

PROVINCIAL ELECTION! Liberal-Conservative Candidates for the City: HON. NEIL McLEOD, PATRICK BLAKE, ESQ. THE DAILY EXAMINER. JUNE 25, 1886.

Three Points.

1. The present Government have lessened the public expenditure by upwards of \$60,000 a year; so they have saved the Province in the past seven years, about \$420,000.

It is wise to judge men by what they have done rather than by what they say they will do.

The professions and promises of the Grits are all very fine; but their past acts were extravagant.

Therefore, let the Government be sustained by the candidates of the Opposition rejected.

2. Continuous communication with the Mainland is wanted.

The exertions of the Government to obtain redress of the grievance of the Province in this respect have commanded the applause of even the Oppositionists; and preparations for the preliminary surveys required, are now, as a result of those exertions, begun.

But the work is not done yet, and electors know that "it is not wise to swap horses while crossing a stream."

Therefore, they will vote for the Government candidates, and return the Opposition candidates to their homes.

3. There are debts due the Province still uncollected.

The Government have, by their unaided efforts, secured upwards of \$100,000 of these amounts, and relieved the taxpayers to that extent.

They say they can collect \$125,000 more, in spite of the Opposition.

Let them try.

Editorial Notes.

We are informed that Mr. Henry Beer stated some time since at a public meeting that it would take \$500 to build a bridge across the creek or brook on the farm of William Mutch, Esq., Hopeton. A few days ago a contract to build the bridge was let by public competition for \$90!

The Grits are circulating a "dodger." On one side the Davies Government is praised, and on the other the Sullivan Government is blamed. Davies was in office two years, and was metaphorically pitched out by the indignant tax payers. The present Government have been in office eight years, and the people are going to express confidence in their administration of affairs by giving them another term!

At the Boryer-Leitch election last March a number of gentlemen belonging to Charlottetown drove to Little York and voted upon stock held by them in the Starch Factory at that place. These gentlemen must have mistaken the qualification of voters otherwise they would not have voted. It is quite clear that a holder of stock in a factory is not qualified to vote upon his stock at an election for members for the House of Assembly. The fact is the question is not open to doubt, and we trust that the gentlemen who claim to vote as stockholders will ascertain their standing before they fill their schedules of special voters, which, according to law, must be verified by oath.

In the course of a lengthy review of "The Postal System of the North-West" the Winnipeg Enquirer of the 1st inst. remarks:

"The extent and perfection of the system in the North-West must strike the new comer with surprise, extending east and west as it does over a country from Lake Superior to the summit of the Rocky Mountains, and north and south from the United States boundary to the Hudson's Bay, or 1,432 miles long by 700 wide. The postal affairs of this vast country are controlled from Winnipeg by one man, who is yet a young one, but who has spent his whole life in the service, and is said to be the ablest official of this Department in the great Dominion of Canada, and this is in keeping with the often observed fact that the Canadian North-West has drawn to itself, and now contains the very cream of ability in the different professions of life's work."

The official who is here referred to, we need scarcely say, is Mr. W. W. McLeod, an Island boy, who received his training, and was, until lately, the head and brains of the Postal Department of this Province.

With respect to the statement that "the North-West has drawn to itself the very cream of ability," we have only to say that it is owing more to good luck than to good management. Good management is so scarce in the North-West that when an official proves himself more than ordinarily competent in his Department in any of the older Provinces, it is the custom to remove him to some place where good management is badly required to bring order out of chaos. Hence it is the North-West does not draw, but is supplied, with "the very cream of the ability." We have had several officials stolen from us in this way.

RACES POSTPONED.—The races advertised to take place at Upton Park on Dominion Day are postponed until Thursday, July 15th, when it is expected the best races ever seen on the Island will take place, as a large number of well-matched horses are in training.

MIDSUMMER EXAMINATIONS QUEEN SQUARE SCHOOL.

The public examination of Queen Square School took place to-day, in the presence of some of the parents of the pupils, the principals and several of the teachers of the other city schools, and a number of interested ladies and gentlemen, including His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Macdonald, Rev. W. R. Frame, Rev. A. J. McIntyre, J. D. Mason, Esq., and Mrs. Mason, Thomas Handrahan, Esq., Mr. McSwain of the Model School and others.

The examination was satisfactory in all the departments, reflecting great credit upon the teachers and pupils; and the conduct of the school as a whole was unexceptionable.

An entertainment was given at the close of the examination; and, at the request of Thomas Handrahan, Esq., who presided, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor distributed the prizes as follows:

PRIZE LIST:

MISS MACKENNA'S DEPARTMENT.

1st Certificate, Peter Perry, presented by School Board; 2nd Certificate, Michael Power, presented by School Board.

Good Conduct—1st, Maurice Kennefic, presented by His Lordship; 2nd, John Simpson, presented by Rev. A. E. Burke.

Punctuality—Henry Gaffney, presented by teacher.

Arithmetic—Stephen McCarron, presented by Rev. A. J. McIntyre.

Application—Joseph Carr, presented by Hon. Neil McLeod.

Diligence—Patrick McNally, presented by teacher.

MISS FARMER'S DEPARTMENT.

1st Certificate, Louis McCarron and Thomas Morgan, equal, presented by School Board; 2nd Certificate, John Sullivan and Edward Redmond, equal, presented by School Board.

Good Conduct—1st, Edward Whalen Hughes, presented by His Lordship; 2nd, Louis McCarron, presented by Rev. F. X. Gallant; 3rd, Frank McMillan, presented by Rev. A. J. McIntyre; 4th, Edward McNaughten, presented by Rev. A. E. Burke.

Punctuality—1st, Mark Quinlan, presented by His Honor the Lieut. Governor; 2nd, P. Mitchell, presented by teacher; 3rd, John O'Connor, presented by Mr. Patrick Blake; 4th, Robert Doyle, presented by Mrs. John Hennessy.

Diligence—1st, Alfred Hennessy, presented by teacher; 2nd, Brenton McInnis, presented by teacher.

MISS FENNESSY'S DEPARTMENT.

1st Certificate—Arthur Trainor; presented by School Board.

2nd Certificate—Felix Doiron; presented by School Board.

Good Conduct—Henry Walsh, presented by His Lordship; Joseph Bondreault, presented by Miss Barr; James McKenna, presented by Mrs. Maurice Blake; Thomas Koughan, presented by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor; Alphonsus Murphy, presented by Mrs. Maurice Blake; James Trainor, presented by Mrs. John Trainor.

Writing—Asa Merrill, presented by Rev. A. J. McIntyre.

Reading and Spelling—Alexander Buchanan; presented by Mr. Patrick Blake.

General Proficiency—Lawrence Doiron; presented by Mrs. Maurice Blake.

Reading and Writing—Joseph Trainor; presented by Mrs. John Hennessy.

Diligence and Good Conduct—Fred McLeod, presented by Rev. F. X. Gallant.

Highest Number of Marks—Arthur Trainor; presented by St. Dunstan's T. & L. Society.

Mental Arithmetic—Arthur Trainor; presented by Rev. A. E. Burke.

Good Conduct—Brinsley Foley; presented by St. Dunstan's T. & L. Society.

MR. CURRAN'S DEPARTMENT.

1st certificate—1st, John Robert Perry, presented by School Board; 2nd, William Trainor, presented by School Board.

Good Conduct—1st, John R. Perry, prize presented by His Lordship; 2nd, John Burke, prize presented by Rev. A. E. Burke.

Diligence—John Doyle, prize presented by His Honor Lieut. Governor.

Attendance—Parker Carroll, prize presented by Teacher.

Spelling—Fred Doyle, prize presented by Mr. Patrick Blake.

Grammar—Edmund Malone, Rev. A. J. McIntyre.

Writing—Wm. Trainor, prize presented by Teacher.

Arithmetic—Wm. Bradley, prize presented by Teacher.

MR. SMITH'S DEPARTMENT.

1st Certificate—William McIntyre; presented by School Board.

2nd Certificate—Edward Hogan; presented by School Board.

Good Conduct—John Blake, John Reardon, equal; presented by His Lordship and Teacher.

Punctuality—Charles Mitchell; presented by Teacher.

General Proficiency—George Cuming, presented by His Honor, Lieut.-Governor; Francis Payne, presented by Hon. Neil McLeod.

Spelling and Arithmetic—William Leahy; presented by Rev. A. J. McIntyre.

Writing—Edward Hogan; presented by Rev. A. E. Burke.

PRINCIPAL'S DEPARTMENT.

1st Certificate—William Moran; presented by School Board.

2nd Certificate—James Reardon; presented by School Board.

Good Conduct—Bernard Clinton; presented by His Lordship.

Punctuality and Diligence—John Hennessy, presented by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

Arithmetic, Algebra and Geometry (senior division)—Wm. Moran; presented by Mr. J. B. Macdonald.

W. R. Frame and Rev. A. J. McIntyre, Mr. Handrahan announced that the school would open again on Monday, the 30th of August; "God Save the Queen" was sung; and the school closed for the term.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

An Injunction on the Conference.

St. JOHN, N. B., June 25.

The Supreme Court of New Brunswick has issued an injunction forbidding the Methodist Conference of N. B. and P. E. Island, now in session at Sackville, from proceeding any further with the investigation into the charges of alleged immorality preferred against the Rev. D. D. Currie.

The Conference has been investigating this matter for the past week, and cannot adjourn legally until the case is disposed of.

The extraordinary phase of the question is as sensational and exciting as it is novel and unprecedented. Charges of seduction and adultery were made against the Rev. D. D. Currie in connection with a young lady in another part of the province. The first committee appointed to investigate failed to agree, it is understood about one-third of the members being in favor of bringing in a finding of guilty. A second committee was then appointed, and being dissatisfied with the evidence before them, decided to send for more. It was said the young woman would again appear as a witness, and that Rev. Mr. Currie would bring in further rebutting testimony.

At the session on Wednesday, the president said that he had received a telegram stating that it was reported that Judge Palmer had issued an injunction restraining the conference from further investigating the charges against Rev. D. D. Currie.

The general superintendent made a brief address, in which he referred to the critical position of the conference, growing out of the case of Rev. Mr. Currie, and said the conference could not adjourn until the report of the committee was presented. This was a matter for this conference and could not be referred to any other conference. If it remained here a whole year the conference could not adjourn until the report of the committee was submitted. He asked the consideration and help of the best minds of the conference that an honest and just issue might be reached. He said it was rumored that an injunction had been issued by Judge Palmer to prevent any further inquiry in the matter. Neither Judge Palmer nor any other June would, in his opinion, do such a foolish thing. He advised the conference to go on with the investigation, and deal with the case as the discipline of the church directed. The honor, character and future usefulness largely depends on the way in which the conference conducts itself at the present time.

Rev. Mr. Read asked if the conference could not put an injunction on Judge Palmer, to which Dr. Williams replied in the negative.

Dr. Williams assured the conference that Judge Palmer could not arrest their action. He urged them to proceed with the inquiry.

Rev. Mr. Smallwood doubted whether Rev. Mr. Currie would attend the meeting of the committee of investigation on Friday.

Dr. Williams said that it did not matter, as the President should proceed with the case whether Rev. Mr. Currie was in attendance or not.

Rev. Mr. Shenton moved that the treasurer of the children's fund pay to the treasurer of the supernumerary fund the \$80 claimed by Rev. Mr. Currie. This was carried by an almost unanimous vote.

Rev. Mr. Hamilton, complainant in the case, has gone to Charlottetown for principal witnesses and Rev. Mr. Currie has also left here, probably to secure testimony for himself. The committee resume the investigation of the charges on Friday morning, and it is hoped to complete the work that day.

Expressions of Sympathy.

TORONTO, Ont. June 25.

The Anglican Synod of the Diocese of Toronto, now in session here, has passed the following resolution:

"That we, the members of this Synod desire to express our heartfelt sympathy with our fellow churchmen and the loyal minority in Ireland, in the trying circumstances in which they are placed. We are convinced that the threatened legislative separation of Ireland from the immediate control of the central government will not only imperil the stability and integrity of the Empire, but will also expose the loyal minority to unbearable oppression, and we pledge ourselves to use every legitimate influence in our power to avert from our fellow churchmen and fellow subjects the perils with which they are now threatened."

A New Discovery.

LONDON, June 25.

Sir John Lubbock, Banker and Scientist, in an address, says that the troubles in Ireland mostly all spring from the potato disease, rather than from political causes, and that, by a series of accidents in voting, the Parnellites have four members to every one Anti-Parnellite member, instead of two to one as their proper proportion should be.

John Bright says that he is, and always has been a friend to Ireland, but that he will not pledge himself to support a bill for Home Rule until he first knows what its leading details will be.

St. John as a Terminus.

St. JOHN, N. B., June 25.

A deputation of the members of the Board of Trade waited upon the magnates of the Canadian Pacific Railway, now here, and pointed out the advantages offered by St. John as the terminus of the C. P. R.

Sir George Stephen admitted these advantages, but said, in effect, that trade would inevitably seek its own natural outlet.

The through rates on freight have been fixed at \$95 per car from Quebec to Vancouver.

An Insurance Company "Busted."

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 25.

The Anglo-American Marine Insurance Company, a big concern, has gone to smash. Wreckers were at work, and there will be but very little salvage.

The Masonic Communication.

The Eleventh Annual Communication of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Prince Edward Island, commenced at Prince Edward Island, yesterday, Masonic Hall, in Charlottetown, yesterday, at 11 o'clock, and closed late last night, Grand Master Yeo presiding. The following Grand Officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year:—

M. W., John Yeo (re-elected)—Grand Master.

R. W., A. H. B. Macgowan—Deputy Grand Master.

R. W., Ewen Stewart—Senior Grand Warden.

P. W., John T. Crockett—Junior Grand Warden.

R. W., W. H. Findley (re-elected)—Grand Treasurer.

R. W., B. Wilson Higgs (re-elected)—Grand Secretary.

R. W., Thomas A. McLean—Grand Lecturer.

R. W., Ven. J. H. Read, D. D.—Grand Chaplain.

W., Robert E. Sobey—Senior Grand Deacon.

W., Roderick McNeill—Junior Grand Deacon.

W., George R. Montgomery—Grand Marshal.

W., J. G. J. Weldon—Grand Sword Bearer.

W., A. H. McPherson—Grand Standard Bearer.

W., J. R. Davison—ior Grand Steward.

W., F. S. Chandler—Junior Grand Steward.

W., John Muirhead—Grand Pursuivant.

John Hobbs—Grand Tyler.

The rank of Honorary Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Prince Edward Island was conferred upon R. W. Bro. Adam Murray, Past Deputy Grand Master, in recognition of the long and distinguished services rendered by him to the craft.

Charlottetown Rifle Club.

FIRST SPOON COMPETITION of the season will be held at Kensington Rifle Range, on SATURDAY, the 26th inst., at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Ammunition can be purchased on the grounds.

SERGT. GREY, Sec'y and Treas.

Ch'town, June 25, 1886.

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TEA AND APRON SALE.

THE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION hold their Tea and Apron Sale on

Tuesday Evening next, 29th of June,

IN THE Y. M. C. A. HALL.

Doors open at 5 o'clock. Tea on the tables at 6 o'clock. Admission, 10 cents; Tickets for Tea 20cts. Contributions will be thankfully received by the ladies of the committee, on the day of the Tea, any time after 11 o'clock, at the Y. M. C. A. Hall.

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Flowers and Plants,

From MacLaughlin's Nursery, West River, Pictou, N. S.

BY Auction, to-morrow, SATURDAY, June 26th, at 11 o'clock, another large and choice lot of Flowers and Plants, suitable for House and Garden. The assortment about the same as at former sale from this popular nursery.

A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

Startling Exposures—To the Public.

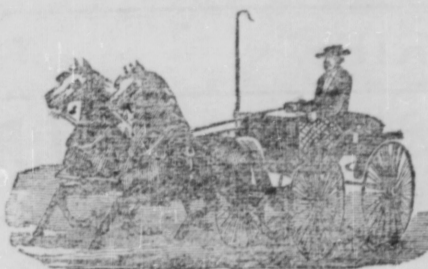
S. G. LAWSON has addressed the public by a S. Circular, wherein he makes statements respecting certain articles of agreement entered into between himself and the Directors of the Protestant Union Publishing Company. These statements are maliciously false. A full statement of the facts will be published at once.

JOHN EVANS, Business Manager.

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Ch'town, June 17, 1886.

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