

The Liberal Conservative Committee Rooms in the Philharmonic Hall are open every day and evening (Sundays excepted). All electors are invited to be present, and will be made welcome.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Beer Bros. for Dress Goods.

A. O. H.—Regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Stanley.—The steamer Stanley arrived from Pictou this afternoon.

"Too Much Johnson," the funniest comedy of the age, will be played at the Opera House to-night.

Strawberries.—The first strawberries of the season were on sale at the market today. They brought twenty-five cents a tubful.

REKAWAY.—A truckman's horse ran away on Queen Street this forenoon. Before the horse could be stopped the driver was damaged considerably.

We would call special attention to the advertisement of Mr. Baird's (furniture) sale, which takes place at his auction rooms on Friday next. This will be a rare opportunity to obtain first-class furniture at a bargain.

FIVE CARRIAGES.—Mr. Robt. Baird has received a consignment of carriages, which are now set up and on exhibition in his warehouse on Grafton Street. Among the number are some of the handsomest ever seen in the city, one splendid carriage being worth, by itself, \$1,000. They are the output of the Canadian Carriage Co. and the old reliable Gannanog Co.

QUESTION FOR MR. DAVIES.—A correspondent asks: "Is it true that Mr. Davies assures his supporters, the latter using in their canvass the following language:—'that Mr. Davies will sweep Quebec, the entire of all the bishops and priests in that Province?' Perhaps Mr. Davies will answer."

SARAH HEART CONVENT.—The list of prizes won by the young ladies attending Sarah Heart Convent, Halifax, is published in the Herald at hand this morning. Miss Faustina Sullivan, daughter of Chief Justice Sullivan, takes the prize for letter writing, and is also the prize for penmanship.

SPORTING.—The Yale crew is now quartered at Healey for the big English boat races.

Frank Steele seconded Dixon in his fight with Flaherty.

The American intercollegiate boat race takes place at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., next week.

Maher and Slavin are billed to meet in New York to-night.

SUCCESS AT EDENHILL.—The young ladies of Charlotteville attending the Church School for girls, Edenhill, Windsor, were, as usual, among the prize winners. Miss Ethel Davies (daughter of Hon. L. H. Davies) won the first prize for painting, but having obtained the same prize last year relinquished it to the next in order of merit.

"AN HOUR."—There was a very gratifying attendance in St. Paul's School-room last evening, notwithstanding the counter attractions, and the programme prepared for the occasion was splendidly carried out. Excellent readings were given by Miss Gertrude Davies and Flo. McKenzie, and Mr. John Rogers delighted the audience with a song and a humorous speech. Choice refreshments were served by the ladies, and the decorations of the room were very attractive. Mr. Justice Fitzgerald presided.

FINE CATTLE.—Eight head of prime cattle were weighed on the city scales this forenoon. The lot included a cow fed by W. A. McNeill, which tipped the beam at 557 lbs.; an ox fed by Walter Simpson, which weighed 1115 lbs.; an ox fed by E. Wootter, 527 lbs.; and another fed by D. Dalton, 1055 lbs. These four were for R. Roberts. Two oxen fed by S. J. McMillan, weighing 1305 and 1180 lbs. respectively, were for William Seller. There were also two oxen for E. Wheeler, which weighed 1217 and 1405 lbs.

HE HAD A SMILE.—One of the most prominent of the Grit missionaries on Charlotteville having arrived at Crapaud a few days ago, pulled up at the residence of an old acquaintance and went in. After some talk about the weather and the crops, etc., the missionary began business by asking his former friend if he would "take a smile." He "didn't mind if he did," and so the hot water was brought in and the bottle produced. After both had "smiled," it was intimated that another "smile" would be in order, but this the former respectfully declined. "Well," said the missionary, "you and I have been friends for a long time; could you not now put in your bail for Mr. Yes? 'I'll be—if I do,' replied the former, 'I'll not vote for Mr. Yes, and I'll do all I can against him.' The missionary retreated—to have a smile with other men. It is hoped that all Grit missionaries going about with whiskey to win Conservative votes will be treated as this one was treated by the farmer of Crapaud.

There is much discussion in London over the action of a well-known hostess who recently took Dr. Jamson in to dinner before all the other guests who were invited to the party, some of whom occupy very exalted positions among the upper ten.

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THE WAR OF WEALTH

Last evening Mr. Harkins' Fifth Avenue Company were not greeted by so large an audience as they played to on the occasion of their first appearance. Many of the higher-priced seats were empty, but the others were all taken. "The War of Wealth" was the bill of fare last evening, and it was presented in an excellent manner by Mr. Harkins' splendid company. The time of the play is 1883, and as it progresses it displays the absorbing love of money in these degenerate days, and shows what villainy becomes necessary to cover the first deviation from the truth and to hide wrong-doing. The run on the bank was a realistic. Just as the crowd are pressing into the bank, some groaning, others shouting, and all demanding their money, up drives the Mayor with half a million in hard cash—and saves the bank. The scene where Helen fell with the broken balcony to the rocks below and was saved by her lover just in the nick of time was most realistic. But perhaps the most exciting scene of all was that at the close of the second act showing the bank vault. "Now wood," the cashier, showed up just as the bank is being robbed, and is thrown into the vault where he is gasping for breath when the senior partner appears on the scene, blows open the door with an explosive and drags him out in an unconscious condition.

Mr. Wise, as "Major Pinckney Poindecker," was very funny—in fact he was the life of the play. The scene in the express office while he was waiting for the money to arrive with which to save the bank provoked much laughter, and his love-making with the widow was excruciatingly funny. "Flavias Remsen" (Mr. Leigh), just arrived from Africa "where his mother was the only white woman he had ever known," stammered very successfully through his part, and made love in a delightfully stupid way. The partners in the banking house of Wardell & Co. were cleverly impersonated by Messrs. Deyo and French, and Mr. Kildgore as "Halpin Newwood," the cashier, was also good. Miss Magill as "Helen Raymond," about whose life hung a shadow, acted her part very cleverly indeed; and the parts of Marcia Dudley, "Helen Raymond," "Hattie Worley," and "Mrs. Worley" were also splendidly taken by Miss Whitty, Miss Talbot and Miss Leigh. Mr. Bradley, as the night watchman of the bank, played very well; and Mr. McCutcheon, as the colored servant, was also good.

The music by the company's orchestra between the acts and throughout the play was greatly appreciated. To-night the great concert success of the time, "Too Much Johnson," will be presented. This play is one continuous laugh, and should draw a full house. Let there be no empty seats to-night.

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Wholesale & Retail. June 18, 1896.

THE METHODIST CONFERENCE.

St. John, June 17. The name of Hedley D. Marr is added to the number of probationers for ordination.

There are to be ordained on Monday night next, viz. Henry Pierce, A. B., Hedley B. Balderson, B.A., and Hedley D. Marr, A. B.

The Rev. A. Lucas was given another year to act as Secretary of the N. B. Sunday School Association.

The Supernumeraries for the year are as follows:—Henry Daniel, Henry Pope, Robert Wilby, William Tweedy, James A. Duke, Elwin Evans, Geo. B. Payson, Henry J. Clarke, F. W. Harrison, John Prince, S. T. Teed, Joseph Pascoe, George Dawson, J. J. Colter, D. H. Lodge.

In connection with the last name, the Rev. Mr. Lodge will return to the active work of a circuit suitable to his physical weakness can be found.

Dr. Carman came into the Church at this point of the proceedings, and was given a loyal reception; the whole Conference rising and clapping. Dr. looks well, and is always welcomed by the members of this Conference.

The Rev. C. H. Paisley leaves for Newfoundland conference on the 20th to represent the supernumerary fund. A committee was appointed to make arrangements to appropriately celebrate the jubilee of Rev. Mr. Prince.

During the conference Dr. Carman gave an address at the taking of the chair, but only briefly, promising a more lengthy deliberation at another session of the Conference.

The total membership for the year is 13,064, against 12,665, showing an increase of 499, which shows an increase of every district in the conference from 3 to 124, or an average of 0.38 in each district. The two districts on P. E. Island show a total of 27, increase after accounting for 272 removals by death, etc., leaving a total membership for P. E. Island of 3,443.

We cannot yet give total figures of finances, but will act upon as the statistics committee finishes its work.

The totals are so unsatisfactory that we cannot give any record after six o'clock in the morning. The mail for P. E. Island comes here at 6 a. m., and lies at Point du Chene until the C. P. R. train reaches there in the evening.

The total connexional funds for the districts are as follows:—S. John.....\$ 5,493.30 Fredericton..... 2,751.65 Woodstock..... 1,677.23 Miramichi..... 1,508.85 Sackville..... 3,443.68 St. Stephen..... 1,263.76 Charlottetown..... 4,497.54 Summerside..... 2,625.77

Total.....\$23,286.78 Increase..... 229.26 The Rev. W. J. Kirby led the early morning prayer meeting to-day, and a very enjoyable time was passed by all.

The evening service was a sacramental, and very enjoyable and interesting one. We clip the following from the first draft of the Station Sheet, under correction:—

Charlotteville.—(1st Ch.) G. Campbell; (Up. Prince St.) W. J. Kirby. Cornwall.—H. R. Baker. Little York.—E. Opie Winslow.—W. J. Howard. Pownal.—E. C. Turner. Vernon River.—J. W. McConnell. Montague.—H. Penna. Murray Harbor.—W. B. Thomas. Souris.—J. F. Estey. Mount Stewart.—A. D. McLeod.

Soda Fountain Opening.—As I wish to introduce my new Soda Fountain and explain its merits to my many patrons, I have decided on Saturday, 20th June, to give everyone purchasing 10 cents' worth or over at my store a glass of the very best cream soda in the city. The fruit juices are the best that can be bought in the United States and Canada. The cream, as it always has been, is the best in the market.—W. F. Carter. j19 21

Carter's for Wall Paper

ST. DUNSTON'S COLLEGE. Commencement Exercises in the Lyceum—The Saints Grand Demonstration.

Another very successful term in St. Dunstan's College was brought to a happy termination in the Lyceum last evening. Although there were several counter attractions to draw the people, nevertheless the seating capacity of the hall was well tested. The students had their stronghold on the left of the body of the hall, immediately behind the orchestra, whilst on the stage were His Lordship Bishop Macdonald, Revs. D. J. G. McDonald, P. Curran, Rector St. Dunstan's College; Ignatius McDonald, of the same institution; His Honor, Lieut. Governor Howland, U. S. Consul Kane, His Worship Mayor Dawson and Judge D. O'M. Reddin. Following is the

- PROGRAMME: 1. A Milk White Flag.—Richard Stahle Orchestra. 2. Reading of Prize Lists. 3. Essay.—The Future of the Young Men of Prince Edward Island. Mr. P. F. Doyle. 4. II Trovatore.....Orchestra. 5. Distribution of Medals. 6. Instrumental Trio.—The Serenade. 7. Valettoire.....A. J. D. nelly. 8. La Fille du Regiment.....Orchestra. 9. Confering of degrees and address by Rev. D. J. McDonald. God Save the Queen.

The prizes were distributed at the college yesterday afternoon. But in order to let the vast assembly know who were the fortunate winners the names of the successful competitors were read. The medals were captured by the following:—Collegium medal—P. F. Doyle, for Essay on the Future of the Young Men of P. E. I. Silver medal—Jas. Donahoe, for second English (Milton). Donated by Mr. M. W. Murphy. Silver medal—P. F. Doyle, first Latin. Donated by Rev. J. R. A. Macdonald. Silver medal—S. E. Burke, Greek. Donated by Rev. Dr. Morrison. Gold medal—J. Baquis, chemistry. Donated by D'O'm. Reddin, jr. Gold medal—John Connolly, Higher English. Donated by Rev. D. J. McDonald. Gold medal—John Connolly, Highest marks for general proficiency. Donated by Lieut.-Gov. Howland.

Gold medal—F. G. O'Neill, Christian Doctrine. Donated by his Lordship Bishop Macdonald. \$5 gold—A. G. McDonald for proficiency in mathematics.

The degree of B. Sc. was conferred upon Mr. C. M. V. Darvean, Levis, Quebec, and that of B. A. on Mr. A. J. Donnelly, of Sturgeon. Joseph Murphy, of Summerside, H. Hughes and F. D. Blake, of Charlottetown, and Chas. McCarthy received business diplomas.

The musical selections by the Collegium orchestra were of the highest order, and were rendered in a manner that added another to the many triumphs enjoyed by the band of accomplished musicians during the past year. In fact, they have established a reputation that will bequeath to their successors something worthy of maintaining.

Mr. Doyle's prize essay was listened to most closely, and was much relished by the audience. Mr. Donnelly read an excellent valettoire, which clearly indicated the thorough training imparted in St. Dunstan's College.

The address by Rev. Father McDonald, of Summerside, was decidedly the feature of the evening. He gave a short discourse in philosophy, with an easy transition to moral, try in concluding his glowing tribute to the graduates of St. Dunstan's for the past fifty years, speaking in the highest terms of the great achievements accomplished by them. His rounded periods, together with the long and continued applause that followed are still ringing in our ears.

Complimentary addresses were duly read by Lieutenant-Governor Howland, Mayor Curran, General Kane, Judge Reddin, Bishop Macdonald and Rev. Father Curran. The students of St. Dunstan's College have every reason to feel proud of the excellent performance of last night, and are well deserving of the praise so lavishly showered upon them. Long may "Old St. Dunstan's" continue to perpetuate its laudable work.

THEY ARE GIVING WAY.

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CLEARED. June 18—ss. Electra, McLaren, Montague; Lady Franklin, Rhude, Sydney; Tarquin, Lowrie, Pictou; Azof, Sundley, Shediac, Rustic, Pictou; Samuel Drake, Olsen, Pictou; Mary Louise, Bonfrais, Bathurst; Wm. Dunbar, White, Pugwash.

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