

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

FEBRUARY 6, 1888.

A Terrible Lesson - To Be Heeded.

Two young lives have been lost to the world, two respectable families have been forced to endure misery unutterable, the good name of two flourishing settlements has been seriously compromised, and, indeed, the whole Province has suffered on account of the awful crime committed on the Southwest River on the 28th of June last.

What causes have produced these most unhappy results? Evidently, the causes lie deeper than the unfortunate young girl who was murdered or the unhappy young man whom a jury of his countrymen has pronounced guilty of the murder. They were both young things—mere creatures of the circumstances by which they were environed.

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effect of stemming the tide of pruriosity, and preventing other falls and other crimes.

One word more—a word to teachers and clergymen. Our youths are, in those days, apt to commit sins of impurity in utter ignorance of the danger they run. A false modesty seals the lips of those by whom they ought to be taught, and they indulge in impure thoughts and improper desires until fitness of mind and conduct becomes a habit.

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Literary and Scientific Institute.

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The lecturer showed that, though the subject treated of had reference to the state of things far beyond the reach of actual observation, which has never been able to penetrate more than a few miles below the surface, and that a globe of about 4,000 miles radius is a mere shred, yet there is very much that may be inferred, but little short of demonstration, from what is known of the accessible by the application of known and well established physical laws.

After some remarks from the President, Mr. J. Newson, Mr. J. Macdonald and Dr. Leeming, the meeting closed with a cordial thanks to the lecturer, in which weighty words were expressed that Capt. Wright will again find time and opportunity to favor us with another lecture.

THE TUPLIN TRAGEDY.

Trial of William Millman.

MR. HODGSON'S ADDRESS

On Behalf of the Prisoner.

(Mr. Ozenham's Report Concluded.)

This young man had been born and brought up in his father's house, and had never been away from home; and was now about to be brought before a Justice of the Peace under a charge of murder, knowing that he had never been with Mary Tupin on Tuesday evening, 28th June, as alleged. I admit that this boy did not know, but it was done for the purpose of screening his mother, not himself.

For this wrong step we have no excuse to offer, except the desire to save the feelings of the prisoner's mother; but I appeal to your compassion, gentlemen, for that desolate mother and family. He knew that a few years ago she became troubled in her mind. It seemed to her at that time as if the heavens were of brass, and that her prayers could not penetrate through them to the throne of Him who could help her.

THE GUILT OF THE PRISONER.

I ask you to give him the benefit of that doubt. I have pleaded with you because I know you will do this, and that you will not bring in a verdict against the prisoner with a doubt resting on your minds. If there is a doubt, the matter must be left between the prisoner and his God. As to the conversation which took place between Millman and young Power, I attach very little importance to it.

BRANDY SWIPER

named Colson, who drank, I don't know how much brandy, yet we were informed he was a temperance man. This man swore that my client stole a bottle of brandy. Now, gentlemen, this statement of Colson is absolutely untrue. As to the foot tracks, you cannot get over the fact that whatever foot made the larger one, it was not the foot of this young man, as it is much smaller than his.

BEFORE YOU CAN BRING IN A VERDICT OF GUILTY

against my client. Circumstantial evidence must be complete in every part; no doubt must remain in your minds in connection with it. (Mr. H. read the account of the wrong conviction of William Shaw, of Edinburgh.) Gentlemen, remember that of these cartridges No. 32, one firm in this city sells from eight to ten thousand a year. Remember that we account for the two shots fired out of the revolver borrowed from young Power. It is stated by a military gentleman (Capt. Wright) placed on the witness stand, that the bullets which killed the girl had only three rings on them.

brother and sisters tell the truth. That they do tell the truth, there can be no doubt whatever. If there is a single doubt in your minds of his guilt, look at the irrevocable act which you are now about to perform, and bring in a verdict accordingly.

RUINED AND DISGRACED FOREVER

by such a verdict. Gentlemen, I ask you to allow this young man to go home to his mother, that when she comes to lay down her head for the last time she may have him by her side.

The P. E. Island Mail Service.

An Ottawa despatch says: Senator Howland and Mr. Hackett, ex-M. P., who are in this city, have had an interview with the Postmaster General in regard to the mail service to Prince Edward Island. Both gentlemen were agreed as to the difficulties with which the government had to contend in keeping up the winter service; but while one felt that nothing further could be done, the Senator took advantage of the occasion to impress on the Minister that the submarine tunnel was the only way out of the difficulty.

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX AND POLL TAX NOTICE.

All persons who have not paid their personal tax and poll tax for years 1886 and 1887, are requested to pay the same at once, in order to save costs, as executions will be placed in the hands of the police, immediately, without respect to persons.

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General will be received at Ottawa until noon on FRIDAY, 2nd March next, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's mails on proposed contracts for four years from 1st April next, over each of the following routes, viz:—

Albany and Tryon via North Tryon, Bonshaw and Nine Mile Creek, Beauséjour and Charlottetown, Hazel Green and Peake Station, Peake Station and Railway Station.

Printed notices containing full information as to conditions of proposed contracts may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained, at the Post Offices at which the services commence and terminate, or at the office of the subscriber, F. DE ST. C. BROCKEN, Asst. P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Ottawa, Jan. 29, 1888.

Administration Notice.

I have been appointed Administrator of the Estate and Effects of Donald C. Martin, deceased, intestate. All sums of money due the said Donald C. Martin, personally or as partner in the late firm of McLean & Martin, and McLean, Martin & McDonald, are required to be paid forthwith at the office of Messrs. McLean & McDonald, Attorneys-at-Law, Charlottetown. All persons having demands upon the Estate will exhibit the same, duly attested, to me within one year.

KENNETH J. MARTIN, Administrator.

Charlottetown, Feb. 6, 1888—11 dy 41 wky

St. Paul's Church Association.

A. B. WARBURTON, ESQ.,

Will read a Paper before the above Association, in

St. Paul's Schoolroom,

Monday Evening Next, Feb. 6th,

Commencing at Eight o'clock.

Subject—"ARCHBISHOP LAUD."

After which there will be a general discussion on the subject.

Admission—Free.

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LOUIS C. DESBRISAY, Secretary.

GRAND CARNIVAL

—AT THE—

CITIZENS' RINK.

The Managers of the CITIZENS' SKATING RINK intend holding a

Fancy Dress Carnival

—ON—

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13th.

Admission, 25 cents. Children, 15 cents.

Ch'town, Feb. 4, 1888—31 4, 6, 11

Lorne Hotel Co.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Lorne Hotel Company (Limited) will be held in the office of Messrs. McLean & McDonald, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 7th inst., at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

J. T. CROCKETT, Secretary.

FOR SALE.

At A. McNeill's Auction Room.

100 Barrels Winter Keeping APPLES (choice) 150 d. No. 1 Labrador HERRING. 35 Half Chests TEA. Boxes Onions, Oranges, Lemons, &c.

Selling at Auction Prices to close out on hand.

Dress Goods, cheap, at James Paton & Co's.

Ladies' Jackets and Dolmans at reduced prices.

Mens' Overcoats, good value, at Jas. Paton & Co's.

Corsets, all kinds and prices.

The Best Place on the Island to buy Carpets.

Gloves, in Kid and Cashmere.

Table Linens and Table Napkins, extra good value.

The best value in Cambric Embroideries.

Mourning Goods of all kinds.

Millinery made to order on short notice.

JAMES PATON & CO.

WATER STREET, Summerside. MARKET SQUARE, Charlottetown.

February 6, 1888—dy & wky

HORACE HASZARD,

Manufacturers' and General Agent,

— REPRESENTING —

J. LEWENZ & HAUSER BROS., London, England,

TEAS.

ROBERT LAMB & CO., Dundee, Scotland,

Bags, Hessians, &c.

The NOVA SCOTIA SUGAR REFINERY, Halifax, N. S.

J. F. CARTER, Beverly, Mass.

Oil Clothing, &c.

THOS. CONNOR & SONS, Portland, N. B.

Rope, Marline, Twine, &c.

WESTERN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

Exporter of Canned Lobsters, Salmon, Mackerel, &c.

February 6, 1888—1m cod

STOCK-TAKING.

Before Commencing Stocktaking

J. B. MACDONALD

will clear out several lines of Goods at Great Bargains.

Ladies' Dolmans and Paletots, Ladies' Cloth

Sackets, Ladies' Fur Capes and Boas,

Ladies' Felt Hats, Ladies' Knit Underskirts.

These Goods must be Cleared. Bargains may be Expected.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Ch'town, Jan. 4, 1888.—dy & wky.

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AT

Perkins & Sterns.

Charlottetown, Nov. 30, 1887.