

The Daily Examiner

DECEMBER 1, 1885.

Significant.

The Hon. Edward Blake, while in Edinburgh, attended a banquet in honor of the Earl of Rosebery, at which Mr. Gladstone, Mr. Goschen and other Liberal luminaries were present; and on the occasion he delivered a very creditable post-prandial speech.

The Scotch nation has always borne a part conspicuous far beyond its numbers in the development and the organization of the Empire beyond the seas. (Cheers.) In the country from which I come, in the Dominion of Canada, your countrymen in every walk of life, in the professions, in agriculture, in commerce, and in the political arena, play a part—a great part—in the development of affairs enormously disproportionate to their numbers.

And he added the following significant words:—

"Parties may rise and fall, political views and causes may fall or triumph, the tide of popular favor may ebb or it may flow, but to one thing we are constant ever—we keep a Scotsman at the helm (Laughter and cheers.) Mowat succeeds Macdonald, and Macdonald succeeds Mackenzie (laughter)—and, indeed, some of the baser sort have invented the calumny that you have sent across the broad Atlantic the traditions of the land at home, and that we imitate on the other side of the water the conduct of those '45 lairds, who, in the time of trouble, went out on one side themselves, and sent out the son and heir on the other, so that whoever's head rolled on the scaffold there should always be a certainty of the estate being preserved. (Laughter and cheers.)"

Mr. Blake has certainly abandoned the hope of ever becoming Prime Minister of Canada!

Some Results of the Riel Agitation

HON. MR. JOLY has resigned his seat in the Quebec Legislature. We presume that his resignation is due to disgust with the ridiculous conduct of his followers concerning the execution of Riel; for one of the French-Canadian papers says:—

"The Orangemen rejoice at the position taken by Hon. H. G. Joly; he is blowing their bellows; he has denounced to the other provinces the grandest movement that has taken place since 1837. He has given his hand to Sir John Macdonald, to the Toronto Mail, who propose to reconquer lower Canada by arms and enslave the Roman Catholic element."

The Ottawa correspondent of the St. John Sun says:—

"Mr. Joly, formerly leader of the Quebec Rouges, has resigned his seat in the local legislature of that province, on the ground of disapproval of the course pursued by his political confederates in the Riel matter. Mr. Joly is strongly of the opinion that Riel deserved his fate. Throughout Ontario the feeling is strong that the Riel, in approving of the agitation in favor of Riel, got up by the Quebec Rouges, have lost all chance of success in Ontario. Close calculators consider that in the event of a general election not twenty-five opponents of the Government would be returned to parliament. Edgar, by associating the Ontario Riel with the Quebec Rouges, and the Globe by its expressions of sympathy for those who attack Sir John as a murderer and demand his head, politically, have altogether utterly destroyed the chances of the opposition in Ontario. Each day is rendering this fact more evident. Equally before the law of all, without distinction of race or creed, is the keynote of the sentiments of Ontario. Good authorities state that Mr. Blake could not be elected for his present constituency, because of the position his political friends have placed him in."

—We have not been disposed to find any fault with those subscribers who decline to take THE EXAMINER during the prevalence of the epidemic, or with those who burn it on its arrival, and so deprive themselves of one of the pleasures of life; for it is better to err on the side of over-carefulness than on the side of carelessness. But the postmistress who, according to our correspondent, destroyed papers which were not her own, did that which was both wrong and unnecessary. THE EXAMINER office has been four times thoroughly fumigated, and each issue of THE EXAMINER is carefully disinfected with a solution of carbolic acid. We have taken every precaution against the epidemic suggested by the Health Officer, and feel confident that no one getting THE EXAMINER direct from this office can take the infection from it. If we had any doubt about the matter, no paper should issue from this office until the danger is past.

—The Montreal Gazette suggests that a feature of the British volunteer force that might be worthily adopted in Canada and other colonies is the naval corps that are being formed at almost all the principal seaports. Those organizations are to be specially trained for the defence of harbors and river mouths, torpedo drill and the management of submarine engineering works being the chief subjects of instruction, together with the management of heavy guns. Many of the English ports are all but undefended, and, in the event of war, it would be a too easy task for an enemy's fleet, once it got past the British squadrons, as it might quite possibly do, to cause serious damage to the shipping that would be gathered in them. In such a case the new corps would play an important part, either as auxiliaries to

the regular forces or independently, as the circumstances might require.

—The reduction in the dividend of the Bank of Commerce, the second largest financial institution in Canada, has come somewhat as a surprise. It may be taken, however, says the Gazette, to represent the difficulty experienced by all lenders to employ their capital so as to produce the old-time profits. When writing upon the situation of the stock market some two weeks ago, we said:—"The banks have not increased their profits this year, not because of losses sustained, but of the difficulty of employing all their available capital and the low rates of interest prevailing in Canada, and in New York and London where surplus moneys are loaned." The rate of discount is lower to-day in Canada than ever before, the competition between lenders keener, the supply of capital larger; and until an active demand for funds arises, it cannot be expected that bank profits will augment.

—The Bishop of Arichat, like Father Dowd, takes the view that the agitation now being stirred up in connection with the execution of Louis Riel is uncalled for and mischievous. He recognizes that the sentence of the Regina Court was a just one, and has been rightly carried out, that Riel richly deserved the punishment that has been meted out to him.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Two Zealous Women.

SIR.—Last week Mr. Howie arrived in Kuroos to deliver a course of three lectures here, according to an appointment which had been made with the "Educational Society," but in consequence of the disturbed state of the Island it was thought inexpedient to go on with the meetings which would have attracted crowds from various parts of the neighborhood. Hence, Mr. Howie decided to return to Summerside by way of Mount Stewart, to avoid contact with Charlottetown. Mr. Howie had the smallpox when in the East; but still he thought it necessary to be careful for the sake of his friends about Summerside. He drove to Pease's Station—his guide missed the train, whereupon he sought leave to wait at a boarding house near the Station to wait for the next opportunity, but the mistress positively refused to entertain the idea in case of infection.

Mr. Howie explained where he had been and where he was going, and felt sure that he had not been near any of the suspected places, but to no purpose. The lady kept within her rights, and kept the lecturer without the house. We are not sure, however, whether we can acquit so easily the other lady in the Uigg district, who triumphed over the fact that whenever she saw THE EXAMINER in the mail she burned it, because she believed that the Editor had taken the smallpox. We ask: did the Editor take the smallpox? And if he did, did he handle or ever see the paper or papers which she destroyed? Now, if the journals which she burned were her own, then she was as much in the right as Mr. Howie's hostess; but, if the papers did not belong to her, then we characterize this act as a wanton destruction of other people's property. We hold that it is the sacred duty of all to be careful and cautious, but of none to be either rude or unreasonable.

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The British Elections.

A LIBERAL PARTY ABANDONED—THE CONSERVATIVES AND PARNELLITES.

The New York Herald's London cable, Nov. 29, says. The hopes of the Liberal and Conservative alike lie in the Highlands of Wales and Scotland for the next week, when fighting will be resumed. The result thus far demonstrates that the masses of the English nation are profoundly attached to their great traditions, that they love, show, and are not easily moved to break up with the past; also, that they have a deep-rooted disgust for revolutionary politics, and finally, that the Conservatives are better politicians in tactics, discipline and organization than are the Liberals. The prospect to-day seems to be that the Liberals will have a weak, unstable majority, or that the Tory Government will be handicapped by the caprices of Mr. Parnell. The slaughter of the week was the greatest among party officers. Sir Henry Drummond Wolff fell at Portsmouth. Two officers of the late ministry, besides an ex-chancellor of the exchequer, an ex-postmaster general and the husband of the Princess Louise lie in the Liberal cemetery. Such brave privates as Jacob Bright and Pensive Pimoli lie prostrated. Demagogue alics like Lyulph, Stanley, Bottomley, Firth and "Porcupine" Ayrton are killed or are severely wounded, like Thorold Rogers, whose majority was 83, and Dilke, who is likely to lose his seat for improper practices at the polls.

The Times London despatch says that several things in regard to the election seem to be settled to-day, which were uncertain yesterday. First, the Liberals have abandoned the hope of attaining a majority; second, most Liberals who will sit in the next parliament will be moderates and Lord Hartington will be their leader, not Mr. Chamberlain; third, Tories will not have a majority over all and Mr. Parnell will hold the balance of power. It is extremely improbable that anything will happen to change these features of the outlook.

UPON inspection I have found satisfactory proof of freedom from infection with regard to all things contained therein.

A DETROIT physician asserts that 49 out of every 50 men who get into a barber's chair, on a raw day, to have their hair cut or trimmed, will have a cold or sore throat within 24 hours. He recommends hair-cutting only twice a year—in May and September—and then it should be done on a warm day.

Horseshoe Acid Phosphate.

Dr. J. C. Wilson, Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have used it as a general tonic, and in particular in the debility and dyspepsia of overworked men, with satisfactory results."

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

The British Elections.

LONDON, Nov. 30. The Times says Mr. Gladstone's Middlebury progress has been a failure. He returns to the house as Leader of the Opposition, but that position may set as the brightest jewel in his crown of fame if he shows himself a patriot and not partisan in his management of the difficult Irish question. The Standard to-day estimates that the Conservatives will have a majority of 20 over the Liberals.

In Castle-on-Tyne, J. Cowen, Liberal, and John Morley, Radical, were elected. The Pall Mall Gazette, in an analysis of the voting up to close of Saturday, makes the Conservative gains 89, and Liberal gains 43, and estimates the total vote cast as follows: Liberal.....1,042,203 Conservatives.....990,210

The Servian War.

PHILIPPOPOLIS, Nov. 30. Some agitation has been caused here by Russian agents, saying that Russia is only opposing the union of Rumania and Bulgaria, owing England's aid with the Bulgarians. It is feared the arrival of the Russian Consul will intensify the excitement.

BELOGRADE, Nov. 30. General Lishajres continues to bombard Widdien. It is expected severe fighting will be resumed in a day or two in disregard of the armistice, as Prince Alexander demands the possession of Zatchar and Piroz as a guarantee of payment of an indemnity by Servia.

The Servian Ministry has resigned. Col. Herbatovitch, Servian Minister at St. Petersburg, has arrived here to take command of the forces, and reserves are going to the front.

The Pigott Murder Case.

TORONTO, Nov. 30. After a trial, lasting 6 days, at St. Thomas, the Marshal Pigott murder case was given to the jury at six o'clock to-night, and after two hours deliberation, they reported they could not possibly agree and were discharged.

A Criminal's Escape.

MONCTON, Nov. 30. Jack White, serving a term in Dorchester jail for disturbing a Salvation Army meeting in Moncton, escaped one day last week and has not been re-captured.

A Fatal Accident.

MONCTON, Nov. 30. An eight-year old son of Howard Wheaton, near Petticoast, met with a fatal accident while coasting on Saturday.

The Marshall Islands.

BEVLIN, Nov. 30. The Marshall Islands have been formally annexed to Germany.

Lady Macdonald at Fredericton.

FREDERICTON, Nov. 30. Lady Macdonald, in the C. P. R. special car arrived here from St. John to-day.

News From the Capital.

OTTAWA, Nov. 30.

Deputy Minister Burbridge arrived from England last night. Tenders will shortly be called for in connection with the contemplated enlargement of the Welland Canal.

The Government have issued a circular requiring all the Civil Service employees to get vaccinated.

The steamer Polynesian, with Sir John on board, arrived at Morville this morning. Sir John, it is understood, will reach London to-morrow night.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Dec. 1—10 a. m.

Moderate to fresh winds, mostly north and east; fair, cold weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE

Charlottetown, Dec. 1, 1885

Highest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....32.9

Lowest Temperature yesterday, (read at midnight).....21.1

Lowest Temperature this morning.....20.6

Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock.....28.6

Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock.....29.3

Health Office, City of Charlottetown, 30th November, 1885

THIS certifies that the Tailoring Department of the LONDON HOUSE in this city, has recently been thoroughly disinfected in accordance with my directions; also, lime-washed, painted and cleaned.

UPON inspection I have found satisfactory proof of freedom from infection with regard to all things contained therein.

RICHARD JOHNSON, M. D., Health Officer, Dec. 1, 1885.

HORSES WANTED.

WANTED, on FRIDAY next, Twenty HORSES, weighing from 1,000 to 1,500 lbs; ages from 5 to 12 years.

W. S. McKIE, Upper Hillsborough Street, Ch'town, Dec. 1—31

BRITISH WAREHOUSE, 83 QUEEN STREET.

FALL AND WINTER STOCK, NOW COMPLETE IN EVERY DEPARTMENT. UNSURPASSED FOR VALUE!

A. L. BROWN. Ch'town, Nov. 19.—wky.

NEW FALL GOODS. J. B. MACDONALD

READY-MADE CLOTHING DEPARTMENT, (BIG STOCK) J. B. MACDONALD'S, Queen Street.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RAILWAY. 1885-6. Winter Arrangement. 1885-6.

TRAINS DEPART.—FOR THE WEST. STATIONS, No. 1, No. 3.

TRAINS ARRIVE.—FROM THE WEST. STATIONS, No. 2, No. 4.

TRAINS DEPART.—FOR THE EAST. STATIONS, No. 5, No. 7.

TRAINS ARRIVE.—FROM THE EAST. STATIONS, No. 6, No. 8.

JAMES COLEMAN, Superintendent. Railway Office, Charlottetown, Nov. 25, 1885—wky prs 6i

CHARLOTTETOWN SASH AND DOOR FACTORY! Peake's No. 3 Wharf, R. PALMER & CO., PROPRIETORS.

DIVIDEND. THE MERCHANTS' BANK OF P. E. I., Charlottetown, Nov. 26, 1885.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. C. P. FLETCHER has just received his Winter Stock of SMALL INSTRUMENTS, etc.

APPLES, FISH, & C. IN STORE—350 barrels Choice Winter-keeping APPLES, 200 do No. 1 HERRING, 600 boxes Digby do.

NOTICE. ALL persons willing to be employed as Nurses, in cases of smallpox, are requested to put themselves in communication with the Health Officer at once.

NOTICE. A. L. BRIDGES & CO. Auctioneer. Health Office at Market House, Nov. 17, '85.

CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES I

Novelties for the Boys, Novelties for the Girls, SELLING CHEAP AT

MRS. B. CONNOLLY'S (Tim O'Connell's Corn r)

Also—Room Paper, Groceries and Cookeryware cheaper than can be had anywhere else

Call and Inspect. Remember the place: Corner of King and Queen Streets, Dec 1st, 1885.

APPLES. BY Auction, at my Sale-room, THURSDAY, 3rd inst., at 11 o'clock: 60 barrels Winter-keeping APPLE, in Baldwins, Pippins, Greenings, &c

APPLES. AT Auction Room, WEDNESDAY, 2nd December, at 11 a. m., 100 barrels, in Baldwins, Pippins, Tompkins and others.

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY. A SPECIAL PASSENGER TRAIN will leave Charlottetown at 6:10 a. m., daily (Sundays excepted) for Summerside, until close of navigation at that port; returning every evening on arrival of steamer from Point du Chene.

NOTICE. Owing to other engagements, we have decided to temporarily dispose of our retail trade in the City Market to Mr. E. Waller. We thank our friends for past patronage and solicit a continuance of same on resuming. We will continue to retail at our place of business, Hill Street.

NOTICE. I respectfully beg to return my sincere thanks to the public generally for their very kind patronage extended to me since I commenced business as Pork & Sausage Manufacturer, &c., &c., and in addition to the above beg to state that on and from THURSDAY next I shall be found at the stall of A. L. Bridges & Co., where, in addition to my former business, I propose to add fresh and cured Beef, Mutton, &c., &c., and beg to ask for a share of the public patronage so liberally bestowed upon my predecessors, Messrs. A. L. Bridges & Co.

Notice to the Public. WE have now completed our Fall Importations, consisting of a large and carefully selected stock of English, Scotch, American and Canadian Macaroni, fully supplying every department, which will be disposed of at specially low prices, for Cash or its equivalent.

FREE VACCINATION. PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Nov. 24th, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that DR. CONROY will be in attendance at the Government Vaccination office, corner of Great George and Water Streets (formerly Longworth & Haslam's office) every day from 10 o'clock a. m. till 1 o'clock p. m., and from 7 o'clock p. m. to 9 o'clock p. m., when all persons presenting themselves will be vaccinated wholly free of charge.

WANTED—600 Geese and Turkeys; also 900 small carcases Pork—Wheatley Bros., corner Great George and Queen Streets, Nov. 30th wky 11

WANTED—A competent Workman to take charge of the woodwork in a carriage factory. Apply to Younker & O'Leary, nos 4

FOR SALE—A balance of 15 barrels of Cement, to clear, at \$3 25; general price \$4. Apply at this office. Oct 19th

BOARDERS—Two or three gentlemen or ladies Boarders may find comfortable accommodation by applying to Mrs. William Kennedy, Brick House, Hillsborough Park, Oct 19th

NO LET—The large brick Store on Queen Street next to J. D. Macdonald. Possession given first of May. Apply to A. White, 297—2nd pat