

THE DAILY EXAMINER

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OUR NEW JUDGE.

We learn that Hon. A. B. Warburton, D. C. L., was, to-day, appointed County Judge for King's County. If all the Liberals are satisfied with the appointment we have no cause for complaint, and we heartily congratulate Judge Warburton.

The appointment will necessitate the organization of a new Government under another Premier, and the next move in the Liberal game will be awaited with interest.

THE WAR.

With the landing of American troops upon the island of Cuba, the war has taken on a new phase. Already there have been several skirmishes, in all of which the Americans have, according to their own accounts, been victorious. A somewhat sharp struggle is briefly described in our despatches of to-day. Though the loss of life was small, the gallantry of the Americans seems to have been pretty well tested before a superior force in a more advantageous position. The country is evidently a difficult one. But having obtained possession, the Americans can afford to take time preparatory to their attack upon Santiago. Hemmed in as they are, between the Americans and the sea, with the American fleets outside, it is hard to see how the Spaniards in and about Santiago can escape destruction or capitulation. A decisive victory in the coming battle is their only chance.

THE SUPPLEMENTARY CLAUSE.

SOME of the Government organs have attempted a defence of the Government's abolition of the "Supplementary Clause." This clause our good Liberals once deemed to be "the sheet anchor of the Education Act." The Liberals' excuse for its repeal is that the Government cannot now afford to supplement teachers' salaries. But no reason is given why our best teachers should have to bear the brunt of the result of the Government's bad management, incompetence, and extravagance. If it were necessary to repeal the Supplementary Clause because the Government has not money with which to pay the supplements, other measures of economy and reform, affecting other departments of the public service and the public at large, ought to have been adopted, so that all would equally feel the pinch. The teachers—our best teachers—those who are deemed worthy of a reward beyond the small amount of the salary fixed by statute—ought not to have been alone "squeezed." To incompetence, bad management and extravagance, the Government have, in this case, added positive injustice. A body of men and women who ought to be encouraged are consequently discouraged.

That the working of the Supplementary Clause was in some degree unsatisfactory chiefly because it rendered the amount of the Government's yearly expenditures uncontrollable by the Government and because in the matter of public education it gave the richer districts an advantage over the poorer, will be admitted. But, on the other hand, the supplements given under it had the effect of retaining the services of the better teachers and keeping higher the standard of public educational work. We have noticed a change for the worse in the tone and *esprit de corps* of our public schools since the Liberals gained power; and this last unjust act of theirs must eventually, if not at once, have the effect of still further lowering the educational status of the Province.

Hon David Laird has been appointed one of a commission to hold an investigation into the affairs of Dorchester Penitentiary. The fees of the Commission will no doubt be governed by the precedent of the commissions held at St. Vincent de Paul and Kingston,—so that Mr. Laird will have a nice plum. Perhaps it is too much to expect that the Commissioners will all discard their political spectacles. But Mr. Laird, being a newspaper man, can afford to do so, and we hope that he will, notwithstanding the bad example set by other Liberal Commissioners.

Halifax Herald: An English writer says that Canada is now taking the second place among bacon-curing countries from which Britain's supply is drawn. This is a gratifying fact, and the great bacon industry of Canada is directly traceable to our policy of adequate protection. An examination of the history of our tariff on pork products and the history of the industry, proves this beyond question.

R. N. Ward, organizer for the Ancient Order of Foresters, who has been in the city for some days putting forth efforts to establish a branch of the order, is, we hear, meeting with very good success. A meeting will be held in Wright's Hall on Wednesday evening next, when all persons interested in Ancient Forestry should be present to hear the aims and objects fully explained.

ANOTHER SUDDEN DEATH.

Mr. Henry Burke Found Dead at His Home Last Evening.

We hear with great regret of the sudden death of Mr. Henry Burke, the well-known nurseryman. It seems that Mr. Burke was in town yesterday, apparently in his usual health, and crossed to Southport in the 4.30 boat, having his wheel with him. At seven o'clock he was found dead.

Mr. Burke's wife and daughter are in the United States, and he lived alone at his home on the Lot 48 Road, nearly a mile from Southport. He took his meals at Mrs. Henry's, who lives about 200 yards distant. About seven o'clock Mrs. Henry sent a little girl to tell Mr. Burke to come to his tea. When the girl entered the house she found Mr. Burke lying upon the floor beside a chair as though he had fallen from a sitting position. She hurried back to Mrs. Henry's and told what she saw. Mrs. Henry returned to the house with a neighbor, and they found Mr. Burke dead.

The facts of the case were reported to Dr. Conroy, coroner, and an inquest was held. The verdict was "death from natural causes."

Mr. Burke was about 56 years of age, and was well and favorably known throughout the province. He has been troubled with an affection of the heart for some time, and it is believed that the exertion of riding hurriedly from the boat to his home had a fatal effect.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

Annual Communication Held at Summerside Yesterday.

The annual communication of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M., was held at Summerside yesterday, Grand Master Leonard Morris presiding. There were about sixty representatives present, including S. W. Crabbe, Ronald McMillan, T. Z. Taylor, David Small, James R. Davison, Horace McEwen, Charles Webster, J. J. Davies, D. McLean, Howard Dingwell, D. R. McMillan, Adam Murray, J. A. Messervey and John Hobbs from Charlottetown.

The first session was held at ten o'clock, at which the ordinary routine business was disposed of.

At the afternoon session the constitution was revised, and the election of Grand officers for the ensuing year took place as follows: Leonard Morris, Grand Master (re-elected); John A. Messervey, Deputy Grand Master (re-elected); Ronald McMillan, Senior Grand Warden; Rev. Henry Harper, Junior Grand Warden; Adam Murray, Grand Treasurer; Neil McKelvie, Grand Secretary. The balance of the Grand officers were appointed by the Grand Master, in accordance with the revised constitution. At the evening session the Grand Officers were installed.

PERSONAL.

Rev. M. J. McMillan is very low today.

Dr. Bayfield returned from Montreal last night.

Dr. Allison of Mt. Allison, arrived by express and is the guest of L. L. Beer, Esq.

Rev. Mr. Sutherland did not sleep as well last night. Otherwise he is progressing favorably.

Rev. J. W. Wadman, wife and family, are expected to arrive in Charlottetown on Monday night.

Mr. Martin Lemont, of Fredericton, N. B., is visiting Mr and Mrs. A. S. Johnson. He arrived last night.

Rev. J. T. Bryan of St. Paul's church has had the degree of B. A. conferred upon him by King's College, Windsor, N. S.

Judge Weatherbe, of Halifax, N. S., who is visiting the Island, is staying a day or two with his sister, Mrs. J. D. Reid, Upper Hillsboro Street.

The success of Mr. Thomas E. Cullen, at the recent examination at the Ottawa University, is a convincing proof of the excellence of the work done at St. Dunstan's College. Mr. Cullen was a student of St. Dunstan's during the school year of 96-97, and there acquired such a knowledge of philosophy and the other subjects of the course of study, as enabled him, after a few months work at Ottawa, to take the distinguished place he holds amongst the students of this year. Mr. Cullen's talent, industry and excellent character would give him a high place amongst the students of any college in America, and we look for still greater honors for him in the near future.

Diamond Beds.

What are you readin' bout? Asked Mrs. Hayseed. "Diamond beds in Africa, replied her husband." "Deay me! It does beat all, how much luxury these people manage ter crowd inter a lifetime, but I don't envy 'em, not a bit, and don't ask for no greater comfort in the way o' sleeping than on the mattress I bought from Mark Wright & Co., the furniture fellows, last spring

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WHAT IS THE A. O. F.?

The question has often been asked of late: "How many orders of Foresters are there? In the Dominion of Canada there are four orders, viz:—The A. O. F. (Ancient) established in 1871. The I. O. F. (Independent) established 1874. The C. O. F. (Canadian) established 1879. The C. O. F. (Catholic) established 1883. The three latter conduct an insurance business as their leading and compulsory feature, with sick benefits as a secondary feature. The A. O. F. conducts its sick benefits as the main feature, with insurance as of a secondary nature; of late however, provision has been made whereby a person can obtain insurance without taking the sick benefit. The A. O. F. is an old English institution, established in 1790, and having branches throughout the world. Previous to 1874, it was the only order of Foresters in existence. It has a membership in Canada of about 23,000 including adult males, juveniles and ladies. It is well represented in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Whilst being known as the "poor man's order," it has in its ranks the best "blue blood" of England, first among whom stands Her Majesty Queen Victoria, holding a membership in Court, No 8160, London, (the only order of its nature in which Her Majesty holds a membership) also, H. R. H. Princess of Wales, H. R. H. Princess Louise, Countess of Aberdeen, and 33 other ladies of rank. 150 Peers of the Realm, 114 Barones, 11 Judges, 76 Knights, 200 members of the British and Colonial Parliament, whilst the church is represented by His Grace the Archbishop of York, 10 Bishops and 6 Deans, and hundreds of other eminent and distinguished men help to swell the ranks and make this grand old order, what England's "grand old man" the Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone declared it to be:—

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Toronto, June 20—(Special) If there is a good thing in creation, a newspaper man will find it out. The truth of this is shown by the case of Mr. John H. Parham, a pressman on the Globe staff.

Mr. Parham has, for months, suffered from lumbago, aggravated by the nature of his work in the pressroom. He consulted an eminent local physician, but no benefit resulted from his treatment.

On the advice of a friend he tried Dodd's Kidney Pills, with the result that he was completely cured.

This case is one more proof of the fact that for Lumbago and every other kidney complaint there is only one cure and that Dodd's Kidney Pills.

TOURISTS. - Prince Edward Island Illustrated is a beautifully illustrated book on P. E. Island. For sale at the bookstores or at this office—50c

LOCAL NOTICES.

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Misses' fine shoes reduced to 85 cents a pair; ladies' colored shoes 85 cents a pair. See window to-day.—R. K. Jett, Stamper's Corner.

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BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

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