

The Poet Laureate's Last.

The following is Mr. Tenyson's last poem. It is entitled "De Profundis," and is published in the Nineteenth Century for May:—

DE PROFUNDIS.

Out of the deep, my child, out of the deep; Where all that was to be in all that was, Whirled for a million aeons thro' the vast Waste dawn of multitudinous eddying light.

Out of the deep, my child, out of the deep. Thro' all this changing world of changeless law.

And every phase of ever heightening life, And nine long months of auto-natal gloom, With this last moon, this crescent, her dark orb,

Touched with earth's light, thou comest, darling boy; Our own, a babe in lineament and limb; Perfect, and prophet of the perfect man, Whose face and form are hers and mine in one, Indissolubly married like our love.

Live and be happy in thyself and serve This mortal race, thy kin, so well that men May bless thee, as we bless thee, O young life, Breaking with laughter from the dark, and may

The fated channel where thy motion lives, Be prosperously shaped and sway thy course Along the years of haste and random youth Unshattered, then full current thro' full man. And last, in kindly curves, with gentle fall, By quiet fields, a slowly dying power, To that last deep where we and thou art still.

Blacksmith's Hammer Signals.

When the blacksmith gives the anvil quick light blows it is a signal to the helper to use the sledge, or to strike quicker.

The force of the blows given by the blacksmith's hammer indicates the force of the blow it is required to give the sledge.

The blacksmith's helper is supposed to strike the work in the middle of the width of the anvil, and when this requires to be varied the blacksmith indicates the same to the helper by touching the required spot with his hand hammer.

If the sledge is required to have a lateral motion while descending, the blacksmith indicates the same to the helper by delivering hand hammer blows in which the hand hammer moves in the direction required by the sledge.

If the blacksmith delivers a heavy blow upon the work and an immediate light blow upon the anvil, it denotes that heavy sledge blows are required.

If there are two or more helpers the blacksmith strikes a blow between each helper's sledge hammer blow, the object being to mutually denote where the sledge blows are to fall.

When the blacksmith desires the sledge blows to cease, he lets the hand hammer fall upon the anvil and continue its rebound upon the same until it ceases.

Thus the movements of the hand hammer constitute signals to the helper, and what appears desultory blows to the common observer, constitute the method of communication between the blacksmith and his helper.

Latest News Notes.

A new Ocean S.S. Company is in contemplation.

Several severe eruptions of Mount Hekla, Iceland, have taken place.

The sheep disease has been stamped out in the West and south of England.

Prince Albert Edward will enter a military school, after his next cruise.

Prussia is determined to deprive Hamburg of its privileges as a free port.

There is some prospect of a cable being laid between Bermuda and Halifax.

Serious strikes are prevalent in iron-works and cotton mills in the North of England.

A reign of anarchy is predicted for Turkey, whose Government is losing all power.

H. R. H. Princes George, on of the Prince of Wales, will adopt the naval service as his profession.

Scotland Yard detectives report that London is harboring a number of Russian Nihilists.

By the fall of a stand at some races in the South of France, over one hundred people were injured.

The Dublin Freeman's Journal declares Parnell's land scheme to be impracticable, save by a revolution.

The propositions concerning the raising of troops in Canada have been pigeon-holed by the Liberal Government.

General Wolsley will remain at Capetown till the return of the ex-Empress Eugenie, when he will escort her to England.

The award to Americans for the Fortune Bay difficulties will be persistently contested by the Gladstone Administration.

The Russian aristocracy is opposed to the Czar's liberality towards the Poles and Jews. The Czar, however, is determined to persist in his purpose.

Charlottetown Church Directory.

St. PAUL'S (CHURCH OF ENGLAND).—Queen Square—Morning and Evening Service every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 2 1/2 p. m. Rev. David FitzGerald, Rector; Rev. Alfred Osborne Curate.

St. PETER'S (CHURCH OF ENGLAND).—Rochford Square.—Sunday Services—8 a. m., 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Daily Services—Matins—9 a. m. Evensong—5 p. m., except Friday evenings, at 7.30 p. m. Rev. George W. Hodgson, Priest Incumbent, Rev. R. D. Bambrick Assistant Curate.

St. DUNSTON'S CATHEDRAL.—Low Mass every Sunday at 8 a. m. High Mass at 10 a. m.; Vespers at 3 p. m. Mass at 7.30 a. m. throughout the week. Rev. A. McGilvray, Rev. Dr. Chaisson, Pastors.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—Prince Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Week Day Services—Tuesday and Thursdays at 7.30 p. m. Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, A. M., Pastor.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH—Prince Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Week day service on Wednesday evening. Rev. Geo. M. Campbell, Pastor.

St. JAMES' CHURCH (PRESBYTERIAN)—Powell Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6 1/2 p. m. Sabbath School and young men's Bible class, conducted by Mr. Harper, at 2.30 p. m. Weekly Service in the Lecture Hall on Wednesday evenings, at 7.45 p. m., Rev. Kenneth McLennan, Pastor.

ZION CHURCH (PRESBYTERIAN)—Richmond Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6 1/2 p. m. Sunday School at 2 1/2 p. m. Rev. John McL. MeLeod, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Prince Street.—Rev. Dr. Murray, Pastor.—Hours of Service, 11 o'clock, a. m., 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2.30 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH—cor. Prince and Fitzroy sts.—Services and Sermon every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 6.30 o'clock p. m.; Sunday School at 2.30 p. m. Week day services—Monday at 7.30 p. m.; and Friday at 8 p. m. Rev. H. Foshay, Minister.

BIBLE CHRISTIANS—Prince Street.—Service and Sermon every Sunday morning at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. Rev. John Harris, Minister.

PRAYER MEETING in Y. M. C. A. every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST meet in New Church House, every Sunday at 10.30 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. Elders presiding.

We have received "Rose Belford's Canadian Monthly and National Review" for May. It is a very good number; contents as follows:

Imperial Federation and Canadian Defences—By Lieut. Col. S. M. Jarvis, Q. O. R., Toronto.

Sonnets—By Charles W. Ritchie, Montreal.

Modern Controversy—By Mrs. C. R. Corson, Ithaca, N. Y.

Sunshine and Shadow—A Poem.

Whose Wife was She!—By Saxe Holm. (Concluded.)

Recent Notes by Mr. Ruskin—By Mrs. Francis Rye, Barrie.

An Appeal to May—A Poem from "Apple Blossoms."

Spectators—By "Aberconway," Chatham.

Down South in a Sail-boat. Part II.—By Robert Tyson, Toronto.

Sans L'Espoir—A Poem.

Notes on Surnames—By Joseph Bawden, Kingston.

Archibald Forbes and his Canadian Experience—By Geo. W. Field, Elora.

Returned from Sea—A Poem—By C. P. Mulgany, Toronto.

The late Judge Marshall, of Halifax—By J. G. Bourinot, B. A., Ottawa.

Canada's Difficulties—By Roswell Fisher, B. A., Montreal.

Ripe Grain—A Poem—Selected.

One Day in Seven—By David K. Brown, Toronto (concluded.)

The Law Students' Grievances—By T. A. Gorham, Toronto.

Luther's Hymn—By W. G., Toronto.

Colonial Self-Government—By W. J. Rattray, B. A., Toronto.

To H. R. H. the Princess Louise.

The Canadian Academy Exhibition.

Book Reviews—Memoirs of Madame de Remusat—The Scott in British North America—Lands of Plenty in the North-West—Lord Macaulay.

Music in the Drama.

The "Monthly's" Scrap Book.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

SUNDAY.....MAY 9, 1880

SUN RISES.....4.39 | HIGH WATER 10.54 pm

SUN SETS.....7.13 | FULL MOON 24, 2.26. 2m

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, May 8.

Moderate to fresh winds, clear to partly cloudy, warmer weather.

Remedy for Hard Times.

Stop spending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style. Buy good, healthy food, cheaper and better clothing; get more real and substantial things of life every way, and especially stop the foolish habit of running after expensive and quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug medicine that does you only harm, and makes the proprietors rich, but put your trust in the greatest of all simple pure remedies, Hop Bitters that cures always at a trifling cost, and you will see better times and good health. Try it once. Read of it in another column.

BONE DUST.

FARMERS and GARDNERS requiring the above valuable fertilizer should send their orders in at once, as but a limited quantity will be ground this season—and it is now selling fast—\$2 per 100 pounds. FRED. W. HYNDMAN. April 7, '80—3aw, wkly, pat 2i

83. QUEEN STREET, Opposite Bell Tower. NEW French, English, Canadian AND AMERICAN GOODS, Per "Northern Light."

GREAT PART of our Spring Stock has just come to hand per "Northern Light." We congratulate our customers on being able to place before them, perhaps, the CHEAPEST stock of GENERAL DRY GOODS ever presented in this Province. We have exercised all the care and taste we could command in the selection of this Stock, which we were fortunate enough to secure just as the various markets reached the lowest point. We open to-day nearly 200 PIECES DRESS MATERIALS, chiefly Cashmeres, Merinos, Lustres and Cords; Black and Colored Lustres a specialty; Black Cashmeres and Crapes VERY CHEAP.

Our Stock of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S STRAW HATS is replete with the latest novelties in Style and Color; Silks, Satins, Feathers and Flowers, and every requisite to be found in a good Millinery Establishment. We have great satisfaction in having a stock of Flowers such as is seldom seen, and which for Quality, Style and Price cannot fail to please. We have also added to our already good Stock of Carpets, LACE CURTAINS, NEW EMBROIDERIES AND LACES, &c., and shall have great pleasure in showing our Goods to any one who may be disposed to favor us with their custom.

TREMAINE & METCALF, 83 QUEEN STREET. Ch'town, April 23, 1880.

CIVIC ELECTION. BY THE MAYOR.

IN pursuance of an Act of the General Assembly of this Island, made and passed in the forty-third year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, intitled, "An Act to amend the Act of the Eighteenth Victoria, chapter thirty-four, intitled, 'An Act to incorporate the Town of Charlottetown,' and all Acts amending the same," I do hereby give Public Notice that an Election of

A Mayor and Two Persons to Serve as Common Councillors

in the City Council for each Ward of said City, being in all

A Mayor and Ten Councillors,

WILL BE HELD ON

THURSDAY,

The Thirtieth Day of May Next, A. D. 1880,

at the several places, that is to say:

In Ward No. 1, at or near the Store of Messrs. J. & T. Morris, corner of Queen and Water Streets.

In Ward No. 2, at or near the Warehouse of Richard Keartz, Esq., fronting on Sydney Street, between Great George and Prince Streets.

In Ward No. 3, at or near the Market House.

In Ward No. 4, at or near the Fire Engine House, fronting on Kent Street east, between Weymouth and Cumberland Streets.

In Ward No. 5, at or near the house of Widow Tierney, corner of Great George and Euston Streets.

And at the said Election the Poll will be opened at Nine o'clock in the forenoon, and continue open until Five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

DESCRIPTION OF WARDS.

Number One shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Dorchester Street, and the parcel of land formerly known as the Military Barrack Ground.

Number Two shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Richmond Street and north of Dorchester Street.

Number Three shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Grafton Street and north of Richmond Street.

Number Four shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies south of Fitzroy Street and north of Grafton Street.

Number Five shall comprise all that part of Charlottetown which lies north of Fitzroy Street, including the common of the said Town.

QUALIFICATION OF MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS.

Section 8, of 18 Victoria, Cap. 34, as amended by Act 43 Victoria: "No person being in Holy Orders, or being a Minister or Teacher, duly licensed by any denomination of Christians in this Colony, shall be qualified to be elected Mayor or a Councillor of the said city, nor shall any one be qualified to be elected Mayor of the said City who shall not be seized or possessed of freehold or leasehold property, or both, situate in the said City, of the value of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, over and above all legally recorded incumbrances; nor shall any person be qualified to be elected a Councillor of the said City who shall not be seized or possessed of freehold or leasehold property, or both, situate in the said City, to the amount of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, over and above all legally recorded incumbrances, or who shall not be in the possession, use, or occupation, of premises in the City of the yearly rent of or assessed at TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS per annum; nor during such time as such person shall hold any office or place of profit in the gift or disposal of the said Council, or during such time as he shall have, directly or indirectly, by himself or his partner, any share or interest in any contract or employment with or on behalf of the Council; provided that no person shall be disqualified from being a Councillor, as aforesaid, by reason of his being a proprietor or shareholder of any incorporated company."

NOMINATION OF MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS.

Act 43 Victoria: "Seven Days before the time of any and every Election for Mayor or Councillors, the persons candidates for the office of Mayor or Councillor shall give their names in as such candidates to the City Clerk, and the City Clerk shall duly enter the names, residences and additions of such persons, together with the office and Wards for which they are candidates; and such entry, when made, shall be deemed nomination by such candidates. "There shall be paid by each person, so nominated for Mayor, at the same time, a fee of Ten Dollars; and by each person so nominated as Councillor, a fee of Five Dollars, which sums shall go towards paying the cost of Election. "No person shall be qualified, either for the office of Mayor or Councillor, unless such nomination be made in manner and at the time aforesaid. "The time appointed for the nomination of candidates shall be from the time of Twelve at noon until the hour of Four o'clock in the afternoon of the day fixed for that purpose."

QUALIFICATION OF ELECTORS.

From Section 20, Act 43 Victoria: "At all elections of Mayor, or of a Councillor or Councillors, for said City, all the Male inhabitants of the age of twenty-one years, and upwards, who shall have resided in the said City for at least one year then next preceding the day of election, being British subjects, and each of whom shall actually, and within the Wards for which he shall vote, then be and for three months previously shall have been: 1. Actually and in his own right the bona fide owner of the Freehold of lands or premises in said City of the assessed value of One Hundred Dollars upon which all assessment due has been paid; 2. In the Tenancy or Occupancy of any lands, premises, or tenements of the yearly rental of Fourteen Dollars, however payable; Provided that every partner, whose share of the rent amounts to Fourteen Dollars annually, shall be entitled to vote; and that every male British subject of the age aforesaid, Non-resident of the said City, who shall be doing business, and in actual occupation of business or other premises in said City, and

shall be qualified to vote under any of the qualifications aforesaid, shall be entitled to vote for such Mayor and Councillors in the Ward in which the property on which he claims the right to vote is situate; and Non-resident Owners of Real Estate, otherwise qualified, shall vote in the Ward where their qualification lies.

Section 63 of the Act 43 Victoria reads as follows: "For the purposes of the election to be held next after the passing of this Act no owner, tenant or occupier shall be deprived of his franchise or right to vote by reason of his not having paid the rates and assessments then due by him, it being in all cases sufficient evidence of such person, other wise duly qualified, that he is the owner occupier, or tenant of premises of the value or yearly rental of fourteen dollars.

[L.S.] W. E. DAWSON, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown, W. B. MORRISON, City Clerk, Mayor's Office, Charlottetown, } May 1, 30th April, 1880. ne pres arg her, li.

Labrador Herring.

CHOICE CATCH OF 1879.

Smoked Salmon, Salt Trout, Herring, Shad, Halibut, Mackerel. At HALL'S FISH MARKET. Feb. 18, 1880—tf



Notice to Machinist Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned (Secretary of Railways and Canals) and endorsed "Tender for Lock Gates, Lachine Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western Mails on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of JUNE next, for the construction of gates, and the necessary machinery connected with them, for the new locks on the Lachine Canal.

Plans, Specifications and General Conditions can be seen at this office on and after THURSDAY, the 20th day of MAY next, where forms of tender can also be obtained.

Parties tendering are expected to provide the special tools necessary for, and to have a practical knowledge of, works of this class, and are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and residence of each member of the same; and, further, an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to \$250, for the gates of each lock, must accompany each tender, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for the work at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract the party or parties whose tender it is proposed to accept will be notified that their tender is accepted, subject to a deposit of five per cent. of the bulk sum of the contract—of which the sum sent in with the tender will be considered a part—to be deposited to the credit of the Receiver General within eight days after the date of the notice.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the work.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order, F. BRAUN, Secretary, DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS, ap 6, 2aw tl Ottawa, 29th March, 1880. } 3rd June



Tenders for Tanks and Pumping Machinery.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon on SATURDAY, the 15th MAY next, for furnishing and erecting in place at the several watering stations along the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway under construction, Frost-proof Tanks with Pumps and Pumping Power of either wind or steam, as may be found most suitable to the locality.

Drawings can be seen and specifications and other particulars obtained at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Ottawa, on and after the 15th April.

By order, F. BRAUN, Secretary, DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS, ap 5, 2aw tl Ottawa, 1st April, 1880. } 15th May



TENDERS FOR IRON BRIDGE SUPERSTRUCTURE.

TENDERS addressed to the undersigned will be received up to noon on SATURDAY, the 15th MAY next, for furnishing and erecting Iron Superstructures over the Eastern and Western outlets of the Lake of the Woods.

Specifications and other particulars will be furnished on application at the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Ottawa, on and after the 15th April.

By Order, F. BRAUN, Secretary, DEPT. OF RAILWAYS & CANALS, ap 9, 2aw tl Ottawa, 1st April, 1880. } May 15, 1w

THE WEEKLY EXAMINER.—Persons having relatives or friends abroad, and desiring to keep them informed concerning P. E. Island, cannot do so in a better or cheaper way than by subscribing to THE WEEKLY EXAMINER. Sent, postpaid, to any address in Great Britain, the United States, or the Dominion, on receipt of One Dollar.