

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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A SNUG PROFIT.

It is stated, in a despatch to the Guardian, that Professor Robertson is about to dispose of the P. E. Island cheese in store in Montreal at an advance of \$14,000.00 on the amount that could have been obtained if the cheese had been sold as made. If the report be true, each of the patrons of our cheese factories will have about five dollars more to expend than he would have had but for Professor Robertson's foresight and nerve. This shows the advantage of having the dairy business of the Province under the management of one reliable and well informed man of good judgment. Professor Robertson, in holding our cheese, had to contend against the clamors of the trade in Montreal and Ontario. But without injuring that trade or taking a dollar out of the public treasury, merely by using the credit obtained by possession of the cheese, he has been enabled, as a result of a rise in the price of cheese which he expected, to net a handsome profit on the transaction. We congratulate Professor Robertson and our cheese patrons, and trust that a larger number of our farmers will in the future cooperate in the production of butter and cheese to be disposed of under his direction.

A GOOD STROKE OF POLICY.

It is shrewdly guessed that the war preparations of Great Britain are to be referred to the Armenians difficult rather than to that of the Transvaal. The London Guardian says that the Emperor William's message came at just the right time to give the ministers an excuse for making preparations really intended to back their new policy, which will end the Armenian horrors and bring the Sultan to his senses. The latest rumors are of a land invasion by Russia and a joint naval demonstration at Constantinople by Great Britain and France. The Guardian intimates that the new flying squadron is more likely to go to Constantinople than Delagoa Bay or any other point in South Africa. Such a derision would, without doubt, be a capital stroke of policy. The Government of the United States could not possibly interfere with a movement which is so much to the mind of their people, even though Venezuela should remain unassailed and Canada unannexed, and all Christendom would be in sympathy with it.

WEST HURON.

It was expected that in the divided and uncertain condition of the Government, the Opposition candidate in West Huron would have had an overwhelming majority. But, with one poll to hear from, the Opposition majority is considerably less than it was in the general election of 1891. This result cannot be very encouraging to the Liberals. It is true that in a bye election, held under special circumstances, a particularly influential member of the Liberal-Conservative party, holding a portfolio in the Government, was returned by a majority of eighteen. But this was exceptional. West Huron is a grit constituency, in which the grists are evidently not holding their own. How, then, can it be hoped that, in a general election, with Sir Charles Tupper and Sir Mackenzie Bowell both in the saddle and with the Liberal-Conservative party united as one man in defence of the National Policy, the Liberal party will obtain a majority? The result of the election in West Huron goes to prove that while the elections in North Ontario and Cardwell proved that the Liberals have lost their grip of the Premier Province. More than that, it indicates the growing strength of the party of the National Policy.

TRADE UNDER THE N. P.

Under the N. P. the increase and development of trade has been largely domestic and interprovincial. We all know that in these directions there has been a quickly effected, but perfect revolution, which has made for the good of the country, but of which there are unfortunately no statistics. At the same time there has been a considerable increase of foreign trade. In proof of this we quote the following figures showing the aggregate trade of Canada in 1879 and in 1894:

Table with 3 columns: Country, 1879, 1894. Rows include Great Britain, United States, France, Germany, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Holland, Belgium, Newfoundland, West Indies, South America, China & Japan, Switzerland, and Other countries.

It remains to be shown that there has been, proportionately, in the same period, a larger increase in the foreign trade of any country in the world. We shall, ere long, be asked to consent to a change of the conditions under which the enlargement of the domestic, interprovincial and foreign trade of Canada has been effected. Shall we consent?

The body must be well nourished now, to prevent sickness. If your appetite is poor take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Successful Sale.—The Rev. Mr. Hamlyn's furniture sale was a decided success. The auction commenced at 11 o'clock, and was kept up without stopping till the whole lot was closed out at four o'clock p. m. The sale was conducted by A. McNeill, Auctioneer.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The Patriot has had a bad fit of the shudders. Sir Charles Tupper has not "recessed the Atlantic," and he is in the Cabinet! We have a copy of the Sentinel-Review and Dairyman illustrated with the portraits of many of the leading dairymen of Canada, including, of course, that of Professor Robertson. The Opposition politicians and papers are so mad over the admission of Sir Charles Tupper to the Cabinet that they have forgotten all about their sympathy for Sir Mackenzie Bowell. Halifax Herald: It is to be hoped that the splendid qualities of moral courage, consistency, honesty and strength of character, which the grit papers professed to discover in Sir Mackenzie Bowell during the crisis, will continue to be duly recognized and acknowledged by them. The bye-election record now shows that there have, since 1891, been sixty Liberal-Conservative victories and nineteen Liberal victories, and that twenty of these were seats won from the Liberals, while only seven were won from the Liberal-Conservatives. Certainly the Opposition have nothing to brag about. Westminster Gazette: "The effects of the shifting of English leanings from France and Russia is already evident in the efforts made to explain Emperor William's telegram. If our information is correct, the Marquis of Salisbury's desire to be better friends with France has already brought forth some fruit." It is estimated, says the Dominion Dairyman, that in Ontario there are invested in cows, lands, factories, apparatus, etc., used for dairy purposes, over \$175,000,000. Milk produced in one year, 350,000,000 gallons, valued at \$36,000,000. Canada supplies Great Britain with fifty-two per cent. of the cheese she requires and two per cent. of the butter. Denmark contributes 43 per cent. of the butter imports of Great Britain. The Toronto Globe dwells upon the increase of the national debt and expenditures of Canada under Tory rule. We have value in the C. P. R. and the great canal, not forgetting the recently constructed Soo canal, but has the country had value for the proportionately larger increases of debt and expenditure in the Provinces of Ontario, Nova Scotia and P. E. Island, under the rule of the best of the grists? Senator Power, of Halifax, has evidently forgotten that, as a good Liberal, he is expected to defend Mr. Laurier from the charge of having no policy on the Manitoba question. The episode is thus reported: Sir Mackenzie Bowell—Is the hon. gentleman in favor of the policy of the leader of his party in the other House? Senator Power—What the policy? I wish to see the Government measure first. When the measure is introduced and Mr. Laurier has taken a position with regard to it, I shall be better able to answer the question. Sir Mackenzie Bowell—Does the hon. gentleman favor the policy laid down by the leader? Senator Power—I cannot express an opinion about a policy which has never been enunciated.

REV. MR. SUTHERLAND'S LECTURE. Captain D. Stewart, president of the Young Men's Literary Association, presided at the lecture given last evening in St. James' Hall by Rev. David Sutherland on "Bits of Tartan." There was a large audience, and the lecture throughout was of a highly interesting and most instructive character. The lecturer first compared the Highlands and Lowlands of Scotland, and discussed the Highland character at some length pointing to its depth and beauty and height of nobility it had been likened to a beautiful lock. He then referred to the Gaelic language, remarking that Lachlan MacLaren, in an elaborate treatise published in 1837, produced several good arguments in support of his views that the Gaelic language—the language of the Highlander—was that spoken by Adam and Eve. He then dealt with the dress and customs of the Scotch, showing that besides the regular costume each clan has a badge of its own, a sprig of oak, pine, hick, etc., which is worn in the bonnet. He pointed out that the superstition for which the Scotch are noted was fast disappearing, and that their keen sense of humor and ready repartee is becoming more widely recognized than ever. Before concluding, his discourse, the lecturer said that the proudest pages of our national history are those which pay a tribute to the noble deeds of heroism and to the fearless feats of courage performed by the hardy sons of Scotland. The history of the Peninsular War, the Crimean War and various other wars can be pointed to with pride and patriotism by those whose hearts beat in its defence for the "land of the mountain and the flood," and if a foreign army should threaten to invade the shores of our fair Dominion, we know that we have soldiers stalwart and loyal to defend us and our Motherland. The reciting of "The Fall of Sabastopol" by the rev. lecturer brought the discourse to a close. A hearty vote of thanks was then tendered Rev. Mr. Sutherland for his able discourse, the vote being proposed by Mr. D. Small and seconded by Mr. H. C. McDonald.

BILLY TERM—SUPREME COURT. Tuesday, Jan. 14th, 1896. Walter Cotton, Hedley V. McKinnon and John C. Small were granted an order for examination to be permitted to study law. Henry P. Clements, administrator, vs. David Carr.—Action for debt on a mortgage. The mortgage having been admitted and the administration proved, the Court gave judgment for plaintiff for \$1924.80. McLean, Q. C. for plaintiff; Attorney-General for defendant. William Dennis vs. Lennel C. Hayden.—Action on promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff for \$38.32. Hattenbury for plaintiff; McLean, Q. C. for defendant. The Queen vs. John Shepherd and William McKinnon. The Grand Jury find three bills of indictment for larcenies from Government House, the Drill Shed and Miss Jenkins. The application of Philip Goodstein for naturalization was heard, and certificate of residence read. Wednesday, Jan. 15. Samuel Kennedy and Alexander Chapman.—Action on promissory note. Judgment for plaintiff for \$245.44. No defence. McLean, Q. C. for plaintiff. Daniel Ayres vs. Daniel A. Melnis.—Action against the late Sheriff of King's County for negligence in executing a writ of fi fa. Now before the Court. A. B. Warburton and F. W. L. Moore for plaintiff; D. A. McKinnon for defendant.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

WHAT MORE NATURAL. Sir.—The Patriot shudders!! What more natural? It is easy to fancy a gigantic shudder convulse that shivered and somewhat rickety frame and rapidly transmit itself through the wretched remnant of the once great Liberal party, at the bare mention of Sir Charles Tupper's name as leader of the Liberal-Conservative. They know well that the Cumberland war horse will ride them down and rout them, "horse, foot and artillery." They flinch at the thought, and hope, oh, how fervently, that Sir Mackenzie Bowell will send back across the ocean this terrible enemy, the "Rupert of debate." PROFY.

POSTAL. Sir.—Why can't the people of Gowan Brae have a tri-weekly mail service? They do not have the mail put on and off the train at New Zealand station, instead of being carried to Souris? At present letters and papers for Gowan Brae lie in the Souris post office from Friday to Tuesday. THE WEEKLY EXAMINER, Family Herald and other papers, which should be in the hands of their readers either on Friday night or Saturday morning, are not received at Gowan Brae till the following Tuesday. It is understood here that the mail carrier would prefer carrying the mail to and from the train at New Zealand station, as the distance is only half as great as between Gowan Brae and Souris. It is to be hoped that the postal authorities will see the necessity of a change and perhaps give us a tri-weekly mail service into the bargain. HEADLIGHT.

APPARENT WANT OF CONFIDENCE. Sir.—I understand that the chairman of the Finance Committee has a promise from Mr. Peters that at the coming session of the Legislature, his government will pass an act giving the citizens seventy-five feet of a "look-way." Why then "the appeal"? Can it be possible that the Premier's word is doubt? I learn from one of the petitioners that the time for the appeal expires on the 21st, and as he put it "we do this to guard against accident," or in other words Frederick may change his mind and we do not purpose losing the road. The want of confidence in the Premier by his supporters, will cost the city at least \$100,—twenty has already been paid Mr. Davies. I am surprised to see the names of the city members to this petition. Can it be possible that they too have lost confidence in their leader. A CITIZEN.

"CREDIT TO WHOM CREDIT IS DUE." Sir.—In the report of the entertainment held at Kelly's Cross on the 23rd ult., which appeared in your last issue, a few names are inadvertently omitted, and worthy of mention. I refer to the choruses by the school children under the efficient leadership of Mr. Jas. H. Monaghan, teacher, which were very enjoyable. The youthful performers acquitted themselves admirably as a result of Mr. Monaghan's careful training. Then the instrumental selections on the violin, harp and harmonica by Dr. J. E. McDonald, Miss Agnes McDonald and Mr. Anthony McDonald, respectively, were among the most pleasing features of the entertainment. The efforts of this accomplished trio were highly appreciated by the audience, and given with applause. Dr. McDonald also sang in capital style and received a hearty encore. While thanking the other gentlemen who kindly took part in the entertainment, it would be unfair not to thank the genial doctor, who at considerable personal inconvenience attended and cheerfully contributed his quota towards making the entertainment a success. JUSTICE.

WRONG IMPRESSION CORRECTED. Sir.—Your Ottawa correspondent conveys, perhaps inadvertently, a very wrong impression in his notes—published in THE EXAMINER of the 11th instant—when he states that "passengers from the Island for Montreal must calculate on leaving at least sixteen hours before leaving St. John. The afternoon train from Picton does not connect with the C. P. R. train for Montreal, as it leaves St. John at 4.00 p. m." Allow me to correct this false impression, and to state that passengers from the Island for Montreal or points west thereof need not lose any time at either Truro, Moncton or St. John to make connection with the Montreal express. The I. C. R. Montreal express leaves Halifax at 12.20 p. m., and close connection is made at Truro and Oxford Junction with noon train from Picton, arriving in Montreal the following evening, whereas if connection is made with the C. P. R. Montreal express they do not arrive until the following morning, or nearly fourteen hours later than the I. C. R. "The People's Railway." I trust that you will give this correction equal prominence in your valuable paper. Ego. Charlottetown, Jan. 14, 1896.

CITIZEN NO. 1 ON SCHOOL MATTERS. Sir.—I have been absent from town and only now can shortly reply to the unsigned letter in your issue of Friday last, which purports to supply the information asked for by me in regard to the recent readjustment of the teachers' salaries. The letter is no answer whatever to my inquiries, but I, as well as the public, must accept as the best one that could be given on behalf of the Trustees, as every one knows that their action is entirely without excuse, in short, is simply indefensible. You, however, Mr. Editor, editorially inform your readers that the " motive " of the Trustees was "to induce teachers to obtain the higher class licenses." Just examine what this means and see where you have accepted as the best one that could be given on behalf of the Trustees, as every one knows that their action is entirely without excuse, in short, is simply indefensible. You, however, Mr. Editor, editorially inform your readers that the " motive " of the Trustees was "to induce teachers to obtain the higher class licenses." Just examine what this means and see where you have

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THE TIME. This Month. THE PLACE. 136 Queen Street. THE GOODS. Boots, Slippers, etc. A chance is now offered you to secure Boots, Shoes, Slippers, etc., at reduced prices. A big Clearance Sale in order to make room for Spring Goods. During this month we will give Special Discounts in all kinds of Footwear (Rubbers excepted). "Cheap Shoe Store." R. K. JOST, 136 QUEEN ST. Two Doors Below Prowse Bros. Jan 4—dy

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Dress Goods Remnants AT JAMES PATON & CO'S. WATCH THIS SPACE! Price of Music Box To-day, \$36.00. We put this fine box in our window on the 30th ult., at the regular price, \$50.00. We take one dollar off the price each business day. Call and hear any one of the eight tunes you like. E. W. TAYLOR, CAMERON BLOCK. Jan 4

Here is a Chance 1896 TO GET A PAIR OF EVENING SLIPPERS CHEAP! We have decided to close this lot out this week at the following prices:— \$2.75 Patent Leather Slipper, wood heel, for \$2.00. \$4.00 Undressed Kid (Colored), wood heel, for \$2.60. \$2.75 Kid Slipper (extra quality), for \$1.85. Small lots in Black and Colors at 33 1/2 per cent. discount. J. M. McLEOD & CO. Charlottetown, January 13, 1896—dy

Office Diaries, Home Diaries, Pocket Diaries. BIG STOCK! LOW PRICES! Haszard & Moore. Charlottetown, December 28, 1895.

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