bereft us, He can all our sorrows heal.

CHILDRENS' ENTERTAINMENT.

St. Peter's Schoolroom.

THE ENTERTAINMENT lately held in St. Peter's Schoolroom, will be repeated

On Tuesday Next, 15th Inst.,

With a slight Change of Programme.

Come early and avoid a crush. Admission, 15 cents. Entertainment to begin at 8 o'clock. m3 8

MILLINERY ROOMS.

MISS MINNIE MALONE wishes to inform her friends and the public generally that she has opened Millinery Rooms on STONEY STREET (first Shop East of Norton & Fenell's), where she is prepared to attend to all orders in her line of business. Orders from the country promptly attended to. t1 col—m3 8

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NOW LANDING:

A Cargo of Acadia Nut.

DUE TO-MORROW:

A Cargo of Acadia Round.

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Acadia Coal.

NOW LANDING at Steam Navigation Company's Wharf:—Cargoes of Acadia Round and Nut Coal.

CLARKIN BROS. may7—2i

BUILDING LOTS

For Sale at Auction.

I am instructed by Messrs. Carvell Brothers, to sell by Public Auction,

ON WEDNESDAY, 9th MAY, INST.,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

Those Two Vacant Lots,

Situate on the corner of Spring Park Road and Cross Street.

TERMS AT SALE, A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. may5—sat mon tues

DOUBLE TENEMENT HOUSE

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IMMEDIATELY AFTER the sale of the two Vacant Lots, corner of Spring Park Road and Cross Street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, May 9th, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be offered that Double Tenement House directly opposite the residence of Wm. Boyle, Esq., Spring Park Road.

Terms at Sale. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. may7—2i

BOAT FOUND.

DRIFTED to the Subscriber's shore, on north side of Hillsborough River, about four miles from the city, in November last, a Ship's Boat. If no claim and expenses paid on or before the 11th June next, she will be sold according to law to pay expenses. DANIEL CAREY, Royalty, May 7, 1888—3i

STEAMER ELDON.

STEAMER ELDON will leave Queen's Wharf on TUESDAY MORNING, May 8th, at 10 o'clock, for Murray Harbor, Wood Islands and Little Sanda.

Freight received Monday, and up to time of sailing Tuesday, by W. W. CLARKE, Agent. Ch'town, May 8th, 1888—4y 2i

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Charlottetown, May 8, 1888.

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