

THE DAILY EXAMINER. APRIL 26, 1887.

The Dairy Industry.

The great importance attached to the dairy industry in Quebec is evidenced by the following which we clip from the Ingersoll Chronicle:—

"A deputation from the Eastern and Western Dairywomen's associations, waited on the Hon. A. M. Ross on Thursday, and asked for an increase in the grants to the associations. The grant is now \$1,500 to each association, and the proposal was that it be doubled, making \$3,000 to each association, or \$6,000 in all. Instead of having two instructors for the East and two for the West, it was proposed that there be six for each, and that there be a thorough visitation of the cheese factories every year; that the instructors should start out in the spring, covering all the factories in a short time, giving instruction with a view to making a uniform article throughout the province. It was also suggested that the Professor in the Agricultural College who deals with this subject would meet the instructors and other prominent dairymen at some central factory, that their notes could be compared and experiments of various kinds decided on. The commissioner said he would lay the matter before the Government."

When will our Government do something towards raising the standard of the butter made in this Island? If something be not done, we must give up the idea of competing in the butter market.

Charlottetown Board of Trade.

It was decided at the meeting of merchants held this forenoon to organize "The Charlottetown Board of Trade" under chapter one hundred and thirty of the revised statutes of Canada. This act provides that any number of persons, not less than thirty, who are merchants, traders, brokers, mechanics, manufacturers, managers of banks or insurance agents, residents of a district which has a population of not less than two thousand five hundred, may associate themselves together as a Board of Trade. For this purpose a certificate is to be signed by the merchants, etc., and forwarded to the Secretary of State as evidence of the organization. The officers shall be a President, Vice-President and Secretary, who, together with not less than eight other members, shall constitute a council. At least four meetings of the Board shall be held in each year.

After the Board has been organized, persons may be proposed as candidates for membership, and if the proposition is carried by a majority of two-thirds of the members present at any meeting, any person may become a member of the Board of Trade. On the other hand, if any member wishes to resign he must give the Secretary ten days' notice and pay his dues.

The Act provides that a Committee of the Board may act as arbitrators in disputed cases; and, generally, that the Board may voice and represent the opinions of the community on all commercial questions which may arise.

"The Rielt agitation, according to present appearances, is not likely to result in permanent loss to the Conservative party. The dissidents are, one after another, quietly falling in line under Sir John A. Macdonald and it does not appear that the Opposition in the Dominion Commons is to be strengthened by the acquisition of one single Rielt Conservative."—Montreal Star.

So Mr. Blake's sympathy like somebody's else eloquence has been "wasted on the desert air."

Missionary Meeting.

The third annual meeting of the Youths' Branch of the Missionary Society in connection with the Second Methodist Church of this city was held last evening, and was attended by a large and appreciative audience. Mr. Geo. E. Full presided and made a brief speech.

Mr. H. N. Goff was then called upon to give a summary of the General Report of the Methodist Missionary Society of Canada for the year 1885-86. From his clear statements of the character and magnitude of the work, we learned that the Society has under its control five different classes of missions: Domestic, Indian, French, Japanese and Chinese in British Columbia; that it employs in its work a total paid agency of 580, including missionaries, native assistants, teachers and interpreters, and a membership in connection with the various missions of nearly fifty thousand. The income for the year was about \$190,000, being an increase of nearly \$10,000 on the previous year.

Mr. A. E. Crosby led his hearers around the principal centers of the great missionary field, and showed in well chosen language some of the marvellous triumphs made in pagan lands by the missionaries of the Cross.

Rev. Mr. Shenton delivered the address of the evening. He ably reviewed the needs of the hour in the process of the world's evangelization, and also delivered some telling words on the duty of giving to the cause of God.

The report of the school for the current year was then read by Mr. S. B. Eunan. From it we learn that there are 23 teachers with a total of 420 scholars on the roll, showing an increase of 47 scholars on previous year. The average attendance has been 224. Two scholars have been removed by death during the year.

A library containing 216 volumes has recently been purchased, and a Temperance Band of Hope has been organized by the pastor with a present membership of 186.

The collections from all the classes for the year amounted to \$161.53, deducting the collections on the first Sabbath of each month which are used for school expenses, the balance amounting to \$126.89 is devoted to missions. This shows an increase on previous year for missions of \$26.89. The contributions of the individual classes as read out by the Secretary was a matter of interest to all present. The collection at the close amounted to \$15.50.

The proceedings were interspersed with choice vocal and instrumental selections.

Provincial Legislature.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY. EVENING SESSION.

MONDAY, April 25.

House met at 8.40. The Speaker in the chair. The Act respecting proceedings in the Supreme Court and the Court of Chancery was read a second time.

Hon. Mr. Sullivan explained that the object of the Act was to expedite trials. Mr. Yeo asked if the bill was similar to that passed last session? Hon. Mr. Sullivan said it was somewhat similar.

House in committee of the whole. Mr. Shaw in the chair. In motion the Speaker took the chair, and the chairman reported the bill agreed to.

House adjourned.

FORENOON SESSION.

TUESDAY, April 26.

The bill to incorporate the Abegweit Athletic Association was read a second time and passed in committee.

The bill to incorporate the Cornwall Creamery Company was introduced and read a first time.

The Charlottetown Waterworks bill was introduced and read a first time.

Mr. Blake gave notice to the House that he will, to-morrow, submit a resolution regarding the question of Home Rule for Ireland, and in reference to Imperial Coercive Legislation towards that country.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THE SUBWAY BILL DISCUSSED.

APRIL 25.

The Legislative Council chamber was filled, last evening with a large audience, who listened attentively to the debate on the Hillsborough Subway Bill.

An amendment, deferring the construction of the work until further information was obtained, was introduced by Hon. Mr. Laird, seconded by Hon. Mr. McNutt, and supported by Hon. Mr. McKenzie. This amendment was opposed by the Hon. Messrs. Nicholson, Clow and Martin, who ably supported the original bill. Hon. Mr. Martin delivered a forcible and telling speech, showing up the insincerity of the Opposition, who were taking effectual means to deprive Belfast and the Southern side of the Island of the travelling accommodation so justly due them. The taunts of the Opposition, charging the Government with bringing forward this scheme for political purposes were successfully met, and Mr. Martin only expressed the views of the people of Belfast and Murray Harbor, when he asked the Opposition to allow the Bill to pass, so that the sincerity of the Government could be tested. If, as he said, this Bill were passed, and it were found that the Government took no steps to have the work performed, then they could conclude that the Government had been insincere. He taunted the Opposition with cowardice in not allowing the bill to go into Committee, so that the measure could be discussed on its merits. He ridiculed the idea that hon. members of that Council were better able to decide on the merits of a work of this kind, than engineers of first-class reputation. With reference to the charge of the Opposition that this would be an experiment, he showed clearly that by the experiment, if any, had to be made by the Company or contractors who undertook the work. From the speeches of hon. members who opposed this bill he concluded that the opposition party, true to their instincts, were not willing that any important facilities should be given the people of the Southern side of the Hillsborough; that they should be moderate and humble in their demands, and should never expect to get any larger public works than a bridge across some creek or pond. Let the people of Belfast, Fort Augustus and Murray Harbor, make a note of the generosity of the Opposition party as therein displayed; and when an opportunity arises let them give that party the condemnation their conduct deserves.

Departure of Rev. A. J. McIntyre.

The Rev. Father McIntyre left town this evening to assume the duties of the pastorate of Tracadie, Covehead and Corran Bay. From the time it became known that the rev. gentleman was to sever his connection with the parish which he has served with such acceptance for several years as senior priest, he has been literally deluged with expressions of regret at his departure, accompanied by many beautiful and costly souvenirs, suggested by the thoughtfulness and affection of the people. The grand display of silverware, bric-a-brac and articles useful for housekeeping to be seen at the Palace has rarely been excelled. In fact, the good parishioners of St. Dunstan's seemed to vie with each other in putting their appreciation of Father McIntyre's services to them into tangible form. With the gifts of the different Societies, addresses were presented to the rev. gentleman. The congregation presented the following address, which was accompanied with a purse containing \$130:—

The Catholics of St. Dunstan's Parish to the Rev. A. J. McIntyre.

REVEREND SIR,—We have learned with regret that, in obedience to the orders of our Bishop, the ties which for the past few years have so closely knit us are to be severed, and your labors transferred to another field.

The regret we feel at parting with you naturally brings back to our recollection the many ways in which you have busied yourself for our welfare; for your zeal was not confined within narrow limits, but spread itself without losing any of its vigor over all those works which warm into fervor a Catholic people. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul in its care of the poor, the Society of St. Joseph, the education of the young in our schools, and the well-organized Society of Christian Doctrine—all have experienced your care and prospered under your direction.

But more than all this, it fell to your lot, while yet young in the labors of the Priesthood, to discharge its most solemn duties in the midst of circumstances which appal the human heart, and test severely even the self-devotion of the missionary. When the scourge of small-pox afflicted this city, you were appointed to the post of danger; and we watched with pride and fear your intrepid bearing during those weeks of dismay and death. Day and night you wrought amidst the stricken victims of the disease, amid scenes of squalor and misery, the consoler and comforter of the suffering.

At the risk of offending your modesty we have adverted to these matters, in order that the grounds for this public act may be understood. We mean, rev. sir, to show you that we are grateful for the labors you have undergone for our sake, and if our expressions appear weak, it is because the feelings which subsist between a Catholic people and their Priest find in words

lame symbols of the depth and delicacy of these feelings. Inasmuch, however, as actions give strength to words, we ask you to accept of this sum of money, knowing, as we do, that your charities among our poor have left you little wealth with which to meet the outlay of a changed position. In conclusion, we pray Heaven to prosper your work among those to whom you are sent, and to bless you with health. You on your part, we are sure, will not at the altar forget us, the Parishioners of St. Dunstan's, Charlottetown, April 25, 1887.

This address was presented by a committee of young men in the grand salon of the palace yesterday evening, and elicited a feeling and appropriate reply.

Quite a number of the members of the Cathedral congregation and the Priests of the Parish accompanied Father McIntyre to the station at 3 o'clock. With his numerous friends THE EXAMINER extends to the rev. gentleman its best wishes for "health, happiness and prosperity" in his new field of labor.

Board of Trade.

THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ADOPTED.

The adjourned meeting of commercial men and others of this Island, to reorganize the Board of Trade, was held this morning at 11.15 o'clock in the City Council Chamber, His Worship Mayor Haviland in the chair.

Lewis Carvell, Esq., as chairman of the committee of seven appointed to take the necessary steps, read the following report:

The committee appointed by the meeting held on Friday last "to take such steps as may be necessary to reorganize the Board of Trade, with as large a membership as possible," under the name of the "Prince Edward Island Board of Trade," have respectfully to report:—

First—That by chapter 130 of the revised statutes of Canada, which is "An Act respecting the Incorporation of Boards of Trade," it is provided that "any number of persons, not less than thirty, who are or have been merchants, traders, brokers, mechanics, manufacturers, managers of banks, or insurance agents, resident in any district which has a population of not less than 2,500 persons, may associate themselves together as a Board of Trade, and appoint a Secretary."

Second—That the persons so associating themselves together, shall under their hands and seals make a certificate, specifying the name assumed by the association, and by which it shall be known, also the name of the district in which the same is situated, and its business is transacted, and the name of the person by them appointed secretary to the Board.

Third—That such certificate shall be acknowledged before a notary, or other proper officer, by the secretary of the said Board of Trade, and forwarded to the Secretary of State for Canada, who shall cause the same to be recorded in a Register, to be kept for that purpose.

Fourth—That the persons named as incorporators in said certificate, and such others as may afterwards join them, are authorized to carry into effect the objects for which the Association was constituted, and to exercise the powers and privileges conferred by the Act; Fifth—By the first section of this Act the expression "district" is made to mean a city, county, town, village or judicial district, within and for which the Board is established under the Act.

The committee are, therefore, of the opinion that if the persons who now propose to associate themselves together as a Board of Trade, are to work under this Act, it would not be desirable to do so under the name selected by the meeting, as their district cannot extend beyond the limits of Queen's County. Assuming that under the circumstances the name will be changed, the committee have prepared for signature, and herewith submit a certificate of association for "The Charlottetown Board of Trade," which they recommend shall be signed by as many as possible of those who are now qualified for membership under the act referred to. That, when the necessary number of signatures are procured, a secretary be selected, the necessary notarial certificate attached, and that the same be forwarded to the Secretary of State, at Ottawa, without delay. The committee further recommend that as soon as possible after the receipt by the Secretary of the certificate of registry, he call a meeting of the Incorporators to elect a President, Vice-President, and a Council of eight members, and also to enact by-laws; and being so organized to carry on the object of their incorporation. The committee further recommend that the fees of membership be as follows: For the balance of the year 1887, \$5, and yearly thereafter \$5. Payable in advance.

Respectfully submitted, GEORGE McLEOD, PETER McNUTT, THOS. KIRKHAM, L. CARVELL, GEO. PEAKE, GEO. R. BEER, Committee.

On motion of L. Carvell, Esq., seconded by George McLeod, Esq., the report was adopted, and nearly all of those present proceeded to sign the certificate prepared.

On motion a committee composed of Messrs. Carvell and Peake was appointed to solicit additional names to the certificate. After some little discussion respecting the working and jurisdiction of the Board, the meeting adjourned till Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the same place.

B. D. HROGS, Secretary.

Ch'town, April 26, 1887.

Mr. Gladstone's Letter

ON AMERICAN AND COLONIAL SYMPATHY WITH THE IRISH PEOPLE—SOME RECOMMENDATIONS.

Mr. Gladstone writes: "I attach very high value and importance to the manifestations now incessant of America as well as Colonial sympathy with the Irish people in the crisis created by the causeless, insulting and insidious bill at present before Parliament. Apart from particular and more or less formal acknowledgments, I am not of the opinion that it would be proper or expedient for me to take it upon myself to address any general communication to Americans on this subject, which, however, I have noticed and may notice again in Parliament. Still, I am very anxious that the people of this country should have the means of understanding how much beyond the range of any sectional impulses, and how truly national the movement in the United States has become, and in this view I would recommend that an endeavor should be made to present some estimate of the aggregate numbers of persons by whom recent meetings in America have been attended, and likewise and especially an estimate of the number of governors, mayors, senators, representatives, clergymen, and other official or highly responsible persons by whom such meetings have been contemplated or supported."

THE COERCION ACT LYCEUM

A PUBLIC MEETING, to consider the Coercion Act will be held in the Lyceum

—ON— THURSDAY EVENING NEXT

Chair taken at eight o'clock. His Worship Mayor Haviland will preside. Speeches will be delivered by prominent citizens. By order of Committee, JOHN CONNOLLY, Secretary.

April 26, 1887.

NOTICE.

THIS is to certify that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business under the style and firm of COOMBS & LANDRIGAN, has, on this Twentieth day of APRIL, A. D. 1887, by mutual consent, been dissolved.

Dated this Twentieth day of April, 1887. Signed in the presence of GEO. COOMBS, of FREDERICK PETERS (JAS. P. LANDRIGAN.

With reference to the above it has been arranged and Notice is hereby given that all debts due the late firm of Coombs & Landrigan are to be paid to George Coombs, with the exception of such debts as the said George Coombs shall give the said Jas. P. Landrigan a written order to collect.

Dated this 20th April, 1887. GEORGE COOMBS, JAS. P. LANDRIGAN.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

THE celebrated Trotting Stallion BLACK PILOT will start at the stables of M. Whitney, until Monday, May 2nd. Come early and secure the services of the fastest trotting stallion in the Maritime Provinces.

April 26-4 pd

5,000 AGENTS WANTED! Double Quick! JOE HOWARD'S LIFE OF BEECHER, infinitely the most valuable because coming so closely from the family circle and by a master-hand, engaged a "labor of love." Richly illustrated steel portrait, &c. Will sell immensely. Millions want this Standard Life of the Greatest Preacher and Orator of the age. Quick is the word. Territory in great demand. Send for circulars and 2c. for outfit to W. E. EARLE, St. John, N. B., Manager for J. S. ROBERTSON & BROS., Publishers.

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ODDFELLOWS' NATAL DAY CELEBRATION, 1887.

THE Sixty-eighth Anniversary of American Oddfellowship will be celebrated by the Island members in Charlottetown.

On Tuesday, April 26th, in the Evening of which day a

CONCERT LYCEUM.

will be given in the

The first part of Programme will contain several new features—New Orchestral Selections, "Mikado" Selections, New Songs, and the first appearance in this City of the

VOCOPHONE BAND

an entirely new attraction on this Continent—exceedingly fascinating and amusing, alone worth the price of admission.

The second part of the programme will be An Old-Time Minstrel Entertainment, consisting of some of the choicest Christy Vocal duets with Orchestral Accompaniment, under the direction of Mr. Vinnicombe.

Programme will appear shortly and will, without doubt, be the most attractive since the days of "Pinafore."

Tickets for sale at the usual places. Admission—Reserved seats, 50 cents; Parquette and Gallery, 25 cents.

Be sure and place a sum sufficient in your estimates for Concert purposes to attend this one.

A. E. McJONALD, Secy. Committee.

April 9—wed & sat 10 then daily till 26

A By-Law for Levying and Specifying the Rate of Assessment on Real Estate, Personal Property and Incomes in the City of Charlottetown.

(Passed 21st April, 1887).

BE IT ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows:—

1st. The rate of Assessment for the year commencing the 1st day of January, A. D. 1887, and ending 31st of December, A. D. 1887, is hereby specified and fixed at the rate of one cent on every dollar of the value of Real Estate, as assessed by the Assessors of the said City, in their valuation rolls of such Real Estate, made and duly returned by them on the Fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1887.

2nd. The rate of Assessment for the year commencing the 1st of January, A. D. 1887, and ending 31st of December, A. D. 1887, is hereby specified and fixed at the rate of one-half of one per cent, on every dollar of the value of Personal Property as assessed by the Assessors of the said City in their Valuation Roll of such Personal Property made and duly returned by them on the Fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1887.

3rd. The rate of Assessment for the year commencing the 1st of January, A. D. 1887, and ending 31st of December, A. D. 1887, is hereby specified and fixed at the rate of one-tenth of one per cent, on every dollar of the amount of the net yearly income, salaries, or receipts, of all persons, partnerships and corporations as assessed by the Assessors of the said City in their Valuation Roll of such Income, made and duly returned by them on the Fourteenth day of April, A. D. 1887.

[L. S.] T. HEATH HAVILAND, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown. A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk.

Charlottetown, April 22, 1887—210aw wky 21

A By-Law for Allowing a Rate of Discount on the Assessments on Real Estate, Personal Property and Income for the current year.

BE IT ENACTED by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown, as follows:—

"A Discount at the rate of two and one-half per cent, shall be allowed to all Taxpayers who shall, on or before the FIRST DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1887, pay to the City Clerk at his Office, the taxes normally due by them for the current year on Real Estate, Personal Property and Income.

[L. S.] T. HEATH HAVILAND, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown. A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk.

Charlottetown, April 22, 1887—210aw wky 21

D. A. BRUCE is showing an immense stock of

Fashionable Hats

bought for Cash and Selling At Prices that would Astonish You for Cheapness.

Boys' FELT HATS for 25 Cents each.

D. A. BRUCE. Ch'town, April 25, 1887—cod & wky

BACK TO THE OLD STAND.

J. B. MACDONALD

HAS removed back to his Old Stand, on QUEEN STREET, and is now opening his Spring Stock, personally selected in England. Buying his goods for Cash, and selling only for Cash, he will consequently be in a position to offer his customers goods at the very Closest Prices.

J. B. MACDONALD. Ch'town, April 21, '87—dy wky

FOR CASH ONLY.

Perkins & Sterns

From this date we intend to do business For Cash Only, thereby preventing any loss by bad debts, saving salary of a Book-keeper and loss of interest, cost of stationery and books, and other charges on a credit business,—will buy and sell for Cash and be in a position to give ready money customers the very best value.

NEW STOCK OF ROOM PAPER JUST OPENED (Over 25,000 Rolls in Stock—Newest Patterns—Very Cheap.)

Large stock of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS to arrive in a few days by regular steamers.

Perkins & Sterns April 15—& wky

BRITISH WAREHOUSE

83 QUEEN STREET.

EXTENSIVE CASH SALE!

I have decided to close out the whole of my stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, commencing December 15th, 1886, and continuing until the whole is disposed of, at

LARGE DISCOUNTS FOR CASH. A. L. BROWN. Ch'town, Dec. 14—wky