

THE DAILY EXAMINER. AUGUST 4, 1888.

Editorial Notes.

The Marine Department at Ottawa is advised that the new steamer now building in Glasgow for the winter service between Prince Edward Island and the mainland will be completed in November.

Two hundred and fifty head of cattle, the first consignment of five thousand, purchased for export to England—were forwarded by train from Calgary on the 2nd inst. It is stated that the average price paid for the whole lot was \$50 per head.

The Montreal Gazette maintains that the principal defect in the license system of the Province of Quebec, is the lack of proper enforcement, and says that, "until the Government adopts means of enforcing the law, the work of reform of the liquor traffic cannot be satisfactorily accomplished."

Senator Hoar has pending a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of seven Senators to inquire into and report upon the relations of business and commerce between the United States and Canada; the effect on the commerce and carrying trade of the United States of the Canadian system of railways and canals; the prospect of the displacement of any American industries; the number and amount of claims against Great Britain by reason of a violation of treaty obligations, etc., with power to take testimony in any part of the United States. The Republicans are evidently determined to run the anti-Canadian anti-British racket for all it is worth in the election of a President.

An amusing petition has been presented to Congress, which sets forth the extreme demands of the Republican orators of the States in a very ridiculous light. It reads as follows:—

"Being profoundly impressed with the gravity of the occasion and the magnitude of the matter at issue, in that all my worldly possessions are invested in two dozen hens, and realizing that there should be no discrimination in regard to the protection of American industries, and being advised that there were some 16,000,000 dozens of eggs imported into the United States in the year 1887, therefore I would respectfully pray your honorable body to pass a law to protect my interest against the infernal activity of the pauper hens of Europe. Your most obedient servant, T. H. B. MILLER, Cambria, Ia."

A Montreal despatch to the St. John Globe says: "The great development which has of late taken place in the Nova Scotia coal fields has created considerable enquiry in the city for coal areas in that Province. J. Smith and others of Amherst, N. S., have just completed the sale of what is known as the Lawson mine, located near Macoon, Cumberland, on the Intercolonial railway. Geo. H. Patterson and J. M. Greenhalgh are amongst the purchasers, and the price is said to be in the neighborhood of \$50,000. Mr. Smith, of Amherst, who arrived in this city yesterday, says the above is not exactly correct. There has been some talk about selling the Lawson mine, but nothing definite has yet transpired, and the figure wanted is about one-third of what is stated."

Home Culture Clubs.

GEORGE W. CABLE has an article in the August Century on the system of Home Culture Clubs recently started by him. We quote as follows: "To start these clubs anywhere requires no outlay nor any wide co-operation. Wherever any man or woman of the most ordinary attainments can gather two, three or four others, in any sort or degree less accomplished, a club may be formed, and if necessary can be complete in itself; or it may join itself by correspondence to some group of clubs elsewhere, and have the benefit of making weekly reports and getting weekly the aggregated record of the whole group of clubs. Wherever there is such a group of clubs there should be a president and a secretary, and it will probably always be for the best that the secretary receive some small quarterly or semi-yearly compensation in consideration of a business-like attention to his or her duties. An unpaid secretaryship is probably too old a snare to need warning against here. The home culture clubs are not recommended for filling churches, emptying charitable institutions, or eradicating any great visible public evil, but as means for proving practically our love and care for our less fortunate brother or sister. If the scheme, when time and diverse regions have fairly tried it, wins our needy fellow-man's confidence and kindles his higher desires; if it helps us to correct somewhat the misfortunes of others and to make human fraternity something wider than mere social affinity will, or social assortment ought to, stretch, it will live; if not, it will drag no one with it into the grave. Culture clubs are recommended not to zealous only, but to those generous thousands who have seen the poor success of so many efforts to commend the Christianity of the fortunate to the hearts of the unfortunate, and have seen the cause of failure in the neglect to secure personal acquaintance and to carry professional friendly offices into the home, free from the burden of charity on the one hand and of sociality on the other. The plan is submitted to all who believe that to help a lowlier brother to supply any worthy craving of the mind that he may already have is the shortest, surest way to implant those highest-cravings of the soul which seek and find repose only in harmony with the Divine will."

NOT DYING OUT.—"Is talk dying out?" asked a magazine writer. The writer should listen to the conversation of three or four girls who have met for the first time since they attended an evening social or picnic. He would answer his conundrum in the negative with deafening emphasis.

A UNIQUE SUICIDE.—The most unique suicide yet is reported from Morley's Station, a mining camp in California, where Mr. James Mason sat down on a 50-pound box of giant powder and touched it off. Coroners in eight different counties are holding inquests to ascertain whether he is officially dead.

THE CLERGYMAN'S INVOCATION.—A Scotch clergyman at Ayr, a few days ago, prayed: "O Lord bless the established Church, and the Free Church; and the United Presbyterian Church, and all other Churches—thou knowest the various nicknames, Lord, by which they are called—bless them all."

Camilla Urso at the Lyceum.

Music is not like ordinary language subject to the conditions of time or nationality; and the audience at the Lyceum last evening hung enraptured, alike on the sonata for the violin written nearly a century ago, and the "Russian Airs;" for Urso was their interpreter. They also listened with genuine pleasure to the careful and masterly piano playing by Mr. Hopper, and the clear, pure, sympathetic tones so easily and unaffectedly produced by the voice of Miss Griffin. Scarcely justice was done to the excellent singing of Mr. Miller; but a better appreciation of the renditions of Mr. Libby was shown. The latter gentleman well deserved the hearty applause which followed the singing of the ballad, "Only to Love." In the duets and trio the voices of Miss Griffin and Messrs. Miller and Libby blended beautifully.

To Pictou and Return.

A LARGE and pleasant party of the members of the Fitzroy and Mac-Tennis Clubs left here for Pictou on Thursday morning last in the good steamer Princess of Wales. The ladies (who were chaperoned by Mrs. Macdonald) were well represented. As the steamer plunged through the ruffled waters of the harbor old Neptune chuckled, knowing well what was in store for those on board when the steamer reached the more turbulent waters of the Strait. When the steamer was off Point Prim the roll was called and the discovery was made many were "absent without leave."

It was about half-past eleven o'clock when the steamer reached Pictou, and the visitors were warmly welcomed by their Pictou friends. After exchanging greetings, all repaired to the Revere House, which was soon crowded, and in a short time commencing gave place to chaos.

After dinner, all repaired to the Tennis Grounds, where play began at three o'clock and was continued till half-past six. The visiting team secured a well won victory, their opponents playing a much better game than last year.

In the evening, the guests were entertained at a ball in the Masonic Hall, which was prettily decorated with tennis nets and rackets and bunting. The music was excellent, and all present thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The guests were received by Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Wm. Gordon and Mrs. McKenzie.

Yesterday morning, a match of ladies' and gentlemen's doubles took place. The Pictou ladies won after a hotly contested game; but on the other courts the Charlottetown players scored another victory.

By this time, however, the steamer's whistle told the visitors that the hour of their departure had arrived, and that they must "all aboard." After leave-taking, the merry party, who were well pleased with the trip and delighted with the manner in which they had been entertained by their Pictou friends, left the hospitable shores of Pictou and arrived home last evening.

Following is the result of the game:—

Table with 4 columns: Player 1, Player 2, Score, and Winner. Includes matches like Miss M Ball vs Miss Almon, Mr D B Stewart vs Dr Primrose, etc.

Charlottetown thus won by 38 games.

A Gibson Desperado.

WHITE, THE SCOTT ACT VIOLATOR, USES A KNIFE.

The Fredericton, N. B., Gleaner of the 2nd inst., thus describes a bloody affray at Gibson: "Wm. White was at it again in Gibson last night, and the community is shocked at his lawlessness. Just outside of the grounds where the base ball social was being held in Gibson last evening, White had an altercation with a man named Webster, when White drew his knife on his antagonist, severely cutting him about the face and arm. Those standing by state that White first dealt Webster a treacherous blow over the head with a club and then knifed him. Webster's face was drenched with blood when White was hauled away from him, and he was bleeding profusely from the wounds. Dr. Barker was immediately sent for, and later on Dr. Coburn was summoned from the city to assist in checking the flow of blood. His left eye was encircled with an ugly gash, his cheek was laid open and he had another severe cut on the wrist. What led to the fracas does not seem very clear. It is understood that Webster wanted to go inside the grounds to see a person when White interfered. An effort has been made by the law-abiding residents of Gibson to have White arrested, but as far as learned they have not succeeded yet. A deputation waited on Police Magistrate Marsh, but His Honor advised them to lay their complaint before a magistrate on the opposite side of the river. The temperance people took out a warrant for White's arrest the day previous, but could not find an officer in the city who would take the papers."

Important sale of real estate, situated in the very centre of the business part of the city, fronting on Queen street. Particulars in a few days.—A. McNeill, Auctioneer. aug 4 3i

Varia.

General Boulanger has played a set dramatic piece in the French Chamber. He went to the House to move the dissolution of Parliament knowing perfectly well that his motion would be rejected. He wrote out his resignation beforehand. This stated that in consequence of the vote just given he could no longer remain a representative in Parliament. He violently attacked the Ministry and did everything in his power to provoke a scene. He was entirely successful. M. Floquet, in his speech, taunted him with roidism, and inundating the country with portraits of himself, manufactured in Germany. The General in reply said M. Floquet's speech was only worthy of an ill-bred school usher, and that he had impudently lied.

The affair did not end here, but in the now well-known duel in which the youngest General in the French army had the disgrace of being worsted by the sexagenarian Prime Minister. Although M. Floquet's sword pierced his adversary's throat and rendered him hors de combat, I imagine he is not so much injured as crestfallen. The Bishop of Angers, Mgr. Freppel, asked urgency for a Bill he wished to introduce making duelling illegal. He pointed out that France was the only country in Europe which did not forbid the practice, and he spoke warmly of the instance which had just happened, when blood had been shed which ought not to have been spilt save in the service of the country. Public opinion, however, was too strong for the Bishop, and the demand for urgency was rejected on a show of hands. France has elected to lag in the rear of civilization. A few years ago duels had become such shams that it was hoped they would die of ridicule; but the practice seems to have a fresh lease of life.

A most unusual scene was witnessed in the House of Lords on the occasion of the Duke of Argyll's speech in favor of a motion of confidence in the Government. The Duke spoke long and well, and the House was crowded with peers and peeresses and other distinguished people who came in large numbers to witness the fray. Referring to Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule scheme, he said it was very ingenious but not workable. It reminded him of nothing so much as of a cottage built by an old lady, a tenant of his, who afterwards complained: "It would be a grand house if I could just keep the ocean out of it." After strongly attacking the Opposition, and telling one or two good stories, the Duke took his seat in triumph. Then a strange spectacle was witnessed. No one rose to answer him. Several members looked at each other and gravely smiled. No one spoke, and the Lord Chancellor was compelled to declare that the Duke's motion was carried unanimously. The Duke of Argyll is not by any means popular on either side of the House, and there are very few who did not secretly rejoice at the practical joke that was played upon his grace by the leaders of the Opposition.

The Pope has addressed an important letter to the Roman Catholic Bishops of Ireland. It disposes of all the rumors that have been in circulation as to the inclination of the Vatican to back out of the decree against boycotting and the Plan of Campaign. The letter reproves the opposition raised to the decree, vindicates Mgr. Percico's prudence and discretion, draws afresh the obvious distinction between lawful political ends and immoral means used to attain them, and renews the absolute condemnation of "the entire method of action whose employment we have forbidden." The real struggle between the Pope and the National League is now beginning. Hitherto the League has tried to make out that the Pope has acted in ignorance, and that the receipt of better information would lead to the mutual withdrawal of the decree. The publication of this letter leaves this hope without foundation. There is no longer any room for doubt as to what the Pope intends the clergy to do. If the League is to hold its own he must in future be resisted, not enlightened.

I have been asked: "Who are the Doctors of the Church?" It depends on whom my correspondent will accept as an authority. The Latin Church recognizes four great doctors: St. Augustine, St. Jerome, St. Ambrose and St. Gregory the Great. The four great doctors of the Greek Church are St. Athanasius, St. Basil, St. Gregory of Nyssa, and St. John Chrysostom. In addition to these there are several medieval theologians upon whom additional epithets—besides that of Doctor—have been bestowed. I give a list of those I have been able to collect which may interest some of your readers, and for more easy reference I have arranged them alphabetically:

- The Admirable Doctor, Roger Bacon.
The Angelic Doctor, Thomas Aquinas, "fifth Doctor of the Church."
The Authentic Doctor, Gregory of Rimini.
The Divine Doctor, Jean Ruysbroek.
The Dulcifluous Doctor, Antonio Andreas.
The Ecstatic Doctor, Jean Ruysbroek.
The Eloquent Doctor, Peter Aureolus, Archbishop of Aix (fourteenth century).
The Illuminated Doctor, Raymond Lully, or Most Enlightened Doctor.
The Invincible Doctor, William Occam.
The Irrefragable Doctor, Alexander Hales.
The Mellifluous Doctor, St. Bernard.
The Most Christian Doctor, Jean de Gerson.
The Most Methodical Doctor, John Bassol.
The Most Profound Doctor, Egidius de Colonna.
The Most Refoluted Doctor, Durand de St. Pourcain.
The Perspicuous Doctor, Walter Burley.
The Profound Doctor, Thomas Bradwardine.
The Scholastic Doctor, Anselm of Leon.
The Saraphic Doctor, St. Bonaventura.
The Singular Doctor, William Occam.
The Solemn Doctor, Henry Goethals.
The Solid Doctor, Richard Middleton.
The Subtle Doctor, Duns Scotus.
The Thorough Doctor, William Varro.
The Universal Doctor, Alain de Lille (1114-1203) Thomas Aquinas (1124-1274).
The Venerable Doctor, William de Champeaux.
The Well-founded Doctor, Egidius Romanus.
The Wise Doctor, John Herman Wessel.
The Wonderful Doctor, Roger Bacon.
I have a note in my common-place book,

"the Cherubic Doctor," but I have omitted to put down the name of the person intended. Can any of your readers inform me?

The People Say

That no man signs his name with more boldness and flourish than the individual who steps into a leading hotel and registers—for dinner.

That the bicyclists are cutting up the walks on Queen Square pretty badly.

That the stone and iron railing for Queen Square is not yet forthcoming.

That the young man from town who sung at the New Glasgow concert informed the lady accompanist that "he never saw the piece before!"

That he further remarked that "anything was good enough for the audience present."

That the audience did not think so, and some of them are making unkind remarks.

That persons should not make audible comments upon Madame Camilla Urso's playing during the rendition of her numbers.

That there are too many persons testing the fire bell.

That the dark-eyed Trojan was the "belle" of the Pictou Tennis Ball.

That two feet made one yard at the tennis tournament on Thursday.

That the gentlemen who went to Pictou on Thursday without valises got along famously.

At the Matinee.

She seemed so sweet and so susceptible, So young and so petite, so bright and full Of tenderness that I was fain to think The god of love himself had found a link To join us twain, and fixed this lovely day For me to find her at the matinee:

My sleeve touched hers, my eyes her programme sought, We smiled alike, and when my neighbors wept, My eyes grew dim, my heart beat loud and fast—

The ushers must have heard it, going past, And when some extra touch my soul did stir, I turned and took a long fond look at her. She gave me back my glance, and I can swear On that soft cheek a smile was lurking there. No one can tell how proud I was that day, Except some other fellow at the matinee.

Her fragrant handkerchief, her nut-brown hair, Took me to bliss and then to blank despair, But she had smiled, and angels' smiles are true;

Her sleeve touched mine again—I bolder grew, And with a nonchalant but quiet mien I tucked my card, her muff and glass between. She lifted it without a change of face, Inquired: "Have you a mother living, sir?" I bowed my head. "Then please take this to her,"

And then the siren wrote, and this is what I read: "Your little boy is ill. Put him to bed."

DIED.

At Hazel Grove, on the 15th July, R. Lydia, beloved wife of Robert Bagnall, and fifth daughter of the late Wm. Pickering, of Stanley Bridge, aged 24 years.

Tenders for Skating Rink

SEALED TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, of MONDAY, the 13th day of August next, from persons willing to contract for building a skating rink according to plans and specifications to be seen at the offices of W. C. Harris and Phillips & Chappelle, Architects.

Tenders to figure on each set of plans. Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque for ten per cent. of the amount, which cheque will be returned in case of non-acceptance. The undersigned do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

HORACE HASZARD, C. Y. MCGREGOR.

Charlottetown, Aug. 4, 1888—2i

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