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KINDERGARTEN.

The Kindergarten will reopen on Monday, September 5th, at 9.30 o'clock a. m. The classes will be under the Superintendence of Miss Julia H. Sayre, assisted by Miss McPherson. Miss Lena Barrett will conduct the Primary department in which scholars are prepared to enter this grade in the city schools.

Parents wishing to place scholars in Kindergarten or primary school, can obtain all necessary information from Miss Sayre, Superintendent, or F. S. MOORE, Secretary.

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THE C. M. B. A.

Important Amendments to the Constitution.

QUEBEC, Aug. 25.—The convention at yesterday morning's session made two important changes in the constitution and bye-laws. One provides for the admission of honorary members, who shall pay a fee of 25 cents a month, and shall enjoy the social privileges, but not the benefits, of the association. This rule is made in view of the fact that several men of great prominence, who wish to join the order are too old to do so as regular members. It was also decided that in the future that the branch which has a member on the grand council shall not have another delegate. This will mean an annual saving of a \$1,000.

Yesterday afternoon, Mayor Parent read an address of welcome to the C. M. B. A., which was replied to by President Hackett. Last night the election of officers took place, and resulted as follows: Hon M F Hackett, re-elected grand president; Dr L Belliveau, re-elected 1st vice president; J E Loughlin, 2nd vice president; S R Brown, re-elected by acclamation grand secretary; W J McKee, elected grand treasurer; J J Weintert, re-elected grand guard; J Galvin, marshal. Niagara Falls was selected as the next place of meeting in 1901.

NEWS NOTES.

The McCartyites of North Simcoe will hold a convention at Stayner, on Aug 30th, to nominate a candidate for the Commons in succession to the late Dalton McCarty.

It is proposed to raise five million dollars among the schoolboys of the United States for the purpose of presenting the Government with a battleship. One good thing likely to come of the effort is the teaching of those concerned what a huge sum five million dollars is. It is only here and there that there is a person who comprehends it.

Admiral Sampson is quoted as expressing the opinion that after this less than formerly will be heard of the torpedo in naval warfare. At the beginning of the war there was some fear in the United States and some curiosity in other countries as to what Spain's torpedo boat flotilla—a very good one—would do. As things turned out it did nothing. Many, however, think this was not because of deficiency in the boats so much as in the crews, and the German naval authorities are reported to still hold a high opinion of the value in warfare of the danger-laden vessels. Probably it will take another war to settle which set of opinions is right.

Mr. P. Anderson Graham, in Longman's Magazine, mentions the regrettable fact that all but the commonest wild flowers are disappearing from Epping forest. Not only do the urchins pluck them, but the vendors who go about the suburbs offering roots and flowers for sale carry them off wholesale. The primrose has in this way been practically cleared out of the forest, as has the once common Solomon's seal, and the foxglove and others are very nearly extinct. If the anemones, bluebells and violets still survive, it is only owing to the fact that they grow in such astonishing numbers that the animals carried away make no difference.

The most obviously thriving and multiplying quadrupeds in the forest, Mr. Graham mentions, are the rabbit and the squirrel. Hares occasionally make their form in the heather or fern. The small carnivora are as plentiful as might be expected where vermin are protected as much as game. Stoats and weasels are the most common. So far the rarer marten and polecat have not been tempted back to their old haunts. Foxes are occasionally to be seen. Mr. Buxton introduced a few pairs of badgers 10 or 12 years ago, and they have bred and prospered. Rats, mice, moles and "such small deer" have a happy time of it in the woods.

Guns.—New ties just opened at F Perkins & Co.

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.....CAPES.....
See our western window for bargains in ladies' Summer Capes,

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MORE LIGHT WANTED.

SIR.—After the lapse of nearly a year, the citizens of Montague are beginning to find that their street lamps are useless, owing to their not being replenished with oil,—and especially during these dark rainy evenings is the want felt. Certainly the shops afford light enough to make travelling along the main street barely safe. Yet the rough bye-ways and hills are so dark that it has been the experience of one of our citizens to lose himself on Tuesday evening and his rubbers on Thursday! We hope that the people will see to it and have their lamps no longer serving a useless purpose.

CITIZEN.

HOME RULE IN THE GLADSTONE FAMILY.

George W. Smalley, in Harper's Magazine for September writes: The breeze blew fresh late one afternoon from the North German Ocean up the Firth as we paced this stony platform together, Mr. Gladstone talking, as his habit was, with immense energy on the subject which occupied his mind for the moment. The early autumn shadows grew along, and presently Mrs. Gladstone appeared with a wrap, which she put around her husband's neck, and we walked on.

At the end of another half-hour she came out of the castle, reminding her husband that it was late. He answered that he was almost ready to go, and again we walked on. Mrs. Gladstone waited, and soon said, "You know, William, you have to speak tomorrow, and it is very damp; don't you think you ought to go in?" "Yes," he replied, "quite time"—then, with one of those expressions of humor so frequent on his face or in his voice, said to me, softly: "We will take another turn to vindicate our independence," and we did. Then Mrs. Gladstone had her way, and we walked back to the house.

"Sabbath worship is usually conducted at the public church, where visitors from the world are free to attend," writes Madeline S. Bridges of the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, N. Y., in The Ladies' Home Journal. "Four sisters and four brethren stand in the center of the room and form a double quartet. The Shaker dance, so miscalled, is in reality a more or less stately march, in which all the members join—the brethren in a procession, two by two, followed by the sisterhood in like order. They move in step to the hymns they are singing, either slowly or quickly, as the measure of the time demands. The ritual is of the simplest—testimony of faith fervently uttered by those who feel impelled to speak, a few earnest words of exhortation from the elders, the march and the singing of hymns.

"Something curious in regard to these Shaker hymns is the fact that they are claimed to be largely inspirational—the music and words come together 'as gifts,' and frequently to those who are not musical. For instance, very often a tap will sound on the door of a musical sister and an unmusical sister will enter with the announcement, 'Sister, a song has just come to me. Can you take the words and note it for me?'"

Montreal Gazette: The newest thing in Siftonism reported from Dawson City is the sale without tender, of practically all the fuel wood in the district to two firms, who will thus have a monopoly combine and can charge their own prices. The authority is The Nugget, of Dawson City, which Liberal papers denounce as a foreigners' sheet, but which has on previous occasions had its denunciations justified. And what it says now is in keeping with other things done in Klondike, under the Laurier Government, and done nearer home, too.

THE BONAVISTA.—The steamer Bonavista arrived here last night with a general cargo and several passengers taking the round trip. She left this morning for Sydney and St. John's N.H., with a cargo of produce and three passengers. Mr and Mrs C M Palmer, for St. John's, and H D Simmons for Sydney.

Do you want a new hat? If you do and you want the latest, we have them. New American hats and caps just opened.—Prowse Bros. 195, 31.

SUNBEAMS.—Copies of Mrs. W. W. Rodd's recent book of verse, "Sunbeams" may be obtained at Carter's and Hornsby's bookstores.

Have you received a McLean Stamp Book, if not call and get one, fill with \$3 worth of stamps, we make this special offer for one month. Office Queen Street one door north of McKensie's tailor shop.

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Local and Other Items.

THE BEST JOB PRINTING.—No other kind—at THE EXAMINER Job Printing Establishment.

OTTAWA TEAM.—The remaining men of the Ottawa team left this morning.

RAIN.—The rainfall for the past two days has been a fraction over an inch and a half.

WATER PIPES.—There are fifteen miles of water pipes in our streets not three miles as inadvertently stated yesterday.

POLICE COURT.—This morning, a man charged with being drunk and beating his wife was remanded for eight days.

WEATHER.—The probabilities are, Fresh to strong winds shifting to north westerly; rain at first in eastern portions, then clearing generally.

CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS.—Court Charlottetown meets tonight at 8 o'clock. Payment of dues and other important business.

POLL TAX.—All who are behind hand with their poll tax should attend to the matter at once, as the collector is having executions issued.

OYSTER FISHING.—Instructions have been issued that oyster fishing in this province is not to commence until the first of October next, instead of the 15th of Sept.

ST. PETER'S SCHOOLS.—St. Peter's schools reopen Tuesday, Sept. 6th. A few vacancies in both schools. Fees, boys \$24; girls \$15 a year. Apply to the Rev James Simpson. eod td.

PLEBISCITE COMMITTEES.—The Plebiscite Committees and all workers in the temperance cause are requested to attend a meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. parlor at 8 o'clock this evening.

SCHOONER SOLD.—The schooner Stanley Mac has changed hands. She has been sold by her former owners at Isaac's Harbor to Capt. Thomas Lowry, of Charlottetown, who will take charge himself.

MARTIMAS.—Martimas, the winner of the Great Funnery Stakes at New York, on Tuesday last is a Canadian colt, and his victory was watched with delight by the Canadians present at the races.

PROHIBITION LITERATURE.—The children from the different Sabbath schools of the city who will assist in the distribution of Prohibition literature will meet at the Y. M. C. A. parlor at 2 o'clock, Saturday.

ZION CHURCH.—The Rev. Fulton J. Coffin, Ph. D., will occupy the pulpit in Zion Church on Sunday next. Mr. Coffin is a brother of Mr. Henry Coffin, of the P. E. I. Railway, and has been for many years in Trinidad, W. I.

TENNIS.—The mixed double tennis tournament will commence tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock sharp. Intending players will be on the ground at 2.45, and the drawing will then take place, and any one absent from the grounds at 3 o'clock will be out of the contest.

WORK COMMENCED.—City Surveyor Dalziel, this morning, struck the first blow in Sewerage Construction by commencing a manhole at Pownall Wharf to connect with the iron pipe that is to be laid out to the channel. This portion of the pipe laying will be done by the city.

CITY OF GHEENT.—The steamer City of Gheent arrived at midnight and blew her terrible whistle. She left this morning at 11 o'clock on return to Halifax and intermediate ports. She had a general cargo in and out and one passenger—Miss Long from this port to Summerside.

CRICKET.—The Canadian team now in the United States played a game with the Staten Island Club, and won easily by 92 runs. F W Stirling, the well known commercial traveller who has many acquaintances in Charlottetown, and who has played on the home field, contributed 39 runs out of the total of 204. The batting against the Canadians is said to have been very weak, much poorer than they are likely to experience in future matches.

C. M. B. A.—At a regular meeting of branch 216, C. M. B. A., held on Tuesday evening, August 23rd, 1893, the following resolution of sympathy was moved by the Treasurer, Bro. Alex. McDonald, and seconded by Bro. Henry Fitzgerald, and unanimously adopted: "Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst, instantly and unexpectedly, Mrs. P. Blake, wife of our highly respected fellow citizen, Mr. P. Blake, and mother of our worthy Brother Frank H. Blake,—therefore resolved that Branch No. 216 do put on record and convey to Brother Frank H. Blake an expression of heartfelt sympathy on the occasion which deprived him of a loving mother at a time when death was altogether unexpected."

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