

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

OCTOBER 27, 1890.

The Savings of the People.

It may be interesting, as well as encouraging—now that the McKinley tariff is about to work changes in the course of trade—to note particularly some of the tests of the prosperity of Canada since Confederation.

The increase since 1879—the year in which Canada began to defend herself against the hostile tariff of the United States—has been from \$99,287,618 to \$210,816,196. That is to say, the people of Canada added to their bank deposits in the twelve years from 1867 to 1879 \$66,172,176, and in the ten years from 1879 to 1889 \$111,528,576.

The wealth of Canada in money has increased about doubly as fast since the adoption of the National Policy as it did previously. There is a wealth of significance in this fact.

In the chartered banks of Canada the deposits have increased from \$30,652,193 at Confederation to \$126,243,755 in 1889. The Government savings banks held deposits in 1868 of the sum of \$1,781,118; in 1889 these deposits had increased to \$25,104,514.

Nor can it be said that the people of Prince Edward Island did not assist in adding to the deposits. The full amount of their quota cannot be told because a large proportion went into the Bank of Nova Scotia and the Merchants Bank of Halifax.

These statistics, tabulated by Mr. Garland, of Ottawa, ought to be reassuring. The mind of the Opposition was as full of foreboding in 1879 as it is now. But instead of ruin we have undoubted proofs of prosperity.

Go into the homes of the people, compare their furniture, their appliances, their diet, their whole manner of living, with what it was in 1879,—and it will be found that the increase of the comforts of the people has been fully as remarkable as that of their deposits at the banks.

Want to Turn British.

AMERICAN SEALERS WANT TO FLY THE ENGLISH FLAG.

The San Francisco Examiner contains the following item:—

"The American sealers are going to turn British with the close of this season. Fully four-fifths of the fleet that hunted in the north this year will go back next year under the British flag. The matter has long been talked of but assumed no definite shape until lately. Captain A. O. Decker, of the schooner George E. White, was the first to declare in favor of the change, and his example will be followed by a number of others.

The Victoria Times remarks that "The owners of these sealers have evidently not taken into consideration that to turn their schooners British they have to become Britishers themselves. The marine law is that the country's flag affords no protection to vessels not wholly owned by subjects of Queen Victoria."

Cuba Ripe for Revolution

GREAT DISCONTENT AMONG THE PEOPLE OF SEAIN'S DEPENDENCY.

"It will require but a spark dropped among the patriotic people of Cuba to kindle the fire of revolution which will wrest the Queen of the Antilles from the mother country," said a gentleman recently from Havana. "For the last eight years the financial missteps of Spain have disastrously affected the industries of the island, until ruin and starvation threaten the inhabitants. They are just now engaged in adopting measures to free the colony from the burdens which oppress it. The hopeless condition of the tradesmen throughout the island has impelled them to start a movement which contemplates the formation of a league designed to protect their interests, and the greatest importance is attached to the venture. Dozens of cigar manufacturers have been compelled to close their factories since the baneful effects of the McKinley bill were felt. There are now 10,000 cigarmakers out of work in the city of Havana and vicinity and the suffering of these people will soon be great, this being the season of the year when the cigarmakers usually receive the highest wages."

Address Presented.

In view of the fact that Messrs. Dawson and Ings have been re-appointed by the Provincial Government members of the City School Board, they were waited upon on Saturday afternoon, 26th inst., by Messrs. Miller, MacSwain and Seaman, Principals of the City Schools, on behalf of the teachers, and presented with the following

ADDRESS:

To William E. Dawson and John Ings, Esquires: GENTLEMEN,—

We, the undersigned, being deeply interested in the continued progress and prosperity of the City Schools, having witnessed the fidelity, assiduity, and deep interest manifested by you in the discharge of your duties as members of the City School Board, during the long period in which you occupied that position, hereby earnestly request that you accept a re-appointment to membership in said Board. Your aid and encouragement have always been an inspiration to the teachers, and we believe your reappointment would very largely conduce to the successful working of the City Schools.

Believe us to be very sincerely yours, LEMUEL MILLER, Principal West Kent Street School. J. M. DUNCAN, Vice-Principal.

W. A. THOMPSON, J. W. YOUNG, MARY ASHLEY, ADA A. WADMAN, CARRIE STUMBLES, NETTIE C. MCPHAIL, FLORENCE M. CURRIE, J. D. SEAMAN, Principal Prince Street School. C. C. SNADDON, Vice-Principal.

SARAH HARRIS, ELIZABETH E. MACKINNON, ELIZA MACNEILL, LAURA K. SCOTT, HELEN H. MITCHELL, BESSIE GREGOR, CARRIE HASLAM, MATILDA WYATT, BESSIE BROWN, ELLA MACMURRAY, JOHN MCSWAIN, Principal Queen Square School. MICHAEL W. SMITH, FRANCIS CURRAN, MARY FARMER, ALICE HENNESSY, ELIZA HALLORAN, MARY CONROY.

Mr. Ings replied, stating that he was quite surprised at the presentation of the address, but was glad that the teachers had expressed themselves as pleased with his conduct as a member of the School Board. He had endeavored to do what he believed to be right in the interests of the schools and education, and the address just presented would stimulate him to do better in the future. He heartily thanked the teachers for this kind expression of their good will, and said that at all times he would endeavor to further their best interests.

Mr. Dawson said that he felt extremely obliged to the Principals and Teachers of the three city schools for their very kind address. To him it was quite unexpected. They were, no doubt, aware that for over twenty years he had been identified with the educational interests of the City and Province. He had been at the inception of, and taken part in the management of, the Prince Street School before it came under the control of the City School Board, and had been a member of the latter for over thirteen years. During that long period he had cheerfully rendered what assistance he could in the furtherance of the interests of education. He was glad to say that the most cordial relations had always existed between the teachers and himself; and said that he would endeavor in the future, as in the past, to render any assistance that lay in his power, to aid them in the discharge of their duties. He felt that in the address just presented, his services had been more highly appreciated than they deserved to be. As to his acceptance of a seat at the School Board, he would think over the matter, and if he could see his way clear, would be pleased to accede to the request contained in the address. Should he take the latter course, his best efforts would be given to assist the teachers in the discharge of their arduous labors. Mr. McSwain, who had but recently been appointed to the position of principal of Queen Square School had his best wishes for success.

Mr. MacSwain said that it had given him great pleasure to sign the address. He had not been long in his present position, but hoped that his connection with the City Schools would prove satisfactory to all concerned.

Mr. Seaman said that when the teachers of the City Schools were made aware that Messrs. Ings and Dawson had resigned their seats at the School Board, the news fell upon them as a thunder clap. It was to them cause for deep regret, until they ascertained the reason for those resignations. They now earnestly desired that both gentlemen would resume their seats at the Board.

Personal.

C. C. Carlton, Esq., Souris, is at the Osborne.

Rev. D. M. Gordon, of Halifax, arrived here on Saturday to attend the funeral of his wife's mother, Mrs. MacLennan, which took place to-day.

Mr. William Tweedy, late of this city but now of Moncton, arrived here by the evening express on Saturday, on a flying visit to his friends.

Bishop Courtney left this morning for Nova Scotia. He attended service at St. Paul's yesterday forenoon and at St. Peter's in the evening, but—to the disappointment of many persons—did not preach at either.

Count Herbert Bismarck became engaged to the Countess Ann Couradine Berthe Platen, aged 17, while he was visiting Rigla lately. The count is 41. The Countess Platen belongs to a Hanoverian family of some renown.

The proud distinction of being the oldest widow in England is claimed by Sarah Morfew, who has lived for over fifty years in an cottage on Ham Common, in Richmond, and is reported to have completed 104 birthdays.

R. A. Anderson and his bride arrived at Vancouver from the east a few days ago, and ever since R. A. has been compelled to hold a reception at his office to give his friends an opportunity to extend their good wishes. Victoria (B. C.) Times, Oct. 17th.

Boston Markets.

BOSTON, Oct. 25.

POTATOES.—Receipts have been fair this week, and most lots show up in comparatively good order. Demand has been very good and all kinds are moving off well, and as a rule bring full quotations. Houlton Hebrons per bus., 65 to 70 cents; Houlton Rose, 60 to 65 cents; N. S. and N. B. Rose per brl., \$1.75 to \$2.00.

FISH.—Codfish have been in rather better supply but hold steady at the quotations. Barrel herring are coming in slowly and firmly held. Box herring are quiet. Mackerel in fair supply, and in steady demand at quotations.

EGGS.—Receipts have been moderate, and have run so largely to hold stock that strictly choice fresh laid have become very scarce and are ruling 1 and 2 cents higher than last week. There are very few extra fresh eastern coming, and they sell promptly on arrival at full prices. N. S., N. B. and P. E. Island close firm at 24c., and some small sales have been made at 25c.

The Fenian Oath.

THE SECRECY TO BE DONE AWAY WITH—FENIAN VOLUNTEERS.

The National Convention of the Fenian Brotherhood was held at Odd Fellows' Hall, Patterson, N. J., on the 21st. Delegates from all sections of the country were present. The present situation in Ireland was discussed, and action was taken to relieve the distress. The most important action of the convention was the unanimous endorsement of a recommendation of the general secretary, abolishing the secret oath of the organization. Hereafter all the transactions of the Brotherhood will be open, and the public will be free to attend all meetings. In his report the general secretary attributed the disruptions and disasters to Irish organizations during the past two years to the fact that men with selfish and personal ends to attain had through the misuse of the secrecy clause in the constitution forced themselves into power. A special committee was appointed on the future of the organization, and in their report recommended that the Fenian Brotherhood be an open organization, and that military and naval companies be organized and ninety per cent. of the receipts be devoted to this purpose. The companies to be known as the Fenian Volunteers, and will be held in readiness to assist the United States in case of foreign war.

News Notes.

In view of the McKinley tariff, Germany will revise its commerce treaty with Austria. Twenty-seven Hamilton liquor sellers are summoned for infraction of the law, through the instrumentality of informers.

The duty on American weavers' spools will be increased in Austria in retaliation for the McKinley tariff. A Paris despatch says: During a recent journey to Barmos, Alphonse Rothschild was robbed of jewellery worth 60,000 francs.

The punishment for political spies detected in France is to be doubled, and their employers, if caught, will be dealt with equal severity.

English Railway companies are working for the rapid transportation of American mails from Queenstown to London, via Kingstown and Holyhead.

The condition of Grand Duke Nicholas, uncle of the Czar, who was seized with sudden mania during the recent army manoeuvres has been critical.

The Sultan of Witn has refused surrender to British authority or offer redress for recent massacre, but on the contrary is actively preparing for hostilities. Hundreds of natives from the surrounding tribes are flocking to his standard. Fighting is inevitable.

Sir Charles Gavan Duffy has written a letter advocating the acceptance of Balfour's land purchase bill on its merits, although it emanates from a detested government. The Dublin Freeman's Journal says Duffy has written in ignorance of the opinion of his countrymen.

The introduction of mines machines into the mines in Pittsburg is causing the miners considerable uneasiness. The general use of machines would admit of performance of work by 10,000 which now requires 25,000 men. The miners contemplate a crusade against the machine.

A St. Petersburg despatch says: "The minister of the interior has received alarming reports of the state of the country. Prisons are crowded with suspects, chiefly young men of the educated classes. Dissatisfaction is spreading everywhere, incendiarism is rife and there have been conflicts in many places between the peasantry and soldiers."

It is stated that a number of banking corporations in the State of Missouri, having failed or refused to file statements of their financial condition as required by Secretary of the State Lesure, on September first, the secretary has directed the prosecuting attorney to proceed against delinquents under the law. The penalty is a heavy fine.

The healthfulness of the great city of London is a marvellous thing in view of the enormous population and their crowded condition. The death rate of 19 per thousand is not only far below that of other great cities but is lower than in almost any town of considerable size. In Paris the annual mortality is 23.5 per thousand, although the birthrate is much lower than in London. The great metropolis affords a striking instance of what well enforced sanitary laws can effect for the well being of the people.

It will perhaps be a long time before the world obtains a thoroughly satisfactory life of Disraeli, because Lord Rowton still remains the discreet custodian of the dead statesman's letters and papers. But Mr. Froude, the historian, is writing a biography, and its appearance will be looked for with no slight interest. It is announced that the author has received valuable assistance in the preparation of the book from Lord Beaconsfield's brother, Mr. Ralph Disraeli, and some of his most intimate friends like the Duke of Rutland.

The government of India has been conducting experiments with the grain weevil, which are not without interest to the Canada farmer. Of the three ways, says the Calcutta Englishman, of storing grain—in open pits, bags and heaps—weevils appear first in pits and last in open air heaps. Soft grains are attacked sooner than hard ones, but a piece of tow steeped in bisulphide of carbon will keep the insects away for a considerable period, and it has the merit of not damaging the grain for consumption. Some poisonous plants also deter weevils, and in Poona Mr. Woodrow, of the College of Science, has made some successful experiments with sulphurous acid. When hermetically sealed with a preservative the grain can be kept for an indefinite period.

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THE W. C. T. U.

—WILL HOLD—

A Public Meeting

Y. M. C. A. HALL,

—ON—

Tuesday, October 28,

AT 8 O'CLOCK, P. M.

REV. J. GORDON will occupy the Chair. Rev. W. M. Brewer and Rev. Wm. J. Hamlyn will deliver Addresses. Vocal and Instrumental Music. Collection. oct24

Bowling Alley.

THE subscriber has fitted up a BOWLING ALLEY and SHOOTING GALLERY in his Warehouse, opposite Railway Freight Shed, Water Street, which will be opened to the public for the first time this evening, at seven o'clock.

JOHN JOY.

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FOR SALE.

AN IMPORTED PURE-BRED GALLO-WAY BULL; registered; first-class sire. For particulars apply at THE EXAMINER office, to Hon. D. Ferguson, or to JOHN COTTON, Wellington, Lot 16.

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LOST.—Yesterday afternoon, on F leborough or on Gratia Street, a Gold Locket, with the name "Alice" engraved upon it. Please leave it at this office. 1—oct27

WANTED FOR CASH.—Any quantity of Old Pickle Bottles. Enquire at Stanley Horse, corner of Great George and Kent Streets. oct27

ANYONE desiring the use of a horse for a winter can hear of one, or can buy at a bargain, by applying at this office. 2i pd—oct25

WANTED.—A Housemaid. Apply to Mrs. CHARLES LEIGH, Fitzroy Street. oct17

TO LET.—One-half of the Double Tenement House on the corner of Queen and Fitzroy Streets. Possession given immediately. Apply to WM. HENDERSON, 177 Fitzroy Street. oct16—thu sat & eod

LOST.—In this city, on the 4th inst., a Purse containing a small sum of money and cards with owner's name. A liberal reward will be paid to the owner of the same. Enquire at this office. oct16

TO LET.—A House on Lower Queen Street Apply to Thomas McQuaid. oct eod

TO LET.—House on Sidney Street, 4 rooms and porch, warm, good cellar, waterworks. Just the thing for dressmaker or small family.—R. K. BRACE. oct 8

TO LET.—On Cribber Street, a Tenement House, one part containing eight rooms, the other seven. Possession given in September. Apply to Mrs. BLATCH. 11—aug30

TO LET.—A House on Hillsborough Street containing 9 rooms, at present occupied by Mr. George Carter. Possession can be given 10th September. Apply to Judge Alley, or at the store of George Carter & Co. eod 11—aug28

TO LET.—A House on Queen Street. Apply to A. N. LARGE. oct16

TO LET.—One half of a Double Tenement House on Sidney Street, adjoining the residence of H. J. Callbeck, Esq. Possession can be given immediately. Apply to FRANCIS P. McLENNAN. oct 4

TO LET.—The Shop and Basement in the Cameron Block, lately occupied by Mrs. K. Young. This is one of the best-located in Charlottetown, and the Basement is large and admirably adapted for a restaurant or other business. For further particulars apply to WARBURTON & SMALLWOOD, Solicitors, Cameron Block. 11—sept18