

THE DAILY EXAMINER. MARCH 5, 1892.

Social Evils.

THANKS, in the first place, to the Rev. Mr. Brewer, and, in the second place, to THE EXAMINER, there has passed over our town a wholesome breeze of discussion concerning sundry social evils.

As to social vice, we do not think that evidence has, so far, been adduced to justify the very strong general statements that have been made by some of our correspondents and others.

Mr. Bentley's stock was insured with Messrs. Trenchard & Deane of this city for \$60,000. We have not heard an estimate of the value of the property destroyed.

Return Hockey Match. EAST VS. WEST. Last night was what is commonly called a stay-at-home night, yet some hundreds of hockey loving people assembled at the rink to witness the return match between the boys from the east and west ends of the city.

Local Notices. The largest, cheapest and best range of carpets are always to be found at James Paton & Co's, Market Square.

The three hundred thousand Germans who are preparing to leave the Volga provinces of Russia for the United States are very different from the natives of Germany.

Written for The Examiner. Spurgeon.

"NOTHING BUT FAITH." There was no faith of pulseless form, Of actor, acting well his role; Or deeming, through mere solemn rites, To nourish the immortal soul.

Lament of a British Subject.

They tell us that our laws are made By men who have our rights in view; But still I fear it is not so— To them no gratitude is due.

Fire at Kensington.

MR. BENTLEY'S STORE BURNT DOWN. FIRE broke out in the store of Mr. Bentley, at Kensington, at eleven o'clock last night.

Fighting Hard.

TORONTO, March 5. James Trow, the Grit whip, is fighting hard for political existence in South Perth at the election on 10th March.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, March 5.—10 a. m. Decreasing winds; clearing, mild, weather in eastern portion; rain in western portion.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Capes Route.

SIR,—I send you a short report of the crossing here by the iceboat service. There has not been any ice in the gulf opposite here this winter; and since the iceboats started the great difficulty they find is the thin ice and lolly.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Newfoundland Difficulty.

OTTAWA, March 5. There's a probability of the dispute between the Dominion and Newfoundland Governments being settled.

Sensation in Montreal.

MONTREAL, March 5. The sensation of the hour is the discovery that Mayor McShane has not paid his city taxes for the last two years.

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door. In doing so a back stairs has to be traversed in close proximity to some nasty smelling places by which several scholars have become ill, while the "grand staircase" reserved for a superior order of beings called teachers and pupils.

In regard to the second, and I may say, infinitely greater injustice than is the first mentioned, I would ask, who is responsible, Trustees or Principal, for the following decree? Pupils who do not master their lessons, or are careless or want of brightness or intelligence, (in some classes those who make a mistake in answering a single question) are "kept in" after school hours.

A pupil who has been thus "kept in" is reported to the principal, who, on a certain day, "stand up" in the centre of the hall subject to the ridicule of their brighter and more intelligent fellows. (I do not object to this punishment for violating the rule of deportment.)

A third, and perhaps greater injustice than either of the two I have mentioned is the fact that pupils from non-attendance through sickness, have five marks per day taken from their record. This is simply flying in the face of Providence.

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MARCH MARCH. Lace Curtain Sale is the order of the day at BEER BROS.

600! SIX HUNDRED PAIRS OF Lace Curtains, IN NEW AND PRETTY DESIGNS. Special Attractions in Design, Quality and Prices, from 40 cents per pair up.

BEER BROS. Upholstering! We have a fine line of FURNITURE COVERINGS. This month we give special attention to repairs.

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BEDROOM SUITES in endless variety, at prices away below any offered. 1,000 pairs Window Shades, in plain, dado and fringed, all the latest colors; Hartshorn's Spring Rollers, 15c. each and up; Window Poles and Fixtures, cheapest in the city.

7,000 Miles. IN MANY KINDS OF WATCHES the combined number of revolutions of all the wheels exceeds 180 MILLIONS OF MILES each year, and their combined travel is OVER SEVEN THOUSAND MILES.

DO YOU WANT? FIRE, LIFE or ACCIDENT INSURANCE? If so, call on the undersigned, who represent English, Scotch and Canadian Insurance Companies.

URQUHART & BROW, GENERAL INSURANCE AGENTS. Office—Brown's Block, Charlottetown.

ROLLED OATS EXCHANGED, OR CASH PAID FOR, A DEBATE WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE White Oats or Good Black Oats, S. E. Debating Club Rooms, MONDAY, MARCH 7th.

A New Method! I AM now prepared to make sets of artificial teeth on WARR'S METAL PLATES. These plates are specially adapted for months where there is a great absorption of the ridge which so frequently occurs in the lower jaw.

JUST ARRIVED, PER S. S. STANLEY. 20 TONS ONTARIO BRAN and CHOPPED FEED, ALSO FLOUR, CORN MEAL and ROLLED OATS for sale cheap.

As Palatable as Sweet Milk! A Boon to the Little Ones!

HACKNOMORE may be given to the little ones of a tender age, according to the directions on the label, with perfect safety. Mother, if your little boy or girl is troubled with a Cough, go at once to the nearest drug store and buy a bottle of HACKNOMORE.

Marshfield Steam Saw and Shingle Mill. THE subscriber having completed the erection of a Steam Saw and Shingle Mill on his Farm at East River, Lot 21, is now fully equipped for manufacturing first magnitude grades of lumber.

BIG BARGAINS IN ALL KINDS OF FOOTWEAR. J. M. McLEOD & CO'S, QUEEN STREET.

Don't Buy Until You Get Our Prices! CHARLOTTETOWN, FEB. 20, 1892.

COLONIAL HOUSE, Philips Square MONTREAL. THE GREAT CANADIAN EMPORIUM.

Dry Goods, Carpets, Curtains, Furniture, China and Glassware, Books and Stationery, Ready-made Clothing, Ladies' Boots and Shoes, Silverware and Kitchen Utensils.

ORDERS TAKEN FOR "CRESCENT BRAND" CEMENT. N. B.—We invite correspondence, and give prompt and careful attention to mail orders.

HENRY MORGAN & CO., COLONIAL HOUSE, Philips Square, Montreal.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND & C. CANVASSERS!—Our "Life of Spurgeon" is selling wonderfully. H. H. Conwell, the author, is one of the most celebrated Baptist preachers in America.