

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

FEBRUARY 18, 1898.

A HINT.

The Province of Manitoba is making a raid upon the Dominion Treasury which bids fair to be successful.

A BOOTLESS TASK.

DISAPPOINTMENT at the failure of the Government to lower taxation and reduce the debt has found expression in the Liberal County of Huntingdon, Quebec, where petitions are being circulated and freely signed, requesting that the Government shall so shape its policy as to prevent the necessity of further increase of the debt.

THE DREYFUS MATTER.

ADVICES from Paris state that there is little chance of the acquittal of M. Zola. Correspondents on the spot state that "the mob would be ready to lynch the jury, and the soldiers are much more excited than they appear to be."

A REMINDER.

A correspondent of the Montreal Witness, presumably one of the many disappointed Liberals, sends to that paper the following clipping as a reminder to the present government of their past attitude on the Tariff Question and says, significantly—"It is actions, not words, that they are to be judged by when they next come before the people at the polls."

By its new constitution, Rhodes secures the machinery of an English colony, that is, a legislative council, partly nominated by the imperial government.

According to the official report recently issued, the officers and men of the British Navy were in 1896 more healthy as a whole than they had been at any previous time for twenty years.

ESTEEMED EXCHANGES.

Ottawa Journal: One thing is clear about the House of Commons, that there is no lack of brilliant speakers in it.

Moncton Times: A good many Liberal newspapers gave currency to the mean slander that Sir Charles Tupper's company was interested in the tipping of whiskey to the Klondike.

Montreal Gazette: "Mr. Jennings, C. E., estimates that if twelve thousand persons a season use the Yukon railway it will pay for itself in ten years.

Montreal Gazette: Conservative newspapers owe something of an apology to the Auditor-General. Mr. Macdougall was always given credit for being a capital and zealous officer, but it was sometimes hinted that there was a partisan will behind his zeal.

THE NATIONAL REVIEW.

We are in receipt of the February number of the National Review, edited by L. J. Maxse, and published by Edward Arnold, 37 Bedford Street, Strand London, W. C., and 70 Fifth Avenue, New York.

The enforced resignation of the Spanish Minister to the United States, Mr. De Lome—is still under discussion.

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PORK RAISING.

Information of Much Value to the Farmer.

The following letter from the leading Pork Packers of Ontario should be read by every farmer in the province:

W. S. Fisher, Esq., St. John Board of Trade, St. John, N. B.,

Sir,—Replying to your letter of the 26th January, in which you ask us: "What is the experience of the Ontario farmer in respect to feeding? What feed have they found most profitable, and what feed gives the best results in regard to the quality of product? and next, what breeds of pigs have been found the most satisfactory on the whole?" We beg to advise as follows:—

Feeding—Not very long since, farmers in Ontario used to feed almost exclusively whole peas, and perhaps the majority of them gave them the peas in the straw leaving the pigs to find them, which of course they easily did.

We do not claim to be practical feeders, but are of opinion, in which we are confirmed by the best breeders and feeders, that the young pigs, until they are three or four months old, should be fed on coarse food in summer—clover and grass, with a small quantity of grain or meal.

Breeding—Our president, some 10 years ago, had a large farm and imported a number of the improved large Yorkshires. Directly, this was a loss; indirectly, it has benefited our packing business very much, as the progeny of these pigs have been scattered all over the province, and a cross with this breed is now the prevailing style.

The Tamworths are kept in Ontario in considerable numbers and pure-bred they make an excellent export bacon-hog, but crossed with the Berkshires are not satisfactory. We have been told that they cross well with the Chester white.

The improved large Yorkshires do not suit pure bred. They are too long coming to maturity, and are too large.

Yours truly, THE W. M. DAVIES CO., LTD.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 14.—The steamer Oregon sailed last night for Dyea and Skagway, Alaska, with 500 passengers and 1,200 tons of freight, including 50 dogs, 41 horses and 34 burros.

Big bargains for wall paper buyers these days. Up on our second story you'll find a big lot of remnants, some high grade papers, others cheap, all marked at less than cost, in most cases.—Moore & McLeod.

THE RINK.

DEAR SIR,—Permit me to say that I consider the article from the Rink Managers in your daily, yesterday, personal and insulting, to say the least, in that they most directly insinuate that "skater" is a "waltzer, etc.," and further, make particular reference to "certain chronic grumblers" whom, because they complain of rough usage, are classed as being "impossible to satisfy."

Yours sincerely, X. Y. Z.

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WEEKS. A Fancy Dress Carnival will be held in the Hillsboro' Skating Rink. Snowshoes, Firemen, Soldiers and Negroes will not be allowed on the ice. The managers reserve the right to debar objectionable costumes. Prizes will be given for best character costumes, cost to be taken into consideration. For gentlemen, \$5.00. For lady, 5.00. Special prize Maypole Soap Co. 5.00. " " Cake Walk—lady or gentleman, 5.00. Maypole Soap Company offer a special prize of Five Dollars for best costume for lady made from materials dyed with Maypole Soap. Not less than five colors to be used. The special prize for "Cake Walk" is to be awarded to the lady and gentleman who give the best impersonation of that specialty as given by Miss Williams and Mr. Tucker of the Miles Dramatic Co., here last summer. The Cake Walk March will be played by the band, at which time the contestants must appear together on the ice and remain during the rendering of the piece. No burnt cork to be used. "Look out for Weeks" "TWO FOR FIVE" ADMISSION,— Ticket holders in costume, Free. Others in costume, 25c. Promenade, 25c. Gallery, 35c. Doors open a 7.15 p.m. Procession at 8 sharp. Grand gas illumination. W.A. Weeks & Co Wholesale & Retail.

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