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THE DAILY EXAMINER.

NOVEMBER 27, 1880.

The Colchester Sun's "Lesson."

We do not care to overlook the remarks of any journal respecting the subject of "jug-handled inequality," as it at present exists. For every time the subject is ventilated, the justice and importance of recognizing, throughout Canada, the principle for which THE EXAMINER has been contending, becomes the more apparent. "Truth, like a torch, the more it's shook, the more it shines."

By some misdirection, we did not receive the Colchester Sun of the 17th inst. But, having learned from the Patriot that the Sun of that date had read THE EXAMINER a lesson, we procured a copy.

On perusing "the lesson," readers of the Sun must have thought that the Sun itself had lately learned a lesson; and we can imagine the amused chuckle of Mr. Coleman, Divisional Superintendent at Truro, as, comfortably ensconced in his official chair, with the Sun before him, he gave utterance to the old saw—"Consistency, thou art a jewel!"

The fact is that, not long ago, the Sun opposed with violence the appointment of Mr. Coleman, on the ground that being a New Brunswicker, he should not have been sent to Nova Scotia. The Sun did this, notwithstanding the fact that there were in office in New Brunswick many Nova Scotian officials, and that, in the matter of official promotion, there was—that which there has not been between the other Provinces and this Island—perfect reciprocity. It is said that the editor of the Sun even carried about a petition raving for Mr. Coleman's removal.

We have avoided the narrow indefensible ground taken on that occasion by the Sun; and we have not carried around a petition.

In fact THE EXAMINER has, but enforced the broad and well established principle that in a true Federal Union there must be mutual sympathy between the different populations; and we have argued that this mutual sympathy cannot exist if one of the populations is, as that of this Province has been, under a disability. Our attack was, from the first, not against the appointment of Mr. Archibald, so much as against the failure up to this date, of both political parties to recognize the claims of officials on the Island to promotion.

The Sun, we note, states that "at several important points on the I. C. R., there are Islanders holding responsible positions."

We challenge the Sun to name one.

We feel that it is not necessary to continue this discussion. The position taken by the EXAMINER is, we believe, perfectly understood and recognized to be sound, not only by the people of this Island (with whom the EXAMINER is *en rapport*), but also by the Government. The Argus of Tuesday has an article which contains this significant statement:—"We would not be surprised to learn that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who has ever taken a lively interest in all matters affecting the welfare of his Island home, has endeavored to offset Mr. Archibald's appointment by having several positions on the Intercolonial Railway filled by Islanders."

The Argus would not, we think, have made this statement without authority for doing so.

If Mr. Pope succeeds in this endeavor, he will accomplish that which we have contended for. He will have secured the recognition of an important principle, and he will deserve, and receive, the thanks of the people for having promoted in Canada the interprovincial intercourse, equality and cordiality necessary to the success of the Union. At any rate, we have done our duty.

Colonel Gray's Letter.

We have a few words to say with reference to the letter of the Hon. Col. Gray; and we must apologize for again mentioning, in connection with it, the despicable *New Era*. We shall be brief.

The *New Era*, by implication withdraws its statement, that Colonel Gray supplied "the funds" on which the DAILY EXAMINER was established; but it says:—

"We know perfectly well whereof we write and we now say that Col. Gray did put a considerable sum of money in the EXAMINER Company shortly after the newspaper went out of the hands of Mr. Bowers, and that it was put in at a time when the party was in great straits, and when it would be impossible for the organ to live without it."

In other words, shortly after THE EXAMINER had been ruined by Mr. Bowers! This may be true. We know nothing of the "inside history" of THE EXAMINER previous to the date on

which it was purchased at auction by Mr. W. L. Cotton.

But we do know, and we now repeat, that, subsequent to that date, Colonel Gray never (apart from his subscription), either by loan or free gift, aided THE EXAMINER with a single dollar.

We made this statement, in the first place, solely in the interest of Colonel Gray, whom we deemed to be a gentleman and a supporter of the Liberal Party.

It is needless to say that we were not a little surprised at a statement in the gallant Colonel's letter calculated to convey to the public the impression that Colonel Gray had always been a Liberal-Conservative, and that he only voted against the Hon. Mr. Pope in 1876 when he came out as a Free Trader. But the statement gives us infinite pleasure. A gentleman who has always been a Liberal Conservative, and who opposed Mr. Pope when he came out as a Free Trader, will continue to be a Liberal Conservative, and will heartily support Mr. Pope now that, in the interests of Canada as a whole, he is a member of the Ministry, which, by the will of the people, introduced the National Policy.

With respect to Colonel Gray's letter, we have just one regret. It is that Colonel Gray did not, like a man, meet the point at issue, and tell the public that he had not the honor of being one of those who established the DAILY EXAMINER.

Educational Institute.

THE annual meeting of the Educational Institute was held last evening. The reports of the officers for the past year show that the Institute has done good work, and, at present, is in a flourishing condition. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

President—Hon. A. A. McDonald.
1st Vice President—Dr. Leeming.
2nd Vice do—Miss Maria Lawson.
Secretary—Thos. LePage.
Treasurer—Miss E. E. McKinnon.
Corresponding Secretary—A. A. McKenzie, Esq.

Mr. Smith, who was to have prepared a paper for this meeting, not being present, the subject of the last meeting's discussion, viz., "Cramming for Examinations," was continued.

Some difference of opinion existed as to what cramming really was—some contending that all home tasks or memorizing of lessons was cramming—others, that the mere reception of what may be contained in the text book without any understanding whatever of the subject, was cramming. The system of cramming the pupil for the purpose of making an exhibition before the public on closing day, or for the purpose of satisfying the demands of school officers or parents, without a thorough grounding in the fundamentals of the subject taught, was unanimously condemned.

Opinions differed as to the matter of home tasks. A tendency of the present day to make everything simple and easy for the pupil, was thought to be of questionable utility, on the principle that what is easily acquired is less likely to be retained.

The discussion, which was animated and entertaining, was partaken in by A. A. McKenzie, J. McL. Duncan, Dr. Leeming, S. Peterson, Thos. McKinlay, the President, L. Miller, Thos. LePage, and others.

Executive Committee appointed by the President. Dr. Leeming, L. Miller, P. R. Bowers, M. W. Smith, A. A. McKenzie, Thos. McKinlay, John McSwain, Misses Barr, Smith, Cox, Montgomery, McKenna, Fennessy, Eliza Lawson.

The Ohio Women's Whiskey Crusade.

The *Christian Herald* says:—The Women's Whiskey Crusade has been renewed in Fredericktown, Ohio. They met the other morning, summoned by the ringing of a hand bell. Forming into procession they marched to the principal liquor establishment of the place, which they found closely guarded. After some parleying they proceeded to break down the doors, and having thus effected an entrance, they then turned on the taps of all the barrels that were tapped, staved in others that were not, and broke every bottle in the place. Then they proceeded to the next hotel, where a repetition of the scene was prevented only by the abject capitulation of the proprietor. He undertook forthwith to cart the whole of his stock-in-trade out of the town, pledging himself by a solemn oath, that he would not in the meantime dispose of a single "eye opener" to any citizen of Fredericktown. The ladies next visited other stores where liquor was sold, and pursued their victorious course unchecked.

AN OLD SPECIFIC FOR IRISH DISCONTENT.—The following extract is taken from "Curiosities of the Search Room" (page 106):—"I give and bequeath the annual sum of £10, to be paid in perpetuity out of my estate, to the following purpose:—It is my will and pleasure that this sum shall be spent in the purchase of a certain quantity of the liquor vulgarly called whiskey, and it shall be publicly given out that a certain number of persons, Irish only, not to exceed twenty, who may choose to assemble in the cemetery in which I shall be interred, on the anniversary of my death, shall have the same distributed to them. Further, it is my desire that each shall receive it by half a pint at a time till the whole is consumed, each being likewise provided with a stout oaken stick and a knife, and that they shall drink it all on the spot. Knowing what I know of the Irish characters, my conviction is, that with these materials given, they will not fail to destroy each other, and when in the course of time the race comes to be exterminated, this neighborhood, at least, may, perhaps, be colonized by civilized and respectable Englishmen. (17th March, 1791)."

An estimate prepared by the *Free Press* shows that the prosperity of Ottawa in every line of business has increased to an extraordinary extent during the past year: 14,000 tons of coal was brought into the city this year, as compared with 10,000 in 1879; sugar, the value brought into the city was \$50,000, as compared with \$11,000 in the year 1879; 6,000 chests of tea were imported this year, 4,000 last year; Colonel Robbins exported 17,820 tons of iron ore this summer, none was exported last year. Products of the forest exported for nine months of this year \$1,518,623, as compared with \$1,199,844 for the whole of last year; lumber exported nine months of this year \$139,056,000, last year complete \$117,002,000; in square timber 3,500 went down the river this season, as compared with 2,620 for last summer; the output in logs was last year 970,000, this year 1,600,000; the cut of lumber was valued at \$2,820,000; lockages through the canal for 1879 were 825, for this year 981; tonnage of the Rideau Canal for 1879 amounted to \$27,480.80, for this year \$32,390.40.

APPLES. ONIONS.

I will Sell on MONDAY, the 29th inst.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, AT THE
QUEEN STREET AUCTION ROOMS,
50 bbls No. 1 Winter-keeping APPLES,
25 bbls. ONIONS.

W. D. STEWART,
Auctioneer.

No. 1 Winter Apples.

CHOICE FRUIT.

I WILL sell at AUCTION, at my Sale Room, Queen Square, on MONDAY, the 29th inst., at 11 o'clock,—
100 bbls. of Choice Winter-keeping, APPLES (all the best kinds.)

WILLIAM DODD,
Auctioneer.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF Owners, Underwriters and all Concerned.

WILL be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 1st December, 1880, as she now lies at McGINNIS' SHORE, about two miles west of Savage Harbor,

The Hull, Spars and Outfit of the Brig. "Feodore," Jones, master, stranded on a voyage from Maderia to Malpeque.

The "Feodore" is 187 tons, nearly new, built in 1877, copper-fastened. Materials all good.

W. RICHARDS,
Bideford, P. E. I., Nov. 27, 1880—3i

NORTHERN LIGHT.

WHEN the Prince Edward Island Steam Navigation Company's Boats cease running, the S. S. "Northern Light" will ply, making daily trips when practicable—leaving Georgetown at 6 a. m.; and Picton, at 1:40 p. m., on arrival of the train from Halifax.

WILLIAM MITCHELL,
Agent of Dept.
Dept. of Marine, Charlottetown, }
Nov. 26, 1880. } tf

G. HERBERT HASZARD,

BOOKBINDER,

Blank Book Manufacturer,

Law Stationer and Relief Stampor,

18 QUEEN STREET.

Christmas & New Year's Cards,

1880-81,

Embracing some of the Choicest Designs ever produced.

MY patterns of Xmas Cards are unique in design, entirely different from anything in the market, and chosen because they are refined and suitable for customers of education and taste. They are produced for the trade, and not for dry goods merchants.

From the Celebrated DE LA RUE & Co. we have received a choice assortment, including the *Satin* designs.

From Messrs. PRANG & Co., a great variety, including the \$2,000 Prize series.

And from one of the largest Fine Art publishers of London, a series of Photo. Hand-Painted Cards.

Persons desirous of sending their friends Xmas Cards that they are not tired of seeing in every dry goods shop in the country, would do well to give me a call.

G. HERBERT HASZARD.

18 QUEEN STREET.

Ch'town, Nov. 26, 1880—4w 2aw

CANNED SMOKED

Finnan Haddie!

SOMETHING NEW AND NICE. For sale at 20 cents per tin.

BEER & GOFF.

Nov. 25, 1880.

DIGBY HERRING!

AND BONELESS FISH,

BY THE BOX, at

BEER & GOFF'S.

Nov. 25, 1880.

BUY the DAILY EXAMINER for the latest news—local and telegraphic.

**AT-
TREMINE & METCALF'S,
83 QUEEN STREET.**

BUTTER. BUTTER.

CHOICE QUALITY, FOR SALE BY THE TUB, at

Nov. 25, 1880. I EER & GOFF'S.

PROFESSIONAL CARD.

FRANCIS S. LONGWORTH,

Barrister-at-Law,

NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.

OFFICE—O'Halloran's Building, 46 Great

George Street, next door to the Union Bank,

Charlottetown, P. E. Island.

Nov. 25, '80—her pat till 31st dec

BREMNER

BROTHERS.

FALL, 1880.

OUR

Christmas Cards

Have always borne the reputation of being the best in Charlottetown, not only for

Elegance of Style,

Artistic Design,

and Attractiveness,

—BUT ALSO FOR—

EXTENSIVE VARIETY!

—AND—

GOOD VALUE.

This season we have surpassed all former efforts in this line, and are showing the

Largest Stock of

Christmas and New Year's

CARDS!

Ever exhibited in Charlottetown, consisting of

OVER 600 VARIETIES.

FROM 1 CENT TO \$1 EACH.

We have arranged these Cards on sample sheets, so that customers can look over our whole stock without trouble, and in a comparatively short time.

In addition to the above, we will open in a few days, Messrs. Prang & Co's (Boston)

PRIZE CARDS,

for the designs of which \$2000 were given in prizes to the artists who should design the four best Christmas Cards in the United States. They are marvels of beauty and excellence. Also, the new

MEXICAN CARDS,

Hand painted and finished with feathers, forming the most novel thing in this line that has yet come out.

BREMNER BROS.

44 Queen Street, Nov. 18, 1880.

Wants, Lost, Found, &c.

CHAIN—A large lot of second-hand

CHAIN—as good as new. For sale cheap.—C. F. YATES, cor. Water and Pownall streets. [no 26 6i

WINDLASS GEAR—Two sets Wind-

lass Gear—for half price.—C. F. YATES, cor Water and Pownall streets. [no 26, 6i

TO LET—A Tenement House, situated on

Kent street, next door to Dr. Creamer. Apply to MRS. OFFER, Queen street. [no 13 tf

BOARDERS—Three or four Boarders

can be accommodated with first class board and apartments at very reasonable rates, in a pleasant and one of the most convenient localities in the city. Apply at this office. [no 6 tf

PEKIN DUCKS—MATTOCKS' CELE-

BRATED STRAIN—originally of Palmer Clift and Erland strains. Natural weights of full grown birds from 12 to 16 lbs. per pair. For sale by A. SMALLWOOD, Charlottetown. [no 17 2w 2aw

For Sale—A few choice Otter skins, moth

proof, for gents or ladies trimmings, at J. Hobb's Hat and Cap Factory.—nov 18 3in eod

TO LET—A House containing 8 rooms,

with stable, coach house, and a large garden attached, fronting on Rochford Square. I Possession given immediately. Apply to J. T. CROCKETT, at the Fish Market. [no 2

WAGSTAFF'S HOTEL, Powna

Street, continues to receive transient and permanent Boarders. [j 11

UMBRELLAS—The subscriber wishes

to inform the citizens of Charlottetown that the business of Umbrella mending, &c., is still carried on at the old stand, opposite Mr. R. Bridge's meat store.—S. TAUDVIN. [oc 25 1m

McEwen House continues to receive

permanent BOARDERS. Terms moderate. [oc 7

Charlottetown, November 18, 1880.