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ANNUAL Easter Concert!

In aid of the St. Dunstan's Cathedral Building Fund, in Basement of Cathedral,

Thursday, April 13th.

PROGRAMME

- Opening Selection..... Vinnicombe's Orchestra
Statuary.....The Nativity
1 Tenor Solo....."The Christ Child" with viola obligato
Mr Brent McInnis
2 Piano Selection—Misses Carroll, Hornsby, Smith and E Carroll
3 Vocal Solo..... Miss Van der Stee
4 Selection..... Mandoline, Banjo, Guitar and Piano—12 ladies
5 Vocal Solo..... Miss Hettie Collings
6 Vocal Duett..... Messrs Caven and Hermans
7 Reading..... Miss Enid McLean
8 Vocal Duett..... Mrs D O M Reddin & Miss W Cotton
9 Selection from students of St. Dunstan's College
10 Vocal Solo..... Mrs E H Norton
11 Male Quartette..... Messrs Owen, Bayfield, McLean, Earle
Selection—Vinnicombe's Orchestra. Statuary—The Crucifixion.
12 Vocal Solo..... Miss Amy Earle
INTERMISSION—CANDY
PART II.
1 Bass Solo..... Prof. Caven
2 Ladies' Quartette..... Misses Sheehan, Smith, Hogan & Van Iderstine
3 Baritone Solo..... Mr. Chas Earle
4 Violin Solo..... Prof. Vinnicombe
5 Selection..... from St. Dunstan's College
6 Selection..... Mandolins, Banjo, Guitar & Piano
7 Vocal Trio..... Miss Smith & Messrs Caven & Hermans
Statuary..... The Resurrection
ORCHESTRA,
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN
Admission 25 and 35c. Positively no enclosures. Doors open at 7:30. Curtain rises at 8 sharp.

THE DAILY EXAMINER

APRIL 4, 1899

"LIKE MASTER, LIKE MAN."

PERHAPS the heaviest blow the Laurier-Tarte-Sifton combination has received since the opening of Parliament was delivered by Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper. His exposure of official corruption and villiany in the Yukon administration must lower the government in the eyes of the people of all Canada. That such acts as Sir Charles Hibbert sets forth could be committed by officials of the government argues rottenness and rascality at the seat of government. It is we fear a case of "like master, like man."

THE STANLEY.

If we mistake not the Stanley came into Charlottetown harbor last year on the 22nd of March. It is, at all events, time to anticipate her arrival here this year. Reports from Hillsborough Bay are to the effect that the ice is still apparently sound, and we have not yet heard that horses are breaking through the ice of Charlottetown harbor. Still, under the combined influences of sun, wind and water, the ice must very soon be sufficiently melted to admit of the entry of our winter steamer. The sooner she comes, bringing the goods collected at Pictou, the better for our merchants and the country. Freight which Charlottetown importers are compelled to pay the P. E. Island Railway must, of course, come at last out of the pockets of the people. At any rate there is no economy in bringing goods to Charlottetown by way of Georgetown when the Stanley can just as well come directly to this port.

THE MASTER OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

It is related that, when Mr. Nicholas Flood Davin was speaking in Parliament a few days ago, inveighing against the Minister of Public Works, Mr. Tarte interjected the words "and a scalawag is a scalawag." These words were, it appears, uttered in an undertone, and were not heard by either Mr. Davin or the reporter at the desk. But the fancy of the Master of the Administration was so greatly tickled by them that he afterwards went to the reporter and insisted that they should be inserted in Hansard, in the midst of the report of Mr. Davin's speech. This incident is sufficient to indicate the calibre of the men who compose the present administration. The mind of the man who went to the reporter and insisted that this bon mot should be noted and put into Hansard must be mean and small. Yet this is the man who is, admittedly, the General Manager for the present Liberal Government of Canada! It is satisfactory to know that, when the Tarte remark appeared in Hansard the next day, Mr. Davin called attention to it and demanded an explanation—and the Master of the Administration was compelled to eat humble pie and explain that he did not intend that the remark should apply to Mr. Davin.

The annual report of the fisheries department shows that the total value of Canadian fisheries last year was \$22,783,546, an increase of \$2,376,122 over the previous year, the best in the history of the country. But some doubt has been thrown upon the correctness of the report.

THE GOVERNORSHIP.

We must decline to publish any additional letters upon this subject unless they are signed by the writers' proper names. Really we cannot see that there is any necessity for public discussion about the matter. The public and the government, alike, are evidently well pleased with the present incumbent. The public, at least, would be satisfied if the Hon. Mr. Howland should continue to be Governor for the rest of his mortal life. Positively—as an astute gentleman was wont to say—there is no necessity for a change.

NEWS TO BE NOTED.

The Halifax Herald points out a feature of the trade situation of which our farmers and dealers may well take note. The Herald says:

"It has long been known that Nova Scotia dairymen have not been able by any means to supply the demand for butter that exists in this city and province. Halifax dealers at certain seasons of the year, particularly, import large quantities from Quebec and Ontario. The same remark is true of beef and to some extent of cheese. The dependence of Nova Scotia on outside territory for butter and the necessity for our farmers exerting themselves if they are to retain that portion of the trade they now hold, received a new illustration yesterday. Two firms in this city received inquiries from Winnipeg, a king if they could handle a car of Manitoba butter. The quality is stated to be good. A reply was wired to forward the butter if the price was kept down to a specified figure. It is a strange fact that butter can be freighted half across the continent and brought to this city to undersell the product of dairies right at our doors. The result of this experiment, if it is carried into effect, will be watched with interest by farmers, dealers and consumers."

It seems that our dairymen and dealers are either not making the most of their position, or else that the dairymen and dealers of the West have advantages over them of which we have not been aware. Certainly we ought to be able to supply Halifax with butter (and beef also) on better terms than the merchants of Winnipeg can afford.

FRUIT GROWERS DIRECTORATE.

Sir,—A correspondent of the Patriot makes an attack on the Fruit Growers Association because it has made the Rev. A. E. Burke one of its directors. I am surprised that the Patriot should permit such a letter to appear. Is it because the Rev. Father is a Roman Catholic priest of good standing? Certainly that writer forgets that fruit-growing was the first occupation of man on earth, and that the director was the Creator of all.

Then may not one recognized by the Christian world as one of God's special servants act as an officer of a society whose special and only work is to promote the delightful and profitable occupation of fruit growing?

It would be well for the fruit growing interests of our province if more clergymen were willing to leave the comforts and peaceful surroundings of their homes to help promote useful industries, even at the risk of unpleasant and undeserved insinuations.

PROTESTANT.

Do not miss hearing Mr. Newson's paper upon Geological evidence of Kepler's Nebular Hypothesis at the meeting of the Natural History Society in the Y. M. C. A. parlour at 8 o'clock to-night. Public admitted free.

FUNERAL NOTICE.—The members of the League of the Cross will meet at their Hall in regalia to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock sharp to attend the funeral of their late brother member, John A. Martin. By order Chas. J. Mitchell, Secretary.

DRAMA AT KELLY'S CROSS.

A crowded house greeted the amateur dramatic club of Kelly's Cross last evening when they made their first appearance in the celebrated drama, "Captain Jack; or the Irish Outlaw." The characters were cast as follows:

- Captain Edward Gordon.....Milwood Doyle
Squire Shannon.....Clement Flood
John Driscoll.....A. C. Deighan.
Barney Donovan.....John Bradley
Teddy Burke.....Mark Smith
Lieutenant Rogers.....Mathias Smith
Aline Driscoll.....Regina Flood
Nellie Shannon.....Carrie McDonald
Kate Kelly.....Anastasia Duffy
Mary.....Mary A. Monaghan

Special mention might be made of the acting of Miss Regina Flood as "Aline Driscoll," as well as that of Miss Anastasia Duffy as "Katie Kelly" and Miss Carrie McDonald as "Nellie Shannon," all of whom displayed much dramatic talent. Of the gentlemen performers, John Bradley as "Barney Donovan" took the house by storm; and the Messrs. Doyle, Flood, Deighan and Smith brothers also acted their parts very creditably. The League of the Cross band gave several selections between the acts. The St. Dunstan's College Glee club also rendered several choice selections in their usual excellent manner. The proceeds amounted to \$100.

THE GOVERNORSHIP.

Sir,—Would you kindly allow me space in your valuable paper to express my gratification at the movement which I understand is on foot to make the Hon. Angus McMillan Lieutenant Governor of Prince Edward Island? A man of correct life and strict business integrity; a firm believer in the champion of the principles of the Liberal party, to the service of which he has given the best of his life, a gentleman of the old school, respected and honored by his political opponents as well as his party associates, his appointment would be a graceful recognition of his long and honorable career and would give satisfaction not alone to the people of all classes and creeds in the province, but to many provincialists who, though not residing there, still take a lively interest in the land of their birth. Let the Dominion Government honor itself by honoring Angus McMillan.

Yours truly, JAMES HEDLEY BREHAUT. 9 Cardington St., Roxbury, Mass.

DIED.

At Upper Burgeo, Nfld., on the 5th ult., after a short illness, George W R Bowdridge, E-q., in the 79th year of his age.

Plot-holders of Sherwood Cemetery are reminded of the annual meeting which takes place in the Y. M. C. A. parlour to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A nice lot of ladies umbrellas just received at Stanley Bros—good coverings and very pretty handles, read ad. 2 i

Mail and Empire: If it were not for a remarkably low death rate, population in Ontario would be at a standstill. This is the plain conclusion of Dr. Bryce's report of births, marriages and deaths for 1897.



ACT 1.

SCENE I—Charlottetown; a Queen Street Dealers store

ENTER—A Commercial Traveller, great swell from abroad

C. T.—Good morning. I represent.....an immense company doing great business in soap—We offer great inducements in 100 box lots.

DEALER—Indeed! I purchase my soap from Ch'town Soap Works, in lots as required. My capital is free, not locked in dead stock, and as I am never overstocked with rancid soap, my customers are always sure of a good article at any price, they are continually enquiring for soaps made at their own factory because they are the cheapest, purest, and best soaps on the market.

C. T.—A mistake somewhere. P. E. Island imports almost everything, there is not sufficient local patriotism to build up a Soap Industry here, give me the names of the brands you sell, and we will compare prices.

DEALER—I sell ROYAL OAK, a matchless laundry soap, and Jubilee unexcelled for toilet and light laundry. Intense interest, prices compared.

C. T.—You cannot expect us to sell soap as cheap as above brands, and equal in quality. We have to pay freight, cartage, customs, charges etc. and do you expect us to work for nothing?

DEALER—I do not expect it.

C. T.—Oh! give me an order since I am here, I may not trouble you again.

DEALER—I cannot live on sentiment.

C. T.—Nor can I live without orders—Exit.

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- EASTER Ladies' 8 fold silk Easter Neckwear, and Men's New Hats
NECKWEAR stocks in all the new spring shades, a prevailing New York fashion
Easter Hand-Scalloped edge kerchiefs Swiss embroidered Handkerchief.
MEN'S Silk Scarfs in new SCARFS spring designs and colorings. 4-in-hand, Puff Ladies' Umbrellas, String and other styles. New Waterproofs

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Housecleaning.

As the spring housecleaning season is approaching it's wise for the ladies to consider how they are going to attain the best results. Take the advice of millions of people in all parts of the world and use nothing but.....

"Sunlight" & "Lifebuoy" Soaps

which are sold at 5c per twin bar. Each bar of these world renowned Brands carries with it a \$5000 guarantee of absolute purity. They will remove the dirt quickly and easily and leave a pleasant, sweet odor about the house, and will not ruin paint work as do "Washing Powders," and adulterated soaps.

"LIFERUOY" is a carbolic disinfectant soap, and is strongly recommended for killing all disease germs. Use plenty of it and be healthy.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Queen Hotel: Roy McDonald, A A Ferguson, Summerside; W H Petibick, Mrs Petibick, Bedque; C Stewart, Dalhousie, N B; J Gordon McKay, Bradabane.
Hotel Davies: A E Williams, Summerside; D McKenna, Tignish; R McNeill, Stanley Bridge; M A Shaffner, Halifax; Dr. McIntyre, Souris.
C. M. B. A.—Branch 216, C. M. B. A., will meet in the A. O. H. Hall this evening, at 8 o'clock.

DIDN'T TAKE PLACE.—The ice races did not take place yesterday afternoon. The necessary entries were not forthcoming.

With Invalids. Yes? with invalids the appetite is capricious and needs coaxing, that is just the reason they improve so rapidly under Scott's Emulsion, which is as palatable as cream.

Try "Diamond" shoe dressing 15c at R. K. Jost's. TO LET—A house on West St., lately occupied by Mr C P Fletcher. Apply to R O Douse. FIREMAN WANTED—A strictly temperate man wanted as fireman at Gas Works, one who can do easy blacksmith work preferred. A steady job for the right man. Apply to Charlottetown Light and Power Co'y, Ltd, Queen St office

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