

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

APRIL 21, 1891.

Notes and Comments.

Bismarck has received a lesson in electoral politeness. After presenting himself as a candidate to the electors of Geste-munde, he took so little interest in the contest that he did not even issue an address asking for their votes; and he did not get them. At election times the elector is the biggest man in the nation, and he knows it. Bismarck knows it also now.

The troubles which brought about the crisis in the Portuguese cabinet which resulted in all members of the ministry tendering their resignations has been satisfactorily arranged. All the ministers retain their posts with the exception of Senhor Ribeiro Fereira, minister of public works, commerce and industry.

French medical circles are interested in Prof. See's claim that breathing air impregnated with creosote is a cure for tuberculosis. The remedy is nasty enough to be good. The world will be chary in accepting it, however. The material on which a consumption cure epidemic could feed has been well exhausted by the ravages of the Koch lymph outbreak.

A Brooklyn man defines la grippe as follows:—"Twelve parts influenza, twelve parts catarrh, twenty-four parts malaria, ten parts neuralgia, eight parts muscular rheumatism, ten parts sciatica, six parts asthma, twelve parts gastric or stomach fever, sixteen parts headache and pains through the eyes, all called a cold, and ending with pneumonia."

Having increased the duty on eggs, potatoes, horses, etc., and so put up the prices of these commodities, the people of the United States are taking comfort in sugar, which has been placed upon the free list. One of them warbles:—

"Dame Fortune frequently is shy,
And oft denominated fickle;
But now she smiles, for we can buy
A pound of sugar for a nickel."

Here is a picture of "Life in New York"—drawn by a native of the States:—

"Twelve thousand ginmills in full blast. White slaves fighting the wolf at their doors with needles that net them 30 cents a day. That's one side. Miles of blocks of houses, each costing from \$30,000 to \$700,000 to build, in which families live, each spending from \$10,000 to 15,000 a year. A hundred capitalists, each with convertible assets estimated at from \$1,000,000 to \$150,000,000. Starvation on the one hand; waste, extravagance on the other."

A treaty which is in force between the United States and Italy provides that,—

"The citizens of each of the high contracting parties shall receive in the states and territories of the other the most constant protection and security for their persons and property, and shall enjoy in this respect the same rights and privileges as are or shall be granted to the natives, on their submitting themselves to the conditions imposed on the natives."

Yet Italy has lately been explicitly told that the Government of the United States has no power to protect Italian citizens residing in the States—that each state is a law unto itself in regard to the administration of justice and the punishment of murderers and other criminals. Is it wonderful that Rudini is "a little mixed"?

The San Francisco Call believes that "one of the problems of the day is the discovery of a proper method of dealing with the Canadian Pacific railway." On which The Empire remarks that "it is well that the consideration of this subject should be brought home to the thoughtful world before the case becomes more complicated. A few years ago only a handful of fond fools in Canada harbored the opinion that this road would ever amount to anything; wise men properly regarded it as a huge piece of folly, and our cousins down in San Francisco really did not trouble their heads about it. But now the road is actually, and contrary to all respectable opinion, building up Canada more rapidly than the United States transcontinental roads are developing their new territory. And, worse than all, San Francisco finds a powerful rival port on the Pacific, built up by this heartless Canadian Pacific railway. No wonder the Call appeals to the 'Congressmen without number who lose no opportunity to shut out Commercial Union with Canada.' But the question is how to deal with the problem. We would urge our friends to begin swearing at it. Better do something under the circumstances, and this is the best suggestion we can make."

The Colonist of British Columbia remarks that ex-Minister Phelps, in claiming for Uncle Sam the seals that swim in Behring's Sea, wherever they may roam, will find that his theory is opposed to the principles of law as laid down by no less an authority than Blackstone. He, with respect to animals *ferae naturae*, lays down this doctrine:—

"In all these creatures, reclaimed from the wildness of their nature the property is not absolute but defeasible; a property that may be destroyed if they resume their ancient wildness and are found at large. For if the pheasants escape from the mew, or the fishes from the trunk, and are seen wandering at large, in their proper element, they become *ferae naturae* again, and are free and open to the first occupant that hath ability to seize them."

The seals which Mr. Phelps contends are the property of the United States were never reclaimed from the wildness of their nature. They have never been domesticated or even enclosed in a preserve. They have always been as wild as they are now, and at liberty to wander in sea or ocean at their own sweet will. As soon, therefore, as they get outside the territory of the United States, they are, according to the highest legal authority, as much the property of John Bull as they are of Uncle Sam. All sensible Americans admit this, for it is common sense as well as sound law, and how such a man as Mr. Phelps could get the notion into his head that the fur seals are more the property of the United States than the salmon which are hatched in the rivers of Alaska, is to us incomprehensible.

KICKED BY A HORSE.—The 7-year old son of Richard Butler, who lives at 78 Hollis street Halifax, had a narrow escape from being killed on Friday. It appears that the youngster was fooling with a horse in a stable when the animal made a kick at him. The horse's hoof struck the boy on the forehead fracturing his skull. The child is at present in a dangerous condition.

Our Butterflies

"The Life of a Butterfly" was made, last night, at the Natural History Society, by the genius of Mr. L. W. Watson, the occasion of a most delightful and thorough scientific paper. The lecturer, who has made himself master of all the details of entomology, was evidently at home and in most generous mood with his subject. His introduction was a highly poetic and beautiful description of the Lepidopterous dandies of our summer fields, their habits and singular lives of changeable form and fashion. Then came a minute and exceedingly clear and intelligible description of the anatomical structure of the butterfly, in its various phases of egg, caterpillar, pupa, and imago. Each detail of structure in all these phases was clearly and accurately given in verbal description, and illustrated by well executed diagrams in such a manner as to present the complicated anatomy of the subjects in hand in the most perfect manner to the highly interested audience. The perfect chain of physiological connection between the very various structures in the prone vermiform caterpillars and the buoyant-winged aurelia formed the subject of a most interesting description. The special structures, such as the eyes, composed of 17,000 distinct and perfect eyelets, the slender spiral proboscis by which the insects draw nectar from every scented bloom, the singular breathing apparatus, the saliva tubes and the spinnerets which weave the gossamer webs that enwrap the hibernating pupae were most clearly and faithfully described in connection with the general structure of the subject. Lastly, the mental endowments—the instincts of these varied-lived creatures of a lower world than ourselves—were touched upon and reason given for assuming that some psychological action, such as memorial shadows, ran through the varied phases of their complete existences. The paper was minute, accurate, clear, and broad enough to encompass every feature of the subject and might be called a masterly attempt to popularize the close study of a most fascinating department of nature. The lecturer exhibited a large number of specimens of butterflies, among which were all our common Island species, as well as the magnificent indigenous Emperor moths and Hawk moths. Many subjects of description were illustrated by reference to these actual specimens, adding greatly to their interest and value.

Charles Palmer, Esq., who occupied the chair, Hon. D. Laird, Dr. Beer, Rev. Mr. Hamlyn, Mr. Roche, Mr. McNeill and Mr. Bain complimented the lecturer on his most valuable paper, and took part in an animated discussion on various points of interest. A hearty vote of thanks was then presented by the society to the lecturer, in which mention was also made of the valuable services rendered by him in the capacity of secretary.

Opening Show Day.

'Tis the expected that happens. Messrs. Paton & Co's. opening show day was a great success. There was a good attendance, and the new and elegant Spring and Summer goods were greatly admired, as they well deserved to be. The different departments were all well stocked with the latest ideas in millinery, flowers, feathers, laces, mantles, dress goods, and the hundred and one other things which make up the stock of a well-equipped dry goods establishment. Paris, London, Manchester, Glasgow, New York and other places were levied upon in the search for novelties, with the most satisfactory results. The display of carpets, rugs, silk and other curtains which occupied the whole of the second floor was grand. A cosy little parlor arranged in one corner of the room to show off the silk curtains possessed attractions for the ladies that were simply irresistible. But we have not space to go into details. The many attractions must be seen to be properly appreciated. The show day will be continued to-morrow when there will likely be a still larger attendance. We had almost overlooked referring to the show windows, the goods in which are very artistically arranged. The west window was dressed by Mr. McLaren and the east by Mr. Wood. The Grecian costume, fitted by Miss MacEachern, is a special feature in the eastern window.

A Correction.

SIR,—I wish to correct an error in Mr. A. McNeill's letter in your issue of yesterday. The electric light placed in Hillsborough Park has not been put there by the Electric Light Co., but by the City of Charlottetown.

CITIZEN.

Personal.

J. R. McLean, M.P.P., Souris, is in the city. Joseph Murphy, Esq., M.L.C., is in town. Horace Haszard, Esq., has returned from Halifax. Richard Hunt, Esq., Summerside, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. Gillis, of Summerside, is in the city. B. Rogers, M. L. C., Alberton, is at the Davies to day.

George R. Montgomery, Esq., Alberton, is registered at the Davies.

Peter McNutt, M. L. C., Malpeque, is among the guests at the Davies.

It is stated that T. B. Hannington has been appointed post master at St. John.

It is pleasing to note that Mr. L. H. Davies, M. P., is able to be out again after his illness.

Heber Harton, of Halifax, is here on a horse buying expedition. He is registered at the Davies.

The announcement comes from England that Lieut. General Sir John Ross commanding the troops in British North America has been promoted to General.

J. W. Richards, Esq., Bideford, B. D. McLellan, M. P. P., Tignish, Angus McMillan, M. P. P., Summerside, and Peter Sinclair, M. P. P., Summerfield, are at the Hotel Davies.

DIED.

In Brooklyn, New York, at St. Peter's Hospital, on the 14th inst., after a short illness of pneumonia, Frederick William, eldest son of the late W. M. Crabbe, Jr., in the 82nd year of his age.

At Peterville, on the 26th ult., of inflammation, Catherine Campbell, relict of the late Roderick MacIntyre, Esq., aged 72 years. R. I. P.

At Village Green, Lot 49, at the residence of his son-in-law, on the 15th inst., William Welsh, in the 86th year of his age. The deceased was a man of sterling worth, and favorably known and highly respected by all with whom he was acquainted. May his soul rest in peace.

Oiled Clothing.

FIFTY DOZEN SUITS Carter's American Oil Clothing just arrived.

HORACE HASZARD.

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Town Property For Sale.

I AM instructed by Mrs. Paul McPhail to sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 4th of May next, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon:—

That desirable piece of property, with the Three-Tenement House thereon, belonging to her, situated on the east side of the Malpeque Road, adjoining the residence of Mr. Richard Murley, having a front of about 50 feet and running back about 84 feet.

For terms and particulars apply to H. James Palmer, Solicitor.

R. BRAIRSTO, Auctioneer.

WANTED!

For City of Charlottetown.

FIVE HUNDRED TONS OF ISLAND STONE, to be used for Roadbed in Macadamizing Streets. If brought in scows, to be landed on either wharves as may be directed. If brought in carts, to be delivered on any of the streets as required by the City Surveyor.

Will be taken in lots of 25 tons and upwards.

For further particulars apply at the City Clerk's Office.

H. M. DAVISON, City Clerk.

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BLACK GOODS.

OUR STOCK OF SPRING DRESS FABRICS has been carefully and judiciously selected, and all Novelties in BLACK DRESS MATERIALS will be found on our shelves.

India Cashmeres,
Mohair Brilliantines,
Fancy Brilliantines,
Jacquard Cloths,
Plain Viole Laines,
Fancy Viole Laines,
Priestly's Henriettas,
Wool Sarahs,
Fancy Checks,
Fancy Stripes,
Plain Grenadines,
Fancy Grenadines,
Courtald's Crapes,
Priestly's Crapes.

STANLEY BROS.,
Brown's Block.

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Molasses and Sugar.

TO ARRIVE per "Laurier" and other vessels now due:—A full assortment of Choice New Crop

BARBADOES }
ANTIGUA } MOLASSES,
DEMERAHA }

BARBADOS SUGAR,

For sale low while landing.

FENTON T. NEWBERRY.

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PRESSED HAY.

ANOTHER lot Canadian Timothy Hay just arrived. For sale by

HORACE HASZARD.

Seed Wheat, Oats, etc.

FOR SALE.—150 bushels Seed Wheat, grown from seed imported direct from Russia and only grown two years in America. This Wheat is twelve days' earlier than the White Fife.

A few bushels White American Banner Oats.

"Black Tartarian" Seed Oats, seed imported last year from Webb, the celebrated English Seedman.

Some Seed Potatoes, a very excellent and early variety.

Also—1 Bull Calf, one year old, Holstein and Ayrshire, and 1 Bull Calf, this spring's, Holstein and Alderney.

Apply to

J. & T. MORRIS.

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100 TONS PRESSED HAY.

Four Bags Jar CORKS,
W. J. BOSWELL,
11 Queen Street.

April 18.

TO LET.

THAT large brick store on Queen Street, lately occupied by Mr. Charles E. Robertson, now undergoing repairs. Possession given May 1st. Place open daily for inspection. Apply to Mr. Charles I. Morrison, next door, or to the subscribers,

M. McLEOD,
H. J. CUNDALL,
Ch'town, April 18, 1890.—d 10i

FOR 30 DAYS

Special Bargains

WILL BE GIVEN AT THE

DIAMOND BOOKSTORE

—IN—

School Books,

Stationery,

Prayer Books,

Bibles,

Photograph and

Autograph Albums,

Plush Frames,

Fancy Goods

Lovely Dolls,

Toys, etc., etc.

ROOM PAPER.

A large lot just opened, making by far THE FINEST SHOWN IN THE CITY.

NOVELS

IN GREAT PROFUSION.

REMEMBER

Most of the above goods will be sold AT COST, in order to make room for Spring Importations.

THIS IS A GENUINE SALE,

—AND—

A Chance in a Lifetime.

Wholesale Buyers and Teachers will find it to their great advantage to compare our prices and buy from us. WE GUARANTEE THEM AT LEAST TEN PER CENT.

THEO. L. CHAPPELLE,

Diamond Bookstore.

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Natal Day Celebration!

THE ODDFELLOWS of this City will celebrate the Seventy Second Anniversary of the Order by attending Divine Service in the Upper Prince Street Methodist Church, on SUNDAY, the 26th inst., at 11 o'clock, a. m., where a discourse will be delivered by Brother Rev. George W. Fisher, of Pownal, assisted by Brother Rev. William H. Spargo, of Stanhope.

GRAND CONCERT!

At Summerside.

On Monday Evening, 27th April.

The Members of the City Lodges will, on Monday Morning, 27th, assemble at the Railway Station, when a

Special Excursion Train

will leave at 9 a. m. (local) for Summerside. Returning, will leave Summerside immediately after the Concert.

RETURN TICKETS ONLY \$1.00, to be obtained from members of the Order and at the Diamond Bookstore.

The Celebration at Summerside will consist of a Public Dedication of the new Oddfellows' Hall, and a Grand Concert in the Market Hall in the Evening, for Programme of which see Summerside papers.

The CITIZENS' BAND will accompany the Excursionists.

JOHN F. WHEAR,

Secretary.

C. J. PATTON, Chairman Com.
Charlottetown, April 18, 1891—eod

FIRST-CLASS MILLINERY

MRS. R. YOUNG

HAS just received a choice lot of ENGLISH and AMERICAN MILLINERY, and will be pleased to see any of her customers at her residence.

All orders from the country promptly attended to, and if over \$5.00, sent free of charge.

MORNING GOODS a specialty.
GOOD CRAPE, SHAPES, RIBBONS, etc., always on hand.

Orders taken at the "London House" by Miss Wright.

MRS. R. YOUNG,

Hillsborough Square.

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IMITATION THE SINCEREST FLATTERY.

Our advertising methods, our arrangement and display of goods, our window dressing, may all to a large extent be imitated, but

OUR STYLES

—AND—

OUR PRICES

Cannot be Reproduced!



Owing to the late arrival from London and Berlin of many lines of goods purchased expressly for our Show Days, we have decided to make a further display of Novelties commencing on

WEDNESDAY—TO-MORROW.

BEER BROS.

A Reputation of Five and Twenty Years Standing!

THE GREAT INVIGORATING TONIC.

CAMPBELL'S QUININE WINE.

INVALUABLE in cases of Loss of Appetite, Weak or Painful Indigestion, Malaise, Lowness of Spirits, Fevers of all kinds, and as a general Strengthening of the System when weakened by changes of the season.

It is necessary to remember that there are many so-called Quinine Wines, but that the GREAT ORIGINAL is "Campbell's," and that the genuine bears our signature upon the label. The best proof of its value is the fact that its sale at the present time is larger than ever before.

The following certificate shows how CAMPBELL'S QUININE WINE is appreciated. Having submitted two samples of Quinine Wine, imitations of the genuine, along with a sample of our own, to the Public Analyst, we received the following reply:—

"CAMPBELL'S" is the only genuine Quinine Wine of the three samples examined at Messrs. Kenneth Campbell & Co's. request."

JOHN BAKER EDWARDS, Ph. D., F. C. S.,
Public Analyst.

Charlottetown Lawn Tennis Club.



DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT.

Under the Patronage of His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Carvell.

LYCEUM, ST. GEORGE'S DAY, THURSDAY, 23rd APRIL.

PROGRAMME.

OVERTURE.....ORCHESTRA
FAN DRILL.....24 LADIES IN COSTUME

"Esmeralda" (A Play in Four Acts).

DRAMATIS PERSONE:

Old Man Rogers, a North Carolina Farmer.....Dr. Brimmond
Lydia Anne, his wife.....Mrs. Perry Pope
Esmeralda, his daughter.....Mrs. Esmeralda
Dave Hardy, a young North Carolinian.....Mr. A. Bartlett
Estabrook, a man of leisure.....Mr. F. H. Arrand
Jack Desmond, an American Artist in Paris.....Mr. Harrison (arrived)
Nora Desmond, his sister.....Mrs. A. Bartlett
Kate Desmond, his sister.....Mrs. A. Bartlett
Arquis de Montassin, a French adventurer.....Mr. W. A. Weeks, Jr.
George Drew, an American speculator.....Mr. A. E. Pope

DIRECTOR AND STAGE MANAGER.....MR PERCY POPE

Synopsis of Scenes and Incidents.

ACT I—Rogers' Log Cabin in the Mountains of North Carolina. Strangers appear. The speculator thinks he has a good thing. The engagement. Dave to the rescue. Checkmate for Drew. Unexpected wealth. Mrs. Rogers is one with the old life. Sad parting.

ACT II—A Studio in Paris. Nora and Kate at work. A morning call. "I have a letter in my pocket which—" The discovery. The meeting. A revelation. "Then let the letter go."

ACT III—A Room in Rogers' house during a Ball. A quiet chat. Estabrook "in the saddle. The old man's appeal. "Folks must have feelings." "I want no use; I want no use." Mrs. Rogers on the warpath. Esmeralda at bay. "Pears like she's gone back to North Carolina in spite of yer."

ACT IV—The Studio again. The plot thickens. A love scene. A meeting arranged. Old man makes a stand. A sharp skirmish. Victory! The money changes hands. The lovers are united. "The little house won't be empty any more." CURTAIN.

"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN."

MR. VINNIGOMBE'S ORCHESTRA, during the intervals, will entertain the audience with a fine selection of music.
Reserved Seats, 50 cents; unreserved, 25 cents. For sale at Reddin's Drug Store and at the door. A very efficient staff of ushers in attendance. A plan of the Hall may be seen at Reddin's Drug Store on and after the 20th inst.
Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Performance to begin at 8 p. m.

SPRING MEDICINES.

WE HAVE NOW IN STOCK, among many others, the following seasonable Remedies:—Ayer's and Hood's Sarsaparilla, Warner's Safe Cure, Paine's Celery Compound, Campbell's Quinine Wine, Scott's, Puttner's and Miller's Eucalyptus, Fellow's Compound Syrup, Burdock Blood Bitters, Beef, Iron and Wine, Pierce's Discovery and Prescription, Fruit Salt, Maltine (plain and in combination with Cod Liver Oil), Beef, Iron and Wine, Cascara Sagrada, Hypophosphites, etc.

A. S. JOHNSON,

Corner Kent and Prince Streets.

Ch'town, March 23, 1891.