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Organize.

In view of recent fires, and of the inflammable material of which the town of Souris is built, something should be done by the townspeople to guard against what may happen in the future.

Tunnel Between Ireland and Scotland.

As already intimated by telegraph, a meeting was lately held at Belfast, Ireland, to consider a scheme for constructing a tunnel between Ireland and Scotland.

Our Nickel Wealth.

The building of the Canadian Pacific Railway has led to the discovery in Canada of untold mineral wealth. A considerable part of this wealth is contained in the nickel mines of Sudbury, Ontario.

Mr. Ritchie declares that "by cheap and simple processes even very low grades of magnetic iron ores can be converted into the highest and purest grade of ores which are offered in any of the markets of the country, and they are thus well adapted to the manufacture of the very best quality of steel."

Mr. Ritchie, who is President of the Central Ontario Railway, asks the Government to bonus a Railway from Coe Hill to Sudbury—a distance of about two hundred and six miles—and to guarantee the interest at the rate of three per cent. per annum on a capital stock of five millions of dollars for a period of ten years, for the purpose of erecting and carrying on a large steel plant upon the line of railway for the manufacture of nickel steel from the iron ores along the line of road, and from the nickel ores of the Sudbury district.

It may be said that the natural advantages here should be sufficient inducement for either investors or manufacturers without any Government aid, but you must remember that Canada is without any industry of this kind, and that her facilities and resources are not well understood by people of other countries where these industries are developed on a great scale, and no matter what her advantages are or may be, it would be impossible to induce capital sufficiently large to engage in an enterprise of this kind without some Government backing. If the same opportunities,

even in small degree, existed in the United States, Great Britain, Germany or France, capital in any amount required could at once be had to utilize and develop them.

Notes and Comments.

The Halifax School for the Blind appeals to the sympathy of Charlottetown for assistance in adding a new wing to the asylum, which, with its equipment, is expected to cost \$10,000.

A member of the B. S. fish Bureau gave evidence before the Senate Committee on relations with Canada, which is reported as follows: "My captains and captains of all other vessels going to the British waters to fish, will come into the custom-house to make their returns for the voyage in the British bays, and when asked, 'Have you yourself caught any fish there?' will reply 'No.' When I take one of those captains to task, and ask him simply, 'Captain, where did you catch your fish? Were they caught within the three-mile limit?' he thinks I know, and so does every vessel owner in this town and Gloucester and Portland know, that 99 per cent of all the fish that come from the northern bays are stolen inside of the three mile limit, virtually belonging to Canada."

Accidentally Shot.

JAMES T. CAMPBELL SERIOUSLY INJURED BY THE EXPLODING OF A GUN.

We regret to hear that Mr. James T. Campbell, son of Hugh Campbell, Esq., of North Wiltshire, was accidentally shot at that place on Friday evening last, receiving injuries which may possibly result in the loss of his life. It appears that on that evening a young friend and neighbor of Campbell's named Murray, who had been out shooting during the day, came to Campbell's house with a loaded gun which he wanted some person to discharge. He first asked a younger brother of Campbell's to fire off the gun, but he declined. James was next asked. After putting the ramrod into the barrel and ascertaining that it was well filled with powder he, too, refused, but on Murray's assuring him that it was paper that was in the gun, he put it to his shoulder and pulled the trigger. The report could be heard for a long distance. The gun barrel exploded, and the pieces were sent flying in all directions. Campbell was knocked senseless by the force of the explosion. The thumb of one of his hands was blown off, and the fingers and palm of the hand badly lacerated. His forehead was also cut somewhat and a quantity of the powder lodged in his neck. It is said that there were about twelve fingers of powder in the barrel of the gun when it was discharged. Young Campbell, at latest accounts was in a critical condition. Lockjaw is liable to set in at any time and carry him off. An effort will be made to bring him to the city for treatment.

Honor to Whom Honor.

A PLEASANT AFFAIR AT KENSINGTON.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at Clark's Hotel, Kensington, on the 14th inst. About fifty of the friends of Mr. A. E. Clarke gathered to do him honor before he left for Souris to take charge of the railway station at that place, to which position he has been promoted for his efficiency as an officer and his genial and obliging manner. Among those who were present from a distance were Hon. Senator Montgomery, Hon. William Campbell, M. L. C., William Pound, Esq., Dr. Wall, G. R. McMahon, P. E. I. R., William McNeill Simpson, Esq., John Forrestall, Esq., William Johnstone, Esq., Robert Sutherland, Esq., and several others. All the leading men of Kensington were present. At the appointed hour Senator Montgomery was called upon to preside. Hon. G. W. Bentley occupied the vice-chair. The jolly company sat down to a well-spread table loaded with nearly everything that was good to eat.

After having done ample justice to the "inner man," the chairman called the guests to order, when the following toasts were honored:—

- "The Queen."
"Here's health to the Queen and a lasting peace: To faction an end, to wealth increase." — Old Song.
"The Governor-General."
"Leutenant-Governor."
"Our Guest."

At this stage of the proceedings the chairman read an address, which, together with Mr. Clarke's reply, will appear in THE EXAMINER to-morrow.

The usual toasts were honored and responded to afterwards. The Chairman called on the Secretary of Committee to read letters he had received from invited guests. From these letters of regret at not being able to be present he read extracts from the following:—Monsieur D. J. Gillis, Indian River; Hon. Peter McNutt, M. L. C., Malpeque; R. Hunt, Esq., Chairman of Town Council, Summerside; S. M. Bent, Esq., of Summerside Journal; V. S. Gillis, Esq., Indian River; W. D. McKay, Esq., Charlottetown Woolen Mills; John M. Clarke, Esq., Summerside; Gordon Glover, Esq., Kensington.

The Young Memorial Fund.

It is presumed that many gentlemen in this city who are anxious to show their appreciation of true heroism, are holding back their subscriptions to the Young Memorial Fund until after a beginning has been made. Here it is:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes The Lieut.-Governor (\$100), Lieut.-Col. Irving (100), THE EXAMINER (100).

A larger sum than one dollar is not received; but smaller sums will be taken at THE EXAMINER office, and all forwarded to the treasurer of the fund in St. John.

The Bartelot Scandal.

THE revelations of Stanley and Bonny have made the reigning sensation of the past week. The statements of the latter in a letter to the London Times have shocked the world. Here is a sample:

"In talking with me, Bartelot said: 'John Henry is a dangerous man, and I will shoot him.'"

"I thought he was joking at first, but, finding he was serious, I took the matter up and pointed out to the Major that we were short of men, that this man was useful, and that as he (the major) could not speak a word of the language, we could not spare Henry."

He said: "If I don't shoot him, I will cut his ears off."

"What will people in Europe think of that? Would you like to read the account of this in the papers?"

He said he would not, and then we discussed the question as to what should be done. I pleaded for the man, but after three days' discussion, the Major decided that Henry should have 100 lashes, nothing less.

On the Sunday, when, as was my custom, I was sending for men for the purpose of calling the roll, Bartelot marched Henry out of the guard room and said to me: "I am going to tell Henry to prepare for death, as he is going to be shot."

"Do you mean to shoot him? I thought we had decided not to do so." He replied: "No, I am not going to shoot him, but I want to make him believe that I am."

"Why make him believe that he is to die," I remonstrated, "if you don't intend to shoot him?"

"To this Bartelot made no reply, but calling Henry up, told him in the presence of the whole garrison, to prepare for death at daylight the next morning. Then, under the Soudanese escort, he marched the prisoner back to the guard house."

"The garrison was astonished at the order that the negro was to be shot, and the moment that the major went away the men showed their excitement and astonishment, and came to me to speak on behalf of the man whom they supposed to be condemned. Scores of them crowded about me, all talking at the same time in tones of the greatest excitement."

"I asked them to be quiet and let one of their number speak. A spokesman was selected, and he stated that if Major Bartelot shot John Henry they would all desert. I replied to them that if the man did wrong he must be punished; that it was for the master to say what his punishment should be. I told them it was not their place to interfere, and that they had better leave it to me and go away quietly. They did so."

"I then went and told Major Bartelot what the man had said, and pointed out how foolish it was to make threats which he did not intend to carry out."

"He replied: 'Then by—, I will give him 300 lashes, and nothing will induce me to alter this decision.'"

"On the following morning Henry was marched out and tied to a post. Four big Soudanese, not one of them under six feet in height, were selected to administer the punishment. Each man was to deliver seventy-five lashes. Henry never uttered a sound after the first thirty lashes, as he became insensible to pain."

"This scene was the most horrible I ever saw. Mortification set in, the man's flesh fell off in pieces to the ground, and his body swelled to twice its ordinary size. Within 24 hours Henry died. The circumstances which led up to and culminated in Major Bartelot's death are thus described: "It was on the 18th that Soudi received the fatal kick, and that I saved the major's life when he bit the Maneyama woman, and it was on the night of that same day that he killed the Maneyama—the comrade of Sanga. "This man Bartelot prodded quietly 30 times with his steel-pointed cypress staff, and finished up by beating the man's brains out before the eyes of all in the village. The scene which followed was like that which occurred when he bit the woman, and again I had to fight to save Bartelot's life. It was only by knocking him down myself that the natives held back, for then they thought I meant to punish him. "Major Bartelot's reasons for killing the man as he did were that he believed him to be the native who had shot at him and myself while we were sitting in my house the night before. "I must say that Bartelot was obliged to live in my house, because neither the chief of the village nor any of the natives would give him one of his own to live in, and it is necessary to state that there was no evidence whatever to prove that the man whom Bartelot prodded and killed was really the native who fired the shot. During all the night of the 18th, as the previous night, the firing of guns was going on all over the village as an expression of the hatred in which Bartelot was held, and the only wonder is we were not both killed. This was the condition of affairs on the morning of the 10th, when Bartelot, unable to stop the noise and the beating of drums, issued from the house and was shot. I was myself at the moment going about the village attempting to quell the disturbance, and was not ten yards from the Major when he fell. Though I did not myself actually see Major Bartelot fall, there is no question as to how he died and why. If these statements be true Major Bartelot richly deserved the death that he died. The Montreal Gazette very well remarks that "On the evidence so far submitted Stanley's verdict that Bartelot was shot, and not murdered, will stand."

HE GOT A VERDICT.—In Brooklyn a few days ago, a verdict was rendered for \$5,500 in favor of ex-assembly man, Daniel W. Pallmudge, against the New York World. Pallmudge sued the World for \$7,000 for libel for calling him a corrupt legislator.

Supreme Court.

Nov. 17. The Court is engaged to-day hearing two appeals, viz: The Merchants Bank of Halifax and the Bank of Nova Scotia. The appeals are from a decision of Judge Kelly and relate to the assessment of these Banks by the town of Summerside. Hodgson, Q. C., and Morsom for the Banks; Peters for the town of Summerside.

Personal.

Captain W. H. Barnard, the popular commander of the "Hattie Louise," is at the Hotel Davies. Dr. E. C. Ellis, late with the Hamlin Wizard Oil Company, and now with J. C. Ayer & Co., is among the guests at the Hotel Davies. He is to lecture in the Lyceum some night this week.

Dr. N. E. McKay, of Halifax, arrived in this city Saturday evening. He will leave for home to-morrow morning with Mrs. McKay, who has been spending the past fortnight with her parents here.

A wedding party came over in the St. Lawrence last Tuesday evening. There were Messrs. Albert Steeves and Blair E. Chapman, who were married that morning to two daughters of Mr. Alphens Mitton, of Coverdale, near Moncton. Mr. Chapman is a relative of Mr. S. M. Bick, of this town.—Pioneer.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Nov. 17.—10 a. m. Moderate to fresh winds; fair weather, with a little higher temperature. Pineapples and coconuts received today at Beer & Goffs. Nov 17 21

THE LOW CUT DIAMOND BOOKSTORE. READ THE LIST! (Interrogation and Exclamation, or Question and Answer).

- SCHOOL BOOKS?—Cheapest in Town! Example:—Arnold's Latin Prose Composition? \$1.00!!! Footscap? .8 cents per quire!!! Exercise Books? .3 cents!!! Scribbling Books? .3 cents!!! Blank Books? .25 cents per hundred!!! Note Paper? .3 cents per quire!!! Envelopes? .6 cents per hundred!!! Pretty Boxes of Stationery? .10 cents!!! Catholic Prayer Books? .10 cents!!! Episcopal Prayer Books? .15 cents!!! Testaments? .4 cents!!! Bibles, Psalm Books, etc.? Very Cheap!!! Photograph Albums? .14 cents!!! Autograph Albums? .4 cents!!! Photograph Frames? .5 cents!!! The Poets, nicely bound? .25 cents!!! NOVELS (best authors)? .5 cents!!! Slate Pencils, very strong? .2c. per box!!! Lead Pencils, good quality? .6c. per doz!!! EVERYTHING?—Cheap, Cheaper, Cheapest.

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SILK SEALETTE. SPECIAL VALUE AND LARGE VARIETY. Beer Bros.

Stmr. Carroll. DUE HERE on MONDAY, 24th November, will be despatched without waiting for regular sailing day, probably sailing from here Tuesday evening, the 25th inst., to enable her to make another trip, if possible, before close of navigation. nov17

DIVIDEND NOTICE. Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island, Ch'town, Nov. 17, 1890. NOTICE is hereby given that a Half Yearly Dividend, at the rate of Eight Per Cent. per Annum, on the Capital Stock of this Bank has been declared, payable at its Banking Office on and after December 1st, prox. By order of the Board, WM. McLEAN, Cashier. nov17—6i eod

People's Cemetery Co. At a meeting of the Directors of the above Company, held on the 15th November, instant, Mr. Benjamin Rogers was appointed a Director in the place of Mr. James M. Sutherland, resigned, and the undersigned Director was appointed Secretary-Treasurer. Applications for Burial Plots can be made at my office, Cameron Block, where plan of ground can be seen. R. R. FITZGERALD, Secretary-Treasurer. nov17—pvt 21

K D. C. for the Stomach.

OUR SPECIALTY. Black Dress Goods. Weight, Finish, Fineness and Wear-Resisting Qualities. BEER BROS. OUR SPECIALTY. FUR GOODS! Astrakan Jackets, Capes, Muffs, Caps, Storm Collars, Gauntlets, Fur-Lined Cloaks. BEER BROS. OUR SPECIALTY. Linen Goods! Tablings, Napkins, Tray Cloths. Towels, Towels, Towelings, Glass Cloths—Very Superior Value. BEER BROS. OUR SPECIALTY. BLACK SILKS. UNSURPASSED FOR Elegance and Durability. BEER BROS.

PROMINENT CLERGYMAN, whose name I am at liberty to reveal on application, writes as follows:— Mr. A. J. JOHNSON:— Dear Sir,—For a number of years I have been suffering from indigestion and its consequent troubles. Some months since, however, I was advised to try your "Everybody's Pills," and I am happy to say I am now free from any symptoms of indigestion. I regard "Everybody's Pills" as a thoroughly reliable Family Medicine, mild in their action, and having no unpleasant after-effects so common to such remedies, and I would, with confidence, recommend all who have suffered as I have to try "Everybody's Pills." Yours very cordially, EVERYBODY'S PILLS are sold only in boxes at 25 cents each, and will be sent by mail on receipt of price. Sample free on application. Prepared only by ARTHUR S. JOHNSON, Pharmacist, Corner Kent and Prince Streets, Charlottetown. nov17

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Y. M. L. A. ST. JOSEPH'S BAZAAR. Under the Patronage of Lieut.-Governor Carvell.

St. James' Church. THE SECOND LECTURE of the Sixth Course will be delivered in ST. JAMES' HALL, On Tuesday Evening, Nov. 18, AT EIGHT O'CLOCK, By Rev. W. P. Archibald, M. A., B. D. SUBJECT, "JOHN BRIGHT." Admission, 15 cents. 3i—nov15

LYCEUM, CHARLOTTETOWN. THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 20th. Boston Comedy Company, H. PRICE WEBBER, Manager, Supporting the Favorite Actress, EDWINA GREY, Will Appear as Above. OPENING BILL: Leah, the Forsaken. Admission, 25 cents. Reserved Seats, 35 cents. Tickets for sale at the usual places. Doors open at 7.15. Overture at 8 o'clock. nov14

PICKFORD & BLACK'S WEST INDIA Steamship Lines. Halifax to Demerara via Intermediate Ports. IT IS INTENDED TO SAIL THE S. S. LOANDA, KERR, MASTER, On Thursday, 11th December, 1890, FOR DEMERARA, calling at Bermuda, St. Thomas, St. Kitts, Antigua, Guadalupe, Martinique, St. Lucia, Barbados, Trinidad—returning via the same ports and St. John, N. B. The steamer has splendid accommodation for first-class passengers. Tickets will be issued at low rates. Freight and Passengers solicited. nov15 W. W. CLARKE, Agent, Charlottetown.

New Tannery. LONG BROS., Tanners and Curriers, Hides, Calfskins, Sheepskins, Horse Hides, Tail-Hair, etc. Market Rates paid for Hides, etc. MALPEQUE ROAD, Opposite Ch'town Woolen Mills. oct6—3m eod