

THE DAILY EXAMINER

OCTOBER 23, 1894.

Y. M. C. A.

The financial position of the Y. M. C. A. is, not apparently, much, if any, worse than it has been in some former years. The Association owns a floating debt of about \$800. This includes the interest on the old mortgage debt of \$3,000. We do not presume that there need be much trouble about the latter, that is if the Protestants of the town, as distinguished from the Roman Catholics, determine that the institution shall be kept up. The floating debt must, of course, in any case, be paid forthwith. There are several strong reasons why the institution should be maintained. Chief of these is the importance, the necessity, of providing for our young men some resort in a moral atmosphere, with means of intellectual and physical recreation and enjoyment, as a countercheck to the allurements of the dens in which drinking, gambling and other darker vices are indulged. It may be true that religion in the sense of public prayer, preaching and exhortation is not now needed apart from our churches, etc. But religion in the sense of keeping our young people in the right path, religion in the sense of strengthening the feeble knees and uplifting the fallen, is now as greatly needed as ever it was in the history of Charlotte-town. In this view, it will reflect very disgracefully upon the community if the Young Men's Christian Association is permitted to go down. We must have a reading room in the town; we ought to have a public gymnasium;—and why not have these things in connection with an Association closely related to all our Protestant churches? Why not a little further, as suggested by the Rev. Mr. Fullerton, and have coffee rooms, billiard tables, and other attractions in themselves harmless? Surely the zeal of the Protestant community will rise superior to the present necessity of raising \$800 and providing means to maintain, in some form, an institution that is so much needed.

THE BOOKS' DUTIES.

The Guardian challenges THE EXAMINER to a discussion of the book duties. The following books are admitted absolutely free of duty: Books, viz: Bibles, prayer books, psalm and hymn, and books printed in any language other than the English and French languages. Books, embossed for the blind, and books for the instruction of the deaf and dumb and blind. Books printed by any government or by any association for the promotion of science or letters, and official annual reports of religious or benevolent associations, and issued in the course of proceedings of the said associations, to their members, and not for the purpose of sale or trade. Books, not being printed or reprinted in Canada, which are included and used as text books in the curriculum of any university or incorporated College in Canada for the use of students thereof; books specially imported for the bona fide use of incorporated mechanics' institutes, public free libraries, and university and college libraries and law libraries of any duly organized law association or society for the use of its members, not more than two copies of each book, under regulations made by the Governor in Council. Books, bound or unbound, which have been printed and manufactured more than twelve years. The following books are subject to duty: Books, printed periodicals and pamphlets, n. e. s., not being foreign reprints of British copyright works nor blank account books nor copy books, nor books to be written or drawn upon, nor Bibles, prayer books, psalm and hymn books, six cents per pound. British copyright works, reprints of six cents per pound and in addition twelve and one-half per cent. ad valorem until the end of next session of Parliament, and thereafter six cents per pound. We think that a discussion of this matter is unnecessary. It will readily be seen that the best books are admitted free of duty, and that the specific duties imposed upon other books are designed to give those of the finer kinds an advantage in the Canadian market over those of coarser quality, which include the "yellow covered literature." The principle upon which this is done is precisely the same as that upon which tea and coffee and sugar are placed upon the free list, while spirituous liquors are taxed at the rate of 22 1/2 cents per gallon and 30 per cent. ad valorem. This principle need not be defended. It may, indeed, be contended that all good books should be admitted free of duty. The same contention may be raised in respect to many other good things. But such contentions must give way before the paramount necessity of raising sufficient revenue. Judging by the returns of the revenue published since the tariff was readjusted, it is to be feared that the Finance Minister has already remitted and reduced too many of the duties.

—Admiral Hopkins has written an open letter to Promoter Hudhart, who came to England in the interest of the Canadian fast Atlantic service. In it he says: "It seems a pity that the enterprise and genius which completed the magnificent service over the major part of the route between the United Kingdom and the West, via the Canadian Pacific railway, should not now be backed by some further enterprise able and willing to furnish means for bridging the remaining portions and making the whole possible in far shorter time than at present. The dangers of navigation may be dismissed as existing, but surmountable. I feel confident that most commanders of the Allan and Dominion steamers would unhesitatingly and with alacrity exchange their present vessels for others running twenty knots. Detention by fog is no greater for a fast ship than a slow one. It does not affect the present question.

Rheumatism is primarily caused by acidity of the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood, and thus cures the disease.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Montreal is to have an exhibition in 1895, and the Montreal Gazette requests the rest of the world to take notice and govern itself accordingly. —At the end of September the loans to Provincial Governments by the Merchants Bank of P. E. Island amounted to \$85,574.00, and by the Merchants Bank of Halifax \$75,665.00. —Henry Clews, commenting upon the business situation in the States, says: "The symptoms of growing confidence in the market are unmistakable, and sagacious operators are looking for an early improvement in prices; though more disposed to wait for a fuller maturity of conditions than to precipitate a rise prematurely." —L'Impartial: We hope that the Government will awaken from the drowsiness into which it has fallen in having ignored until now the just claims of the great majority of our country, without distinction of party as demanded for nearly nine months the nomination of the Hon. J. O. Arsenault to the senatorial seat made vacant through the resignation of the Hon. G. W. Howland.

—Montreal Gazette: "The Government has added to the order-in-council regarding the issue of Dominion notes, authorized at the last session of Parliament, a clause providing for the holding of a dollar in gold for each dollar of issue in excess of the \$20,000,000 limit. The clause in the act making this compulsory was lost in some way yet unexplained during the progress of the measure through Parliament. The Government, by its action, shows its desire that the will of Parliament shall be respected, even when it is not directly expressed in the statute. —The London Morning Post says of Sir John Thompson's proposed visit: The Canadian Premier's visit undoubtedly has some connection with the resolutions of the Ottawa Intercolonial conference. Owing to the apathy of the Australian colonies it is unlikely that the Government will enter into any contract with Canada under the cable and steamship lines, until a formal offer from Australia arrives. Minor questions, such as copyright, can, however, be debated with a prospect of obtaining Great Britain's views. Sir John Thompson may be sure of a hearty reception and general encouragement of views promoting closer relations between Canada and the Mother Country.

TRADE DURING SEPTEMBER.

The exports during the month of September amounted in value to \$1,996,852, of which \$10,971,932 was produce of Canada and \$1,024,120 produce of other countries. This shows an increase of \$755,170 in goods the produce of Canada over same month last year, and a decrease of \$1,538,255 in produce of other countries, which is almost entirely in agricultural products. For the first quarter of the fiscal year the total exports have been \$34,555,471 of which \$31,317,724 was produce of Canada and \$3,237,747 produce of other countries. Compared with the same quarter last year this shows a decrease of \$1,579,015 in produce of Canada, and \$2,901,065 in produce of other countries. The following comparative statement of goods the produce of Canada will show where increases and decreases have taken place:

Table with 2 columns: Goods, 1893-94, 1894-95. Rows include Mines, Fisheries, Animals, Agriculture, Manufactures, Miscellaneous, Bullion.

The goods entered for consumption during September were as follows: Dutiable goods, \$5,296,073. Free goods, 3,578,956. Con and bullion, 483,381. Duty collected, \$1,599,529. Compared with the same month last year, this shows a decrease of \$1,369,503 in dutiable goods, \$200,884 in free, and \$1,254,329 in coin and bullion, and \$399,182 in duty collected. The statement of circulation and specie for September shows amount of circulation outstanding on 30th to have been \$22,852,770, against which there is held \$10,413,245 in specie, \$1,946,667 in guaranteed debentures and \$17,250,000 in unguaranteed debentures, making a total of \$29,509,949. The statement shows that on 30th there was \$20,000,000 dollar for dollar, being held in gold.

CHEESE MARKET HONORED.

The closing of the St. Peter's Cheese Factory was accompanied by a very pleasing incident on the evening of the 17th inst., in which the Directors of the above Factory tendered Mr. Burgess, their cheese maker, with a dinner and entertainment at the residence of Mrs. Fraser. The menu served was sufficient to sharpen the appetite of the most fastidious and reflect great credit on the worthy hostess. After doing justice to the inner man the company repaired to the drawing room, where the President, Mr. Wray, having taken the chair, gave, in a few well chosen remarks a brief outline of the dairy business in this locality, after which each Director spoke enthusiastically on the great progress being made in the dairy industry, and the obstacles that stood in the way, viz., inferior stock, shortage in fodder, etc. All present spoke in the highest terms of our cheese maker, Mr. Burgess, who has given such universal satisfaction to the patrons, exhibiting the same courteous, gentlemanly manner to each and all at all times, and expressed the earnest hope that he may be with us another year. The Secretary, Mr. A. Lewis, spoke in the highest terms of the valuable assistance given by Professor Robertson and Superintendent Dillon and moved the following resolution which was carried: Whereas the end of another year in the history of our cheese industry has dawned upon us we feel, while here assembled and having done justice to the good things provided by our worthy hostess, that no more favorable opportunity could present itself to show our appreciation of the government that has given such a stimulus to the dairy industry of this province through our esteemed Professor Robertson and so ably assisted by Superintendent Dillon. We need not further expatiate as to their fitness for the post to which they so ably fill, but we have been in this industry for the past three years, therefore be it resolved that we put ourselves on record as being in sympathy with the great progress and hope ere long to see the fulfillment of the predictions of our learned Professor. The remainder of the evening was very agreeably spent, with choice selections of songs, Mrs. Fraser presiding at the organ in her usual efficient manner. In the "wee sma' hours" the company dispersed, hoping in due time to meet on a similar occasion. OSE WHO WAS PRESENT.

MR. FOSTER IN LONDON.

He Talks About Canadian Prosperity and Prospects. On the evening of Friday last, the Hon. G. E. Foster, Canadian Minister of Finance, said in an interview with one of the London papers:—"We are satisfied with the general outlook in Canada. We are coming through the depression more swifly, owing to the general tendency to economy and curtailed purchases which is one of the most notable features of Canadian life just now. Moreover, Canada yearly increases her own exports. It is essentially true that Canada desires to strengthen her commercial relations with the United Kingdom, the Australian and other colonies. The Ottawa conference emanated from that wish and developed a strong pro-English sentiment. Doubtless, the tendency is to look away from the States, although our attitude to them is perfectly friendly. The Ottawa conference happily removed the most debatable question. The tariff changes in both countries must help the interchange of trade and virtually constitute a reciprocal treaty, so far as possible, to every lowering of the United States duties." Mr. Foster questioned Governor Sir Terrence O'Brien's dictum that Newfoundland would prefer to be annexed to the States rather than to Canada. The latter's position might be summed up in her desire to round off the Canadian Confederation by the inclusion of Newfoundland, if terms could be agreed to which would be of benefit, but there was no idea of pressure, far less of coercion.

THE WAR IN THE EAST.

Yamagata, the commander of the Japanese army, and is expected soon to join battle with the Chinese at the Yalu river, is to-day, perhaps, the most popular man in the empire with the single exception of the emperor. He is 61 years of age, and has served in the Japanese army since his boyhood. He has risen literally "from the ranks." He was second in command of the restoration army in 1868, at the time of the overthrow of the 150-year-old present Emperor is spoken of in Japan. At that time the army was commanded by Saigo Takamori. Nine years later Saigo Takamori rebelled and took into the field a very considerable army composed of the flower of the Japanese forces. It was then that the Japanese forces, and with a force composed of only raw levies, overcame and eventually dispersed the rebels. Since then Yamagata's popularity with the people has been unbroken. He is a statesman as well as a soldier, and in addition to his rank as a general he has been for some time acceptedly filled the office of prime minister of the empire. This semi-official statement has been made concerning the late Premier, Sir Robert Hart, inspector-general of customs for the Chinese government, has directed the government's attention to the enormous reduction of customs revenues. Exports have ceased to be almost entirely, and imports have decreased greatly. Sir Robert was consulted as to the expediency of using custom steamers as military transports. He replied that this would be expedient as the steamer fittings and armaments are available. Gunners of Chinese officers were available.

GENERAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

MONTREAL, Oct. 21.—A cable to the Star from London says: In the Canadian finance minister's interview with the Chronicle, Mr. Foster touched upon pretty nearly the whole range of topics connected with British and Canadian discussion, except the loan and fast Atlantic service. There is little doubt but that Foster's visit is for the purpose of aiding Hudhart, in a sense of official capacity. People here generally approve of Foster's utterance—that it is the desire of Canada to encourage British imports while at the same time she is perfectly friendly to the United States. PARIS, Oct. 21.—In regard to the Czar's illness, the Figaro says: "Eminent physicians are of opinion that the symptoms of the Czar's malady do not present the usual sign of renal disease. It is certain the sister of the Czarina received an official message a fortnight ago saying his majesty was suffering from tumor above his left breast. Dr. Zaccaria expressed his belief that it was of a cancerous nature, and that a successful operation was impossible. On the other hand Prof. Levdon believed the growth was of a mild type." The Figaro adds that the Czar has been lately nursed, and that arrangements for treating him at Livadia have been of the most primitive character.

The public is becoming a little sceptical about waterproofed goods, whether for men or women. Claims have been made which were never substantiated. And at the very best they had a waterproof look about them which was not reassuring. It is the distinguishing merit of Priestley's Cravenettes that they are precisely like the same goods not waterproofed. They are absolutely rain proof and keep persons, though there be no rain, from the rain repelling quality. Priestley's trade mark "The Vanished Board" will always be found in these goods.

Madame Russell of St. John is at Mrs. McGregor's, Prince Street, (next to the Methodist Brick Church) with a full line of hair good and toilet requisites. A Madame Russell has an assistant with her the room will be open during the day, when shampooing and dressing hair will be attended to in a satisfactory manner. Ladies' and gentlemen's wig a specialty. Also making excellent switches from combings. Will remain until further notice. Oct 23 dy 31 & wy. pat

MARRIED. At Church of England, Milton, by Rev. T. B. Reagh, assisted by Rev. J. C. Cox, Harry C. Douse to Mrs. Jane E. Cox, daughter of the late William Swaby, both of Charlottetown.

DIED. At Tracadie Cross, on Oct. 19th, Penzie Josephine, dearly beloved child of Allan and Minnie McDonald, aged 13 months.

LOCAL NOTICES. Advertisements under this heading charged for at the rate of ten cents per line.

Ladies' new kid gloves received to-day at James Paton & Co's. New self-binding buckram in 2 lb packages, just received at Beer & Goff's. Oct. 22th. New Greenland seal capes arrived by express, marked "J P & Co." See Paton & Co's latest arrival of Ladies' brown sacques.

Grand Trunk Railway Report.

MONTREAL, Oct. 23. A London cable says that the Grand Trunk report for the last half year has just been issued. It says that the past six months has been most disastrous.

Records Broken.

WALTHAM, Oct. 23. Tyler rode the fastest mile bicycle race ever contested in the world, breaking the even mile and three-quarter mile competition records. Time, 1.31 2-5 and 2.05 1-5.

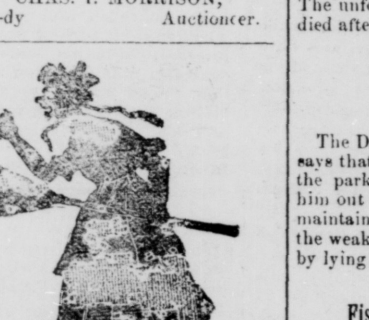
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BANK STOCK BY AUCTION.

At Sales Room, LePage's Corner, Queen Street, on SATURDAY, 27th inst, at 12 o'clock, noon, 41 Shares Merchant's Bank of P. E. Island. CHAS. I. MORRISON, Oct 23—dy Auctioneer.



Take My Advice! I've Tried Them All!

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PUTTNER'S EMULSION.

Cures Consumption in its early stages.

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Prolongs life in the advanced stages of Consumption.

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More solid comfort in one package of Mastiff tobacco than you can get out of any other plug cut in the world. Try a package and see that we tell the truth.

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SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

Conservative Demonstration.

OTTAWA, Oct. 23. A great Conservative demonstration will be held at Moncton, Nov. 6th, when Sir Charles Tupper, Hon. Mr. Oulmet and Hon. Clarke Wallace, as well as a number of members of parliament, will deliver addresses. It is probable that from Moncton the ministers will proceed to Nova Scotia, where a number of meetings are being arranged for.

A Love Tragedy.

ST. MARTIN'S, Que., Oct. 23. This village was thrown into a state of great excitement yesterday by the tragic death of Miss Dion, aged nineteen, and one of the best-known and most popular young ladies of the parish. It is stated that the deceased was disappointed in love. The unfortunate girl took Paris green and died after great suffering.

The Czar's Condition.

LESDIN, Oct. 23. The Daily News' correspondent in Berlin says that the Czar walked half an hour in the park yesterday. The doctors keep him out of bed as much as possible to maintain his moral energy and counteract the weakness of heart which is increased by lying down.

Fistic Encounter in St. John.

ST. JOHN, Oct. 23. The Mechanics Institute was crowded last night to witness the fight between McEACHEN, the Shoe Man, and Pete Manning of Boston. The fight lasted just one minute. Manning was knocked down four times and the last time was unable to respond to the call of time.

A Pure Fabrication.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 23. Mr. Coyle, Manager of the International Steamship Company, says that the report of the intended consolidation of steamship interest from New York and Boston to points in Maine, New Brunswick and western Nova Scotia, is a pure fabrication.

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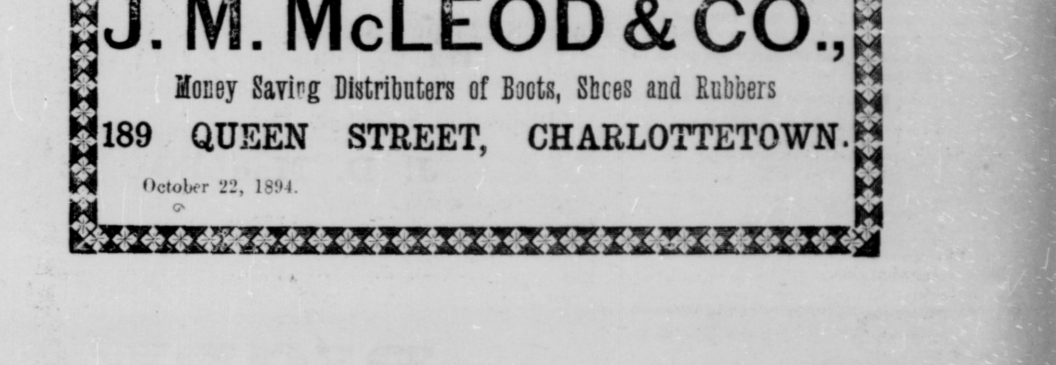
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E. W. TAYLOR, CAMEROV BLOCK. Last Trip!

Steamer MIRAMICHI will leave Montreal on 29th October, for the last trip of the season. Returning, leaves Charlottetown on 31st November. Oct 23—dy pat guar

JEWEL STOVES & RANGES.

"From the mouths of many witnesses shall truth be established." Over THREE HUNDRED JEWEL STOVES in use on P. E. Island, and it is only about three years since they were introduced. We refer to a few: Lieutenant-Governor Howland, D. J. Kane, American Consul, W. H. Aitken, of Messrs Carvell Bros, James Haynes, at "John Trimmer, George Ledgwick, L. W. Watson, Rev D McNeill, T. C. James, A. E. Morrison, Rev T Fullerton, George Peake, Mrs. J. M. Sutherland, E. T. Carlomell, Henry Boswall, Commercial Hotel, Summerside, Revere Hotel, City, Lansdowne Hotel, Cape Traverse, Capt. Alex McLeod, Orwell, R. Carver, Pownal, John Driscoll, Lot 48, and upwards of 250 more, but as newspaper space costs money we will furnish further information at the CITY HARDWARE STORE. Buy a JEWEL and you are sure of satisfaction.

R. B. NORTON & CO.,

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NEW GROCERY Meat Store.

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