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THE BISHOP'S PROPOSAL.

Sir,—It would be well for your morning contemporary to master the facts, before attempting to discuss the merits, of the alleged proposition to the School Board. It seems to object to the Nuns being teachers in a public school, because of their religion.

Suppose their religion were different from what it is, would that still be a reason for objecting to them, or must teachers have no religion at all in order to be duly qualified for the public schools? But if it wishes to say that the appointment of teachers in this particular case involves a privilege, it puts a very wrong interpretation on the facts concerning our city schools during the last twenty years.

It is quite reassuring to hear it state that "liberal-minded and unprejudiced Protestants and Catholics alike would be satisfied with the perfect equality of all religious bodies before the law, whether in school matters or in other affairs."

Of course they should be satisfied with perfect equality. But first let us see what equality actually exists in our school matters. Here in Charlottetown we have three public schools subject to the city School Board, and while the Catholic population is between one-third and one-half of that of the whole city, yet, of the thirty-one teachers employed in these three schools, with the exception of seven, all are non-Catholics.

Does your "liberal-minded and unprejudiced" contemporary uphold this sort of "perfect equality of all religious bodies before the law?" But again, whatever the written law may be as to the appointment of teachers, it is certain that the invariable practice of the School Board has been to appoint none but non-Catholics to the positions of teachers in the Upper Prince Street and West Kent Street schools, and according to the annual school report there are now twenty-four teachers engaged in these two schools.

It was and is also their custom to appoint Catholic teachers in the Queen Square School. At present there are seven teachers in this school. Personally I am not just now finding fault with an arrangement of this kind. But considering from the point of view of the population of this city, and in view of your contemporary's parade of "perfect equality of all religious bodies before the law," I wish to ask whether it approves or condemns this practice of the School Board.

There are signs visible that the making public of the Manitoba school settlement has not done anything to help the cause of the Liberal Opposition in the Quebec Legislature. There are no likely to be seen in Ottawa, and I take it, no placards on Marchand platforms during the coming campaign.

The Spanish are meeting with reverses in the Philippine Islands as well as in Cuba. These two tropical possessions are all that remain of the once world-wide colonial empire of Spain.

New York is becoming very much afraid of the competition of Montreal and New Orleans in ocean freighting. The other day it was pointed out that Montreal has shipped twice as many apples as New York this year.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat row announces that New Orleans and Baltimore shipped \$8,000,000 worth more of provisions in the past ten months than in the same period of 1895, while the total gain for the whole of the United States was only \$9,800,000.

United States Secretary Landon, in his annual report, to be published in a few days, will ask for an appropriation of \$10,000,000, in addition to the \$12,000,000 appropriated in the last session of Congress, for the construction of coast defence, the equipment of new stations, reorganization of the infantry branch, and other improvements in the general service, to place the country on a stronger war footing.

In 1894 the ocean shipments of Canadian butter from Montreal were down to 32,37 packages. A Conservative G. V. Armand at Ottawa determined to do something to bring about a better state of affairs. It was greeted by the cheers of Liberal statesmen and Liberal newspapers, who knew from books and papers that Cartwright's speeches that a Government could not be expected to trade that far on the wheel.

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Pure Stock.—A case of pure stock Plymouth Rocks came over by the Northumberland last week to Rev. A. E. Burke's address. It contained three pairs of Plymouths, two of which were barred and the third white. Mr. Gilbert, Superintendent of the Experimental Farms, had made the selection, and the birds were purchased from C. J. Wright, Dixville, Quebec. They are guaranteed pure and from prize-winners of 1896.

The barred did not appear much superior to our own birds, as we have several pure good facies of barred Plymouths in the province, but they will serve as a good infusion of new blood for our poultry yards, and the stock may be depended on as absolutely pure and reliable. One pair was for Mr. John T. Weeks, Alton, and the other for Father Burke himself. The west will have the lead in Plymouths.—Summerside Agriculturist.

AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the cough, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind, colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It is pleasant to the taste. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind 1 3 5 w

SETTING A GOOD EXAMPLE.—At the annual cattle show at Norwich the exhibitors included the Queen, the Prince of Wales and the Duke of York. The Prince of Wales captured the first prize for a yearling of his breed, with a shorthorn. The heir-apparent also won first and second prizes in the Southdown wether class, and the first prize for short-wooled ewes. The Duke of York reserved the first prize for Berkshire and pigs of any breed.

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W. N. TANTON'S

THE JEWELER

Great George St.

Public Meeting for Armenians

To William E. Dawson, Esquire, Mayor of Charlottetown.

May it please your Worship: We, the undersigned residents of Charlottetown, respectfully request that your citizenship will call a Public Meeting of the citizens as early a day as possible, for the purpose of considering what steps should be taken by the people of this city to show their sympathy with the Armenian sufferers.

Dated the 23rd day of Nov., 1896.

D. Farquharson, F. E. Prowse, F. S. Moore, R. H. Pege, R. Hertz, Horace Hazard, W. A. Weeks, Benjamin Rogers, Lawrence W. Watson, J. B. Macdonald, A. W. Reddin, Simon W. Crabbe and a number of others.

SAY, CHARLIE

Going for a skate on Government Pond? I am going. I got a pair of Mac's Hockey Boots; they are dandies; all the boys are getting them; he has only a few pairs left, so come right along and get a pair now.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

SPICIAL DISPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER

NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL.

A False Report Contradicted

Departmental Employees Walk the Plank.

OTTAWA, Dec. 1.

A despatch from Winnipeg says that Mr. Smart, of Brandon, has been appointed Deputy Minister of the Interior in succession to Mr. Burgess. The Premier, when asked what truth there was in the story, replied that he had not heard of the matter, and he regarded the matter as a pure fabrication.

It is by no means settled when Mr. Laurier will visit England. Possibly he may have to cross the Atlantic this winter, but he is not anxious to visit England until next year.

A STEAMSHIP IN DISTRESS.

Explosion of Gas in the Hold.

LONDON, Dec. 1.

The steamer Manitoa, from Cardiff, November 26th, for Halifax, has put into Bantry Bay in distress. On November 27th an explosion of gas occurred in the hold of the steamer, which blew up the main deck and tore one of her masts out. The first officer was killed.

Railway Workmen Discharged.

MONTREAL, Dec. 1.

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In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Bennett McDonald

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WALTER HATHESON, Assignee

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