

THE DAILY EXAMINER

JANUARY 16, 1900.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Lord Kitchener is reported to have said that the progress of the war will be slow but sure.

—We hold over a quantity of editorial matter to make room for a number of very interesting letters from South Africa.

—The Moncton Times remarks as a healthy sign of the times is the activity in Conservative organization in Quebec province. Whatever is done in the bye-elections there is no doubt that when the general appeal to the people comes it will find the Conservatives prepared to make a stiff fight all over the country.

—Paul Kruger is a "cute." He has the Free Staters placed in the forefront of the battle that they, instead of the Transvaalers, may bear the brunt of his conflict. Then he cheers up the Transvaal forces by minimizing the losses. On Christmas day Transvaal women sent messages to husbands and sons who had been dead for weeks.

—General Gourko recently left Marseilles for South Africa on the steamer Natal. "I am not going out alone," asserted the General. "I am accompanied by several officers who will rejoin me at Port Said, where, I may inform you, 30 members of the Russian Red Cross Society will embark on the Natal. You may take my word that there are thousands of Russians now fighting under General Joubert."

—The feeling of the British people in South Africa is expressed by the Cape Times, which says the English ask for no supremacy as apart from the Dutch. What we do insist upon is the supremacy of the British Crown securing equal right to English and Dutch, and to all civilized men who cast in their lot with the English and Dutch of South Africa. On the other hand the claim is for a Boer domination under which the rights of civilized men are trampled under foot.

—It is deplorable to find that Sir William Meredith's observation that Canada ought to pay for the contingents has hurt the feelings of Mr. Tarte. That amiable Minister of the Crown intimates that the Chief Justice has dabbled in politics to help the cause of Sir Charles Tupper. We fear that Mr. Tarte is scarcely responsible for his utterances. If Sir William's remark helps anybody it helps Sir Wilfrid to do the right thing. It is a question upon which there ought to be no party division.

Premier McDonald of Manitoba has begun his career as Premier with a practical reformation. He found the province with five salaried ministers and has reduced the number to three. He himself takes, in addition to the duties of premiership and the railway commissionership, those of the Attorney-General lately performed by Mr. Cameron. Mr. Davidson takes Mr. Greenway's portfolio of agriculture together with that of provincial secretary, lately held by Mr. McMillan. The departments held by Mr. Watson and Mr. Mickle are both assigned to Mr. McFadden.

SUPREME COURT.

TUESDAY, Jan. 16.

The Queen vs. John McKenna and John McGillivray, indicted for the larceny of twenty-two sheep the property of Norman McLeod. This case began today before the Chief Justice and a jury. Attorney-General McKinnon for the Crown; Mr. J. T. Mellish for McGillivray. In the case of George Kaye, indicted for assault occasioning actual bodily harm, the jury last evening returned a verdict of guilty.

PERSONAL

Miss May Dorsey, of this city, has been appointed principal of Orwell Cove School.

WAR NOTES.

Treason trials are proceeding at Cape Town.

The Boers, according to a Kaffir runner, have absolutely no flour or bread of any sort. They live entirely on meat.

The embargo at Delagoa Bay upon Transvaal imports is the question of the hour with the burghers. If this be not removed, it is asserted that steps will be taken prejudicial to prisoners and aliens.

Reports from Colesburg represent the position there as favorable to the Burgers, but that the British are concentrating for operations on a large scale.

Portfolios found by the Boers after General Yule's retreat from Dundee are said to contain sketch maps of the routes for an invasion of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State from Natal, one of them signed by General Buller.

Many of the wives of the Transvaal police, whose breadwinners are away at the front, have been looting all the Chinamen's stores in their neighborhood in order to get their daily bread.

The Boers, after looting at Weenen, a few miles due east of Frere Camp, saturated the grass and pools in the vicinity with arsenical poison, and 100 sheep and cattle have in consequence died.

General Wauchop, who was killed at Magerfontein at the head of the Highlanders, is said to have had a permonition of his fate. The Edinburgh Despatch states that when he was saying "good-bye" to some of his most intimate friends on his departure for the seat of war he let slip the remark that he did not expect to come back again.

Archbishop Gauthier of Kingston subscribed \$25 to the King's patriotic fund for her battymen of the second contingent, and gave the men his blessing. La Semaine Religieuse does not count much against that sort of thing.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH.—The annual meeting of St. James' Church was held last evening. Reports submitted from all branches showed that much valuable work had been done, and that a large measure of success had crowned the work of the church. Touching reference was made in the reports of Session and Trustees to the absence of Rev. Mr. Fullerton. The Session expressed their high appreciation of the loyalty of the congregation to their absent pastor, and deep gratification that the confidence of the whole community as well as of the Government and the church at large in Mr. Fullerton had been so abundantly justified by the letters from the front. The amounts which passed through the hands of the different departments reached a total of nearly \$5,500. Hearty votes of thanks were given to the choir and to the junior organizations whose work had been so successful. Mr. John Macpherson occupied the chair and though his admirable management one of the most harmonious and successful meetings in the history of the congregation was brought to a close at an unusually early hour.

A SKATING ITEM.—Mr. Arthur Gaudet has received today a pair of the McCulloch Racing Skates from Winnipeg. They are on view in A. W. Reddin's window. This is considered the best racing skate in the world, and this pair is the first on the Island. Mr. Gaudet is sole agent for the skate here. It is to be hoped that a few records will be lowered.

DIED.

At Mill View, Jan. 6th, after a lingering illness, Catherine, daughter of Edward Graat, in her 27th year. May her soul rest in peace.

(Other papers please copy.)

A NEGLECTED COLD is very dangerous, and the further it goes the faster it goes. Adamson's Botanic Balm will cure a "young" cough. An older one requires more Balm to stop it—but no cough is too old for it to cure. 25 cts. at all druggists.

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Toronto, Jan. 16.—It is interesting to note that this city, the headquarters of Dodd's Kidney Pills in Canada, and the place where they were first discovered, keeps well in the front as regards the number of those cured in the towns and cities of Ontario. As Dodd's Kidney Pills have since made friends all over the civilized world, this fact is of wide and significant interest, showing that Dodd's Kidney Pills retain their hold on public esteem purely on their tried merits.

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LOCAL NOTICES.

Band in the rink tonight, ice in perfect condition. Enjoy life a little by having a skate tonight. Skating 25c; promenade 10c. Over 500 there last Thursday night make it 600 tonight.

See the big bargains in men's underwear \$1.50 suit for \$1.00.—J. B. Macdonald & Co.

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Burns' Anniversary Celebration

Opera House

THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 25

- PROGRAMME.
- Overture—Scotland Forever Orchestra.
 - Solo—A Hundred Pipes Prof. Caven.
 - Quartet—Robin Adair Male Voices.
 - Solo—Cam' ye by Athol Miss Florence Earle.
 - Clarinet solo—Comin' Thro' the Rye Prof. Watts.
 - Recitation—Scotch Miss Flo McKenzie.
 - Solo—Auld Robin Gray Mrs. Watts.
 - Duet—Selected Miss Amy Earle and Mr. Chas Earle.
 - Highland scene and dance, under the direction of Miss H. C. Macdonald, by Scotch lads and lassies.
- PART II.
- Medley—Bonnie Laddie Orchestra.
 - Solo—T. A. McLean. Old Scotch songs Miss Collins.
 - Solo—Scotch Robert Lamont.
 - Recitation T. A. McLean.
 - Quartet—Annie Laurie Ladies' Voices.
 - Solo Mr. Chas Earle.
 - Violin Solo Prof. Vinnicombe.
 - Solo—Burns and Scotland yet Mr. Frank Stanley.
 - Selection Orchestra.
 - Solo—Absent-minded Beggar Miss Florence Earle.
 - God Save the Queen Pianists—Prof. Earle, Watts and Mr. Blanchard.
 - Leader of Orchestra—Prof Vinnicombe, Piper—Mr. Peter Ferguson.
- Tickets and plan at Dodd's and Rankin's drugstores on Monday, the 22nd inst., at 10 o'clock, a.m.
Reserved seats 35c; unreserved 25c.
Doors open at 7.30, concert at 8 o'clock sharp.
J. A. MACDONALD, Secretary.

HOCKEY

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 16th

PROGRAMME.

- Piano Duett..... Misses Carroll
 - Vocal Solo..... Mrs W J O'Reilly
 - Violin Solo..... Miss Masey Cuddy
 - Song—Selected..... Master V Anderson
 - Cornet Solo..... Mr. W J Brown
 - Dance..... Miss Isabel McDonald
 - Vocal Solo..... Miss Sarah Trainor
 - Banjo and Mandolin—Selected..... Misses Murphy
 - Song—Selected..... Mr. Brent McInnis
 - Piano Solo..... Miss Bertie Brown
 - Song—Selected..... Mr. Austin Trainor
 - Recitation..... Miss Bessie Burke
 - Song—Selected..... Mr. Stanley
 - Vocal Duett..... Miss Nellie Robin..... and Mr. George Hennessy
 - Song..... Mr. E. H. Mitchell
 - Piano and Banjo Selections..... Messrs Payne Bros
- GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Liberal Conservative Conference of Prince Edward Island is to be held on 23rd inst at the Lyceum Charlottetown. Accredited Delegates from the Riding of Kings are expected to be present, and the Presidents of the local electoral Districts will favor by seeing that Districts are represented at the Conference by local Delegates. D. GORDON, Convener for Riding of Kings. Geo'town Jan 16th 1900. dy & wkly.

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