

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

MAY 27, 1887.

Dominion Parliament.

As telegraphed THE EXAMINER yesterday afternoon, the subject of continuous communication between the Island and the Mainland occupied the attention of the House of Commons on Wednesday. Speeches thereon were made by five of the Island's "contingent." Mr. Perry started the ball rolling by asking the Government if it was their intention to cause a survey of the straits to be made the present season with the view of building a subway? Sir John, who always gives an answer to suit the question, replied that it was not the intention to cause a survey with the view of building a subway.

After the remarks which followed, and with which our readers are already familiar, Mr. Davies arose and in his characteristic way undertook to annihilate the Government. What followed is thus described by the parliamentary correspondent of the St. John News:—

"He (Davies) charged that Sir John had written a letter before the elections promising a survey this summer and had now declared in reply to the question that such survey was not intended. He would not say that the tunnel was practicable but he did not object to the survey. Davies used somewhat frantic language, threatening to hold the minister of marine personally responsible for a failure to provide a safe service."

This diatribe did not ruffle Sir John in the least. In reply he is reported as having said:—

"The question to which he had replied negatively was whether the government proposed to have surveys made with a view to the construction of the tunnel. His letter to Sir John promised to have a survey made with a view of ascertaining whether the scheme was feasible and which might be the cost. If he had been asked this question to-day he would have given the same answer. The government had not changed its policy, but the statements of the Island members that the scheme was visionary was not calculated to strengthen that policy. He had, however, not much confidence in these members and thought it would be well to continue the exploration."

It is said that in their great anxiety to attack the Government, the Island representatives destroyed their own motion respecting communication with the Mainland; Mr. Perry speaking until the Speaker left the chair, thus talking out the motion which must now stand over for several weeks!

While on the subject of parliamentary proceedings we trust we will be pardoned for publishing another reference to "Fertilizer" Welsh. It is from the pen of the correspondent from whom we have already quoted, and is as follows:—

"Mr. Welsh made the first speech in opposition. He said little or nothing about fertilizers, but went into a general discussion of the policy of protection, and wandered over the whole question of the relations of the province of Prince Edward Island to the rest of Canada. Physically he made a few jests, but they were rather coasting trips than deep sea voyages. But his speech had a magnificent range. He had got as far as the national debt, when Peter Mitchell, who happened to be in Mr. Welsh's orbit, remarked 'Come to the fertilizers.' To this the venerable junior member for Charlottetown replied by shouting in Mitchell's ear the question, 'Do you want any?' Ten minutes later Mr. Welsh was observing that the United States was our natural market for fish, when somebody surprised him by suggesting 'fertilizers.' He promised to speak of them presently, but instead entered into a discussion of the bounty system for ships. He was called to order, but Sir Charles Tupper hoped the gentleman would be allowed the widest liberty of discussion, and perhaps it was in acknowledgement of the compliment that Mr. Welsh most emphatically endorsed the action of the government on the fishery question. There were signs of disapproval among gentlemen behind him, to which the ancient mariner paid little regard. Later he brought down the house by the following sentence, which he subsequently claimed was not quite finished, when he was interrupted by the wildest shout of laughter which the house has heard this session: 'Some gentlemen have thrown slurs on the member for West Durham (Mr. Blake), for swallowing his principles—I have never seen any of his principles yet.' The subject of fertilizers was tackled by Mr. Welsh in his last sentence, when he moved that the item be struck off."

Our representatives appear to be pretty well sized up all around.

The Toronto Riot.

THERE appears to be a disposition on the part of Mayor Howland, of Toronto, to allow the mob who assaulted William O'Brien and his friends, to go unpunished. The press of Toronto does not agree with His Worship in the matter. The Globe thus spurs him on:—

"The ringleaders of the ruffians who assaulted a defenceless man for no other crime than walking the streets of Toronto are still at large. They must be hunted out by the detectives, brought up in the police court, and punished with the utmost rigor of the law. To effect this is the plain duty of the authorities. It is especially the mayor's business to see that the reputation of the city be saved as far as is now possible. The riot was disgraceful enough; if a number of the guilty parties, many of whom were well recognized, be not sought out and dealt with sternly, the disgrace will be complete. Mayor Howland indulged yesterday in some trimming observations to the effect that he didn't endorse the action of the men who mobbed Mr. O'Brien, and he didn't think that that gentleman should have ventured out upon the street without police protection! We tell Mr. Howland plainly that he cannot save the fair fame of Toronto, nor keep himself out of the contempt of all Canada by any such twaddle. His declaration amounts to this—that an unpopular man must not dare to show his face on the public streets because the town is infested with hoodlums. That imputation must at all costs be disproved. The ruffians of Wednesday evening must be captured and made examples of. That is the business that the mayor has to attend to now. If he does not do it promptly the unruly element will feel greatly encouraged, and we

shall see two factions at permanent logger-heads, and every aggrieved rough taking the liberty to use bludgeon, stone or pistol at his pleasure. No shirking, Mr. Howland, O'Brien is gone for the present and his goal or had taste is out of the question. The thing now is to vindicate the common right of walking the streets."

Prince of Wales College and Normal School.

THE CLOSING EXERCISES.

THE Annual Closing Examination of the Prince of Wales' College and Normal School was held to-day. There were present among the visitors:—The Lieutenant Governor and wife, Rev. Mr. Frame, Hon. G. W. Bentley, Hon. D. Laird, Mr. Wm. Edward Bayfield, Miss Russell, Mr. Wm. McPhail, Mr. D. Montgomery, Superintendent of Education; Mr. R. R. Fitzgerald and a large gathering of students of recent years. The number of prominent citizens present was small, as no invitations were allowed to be issued. The proceedings began with lessons by three of the pupil teachers—James H. McLeod, Miss Ada Howard and Charles Keilly. The class at this stage consisted of Mr. McSwain's pupils, and contained some bright specimens of boys, one especially enunciating very distinctly the answers required out of a seemingly vast store of information. The lessons called forth favorable comment. Immediately afterward the boys' pupils withdrew, and the grand rush of students for seats began. About one hundred and ten crowded themselves into the room, the remainder not being able to enter. The want of a proper hall of convocation was very apparent.

Lessons were then given on a passage in Richard III. by Mr. LePage, and on Glaciers by Prof. Anderson. At the conclusion of Mr. LePage's lesson, three of the pupils read answers given at an examination held recently on the play of Richard III. The readings showed remarkably good composition, and were well received. Miss Doherty, Mr. Norton and Mr. Crafer were the readers of these answers.

Four of the pupils then read, Miss Janetta McPhail, Miss Doherty, Miss Howard and Mr. Ives. Mr. Ives read "The Old Clock on the Stairs," Miss McPhail a selection from Richard III, Miss Howard a passage from Coleridge, and Miss Doherty the speech of Regulus before the Roman Senate. The readings were, judging by the attention and the applause they received, interpretive of the spirit and literary power of the several authors.

At this stage the class under Prof. Caven's leadership sang two verses of Auld Lang Syne. Prof. Anderson then made an address on the work of the year. He thought that there were two very decisive tests of the excellence of the work done in the Institution, the increased success of the pupils who go to other colleges and the unmistakable advance of education throughout the country. The number of students applying for admission was never so great, nor were their attainments ever so high. The Honor list was then read and five books were given as prizes. Three of these were the gift of Senator Haythorne, two of the Lieutenant Governor. The Governor General's medals had not yet arrived. In closing, addresses were given by the Lieutenant Governor, Rev. Mr. Frame, Hon. G. W. Bentley, Hon. D. Laird and R. R. Fitzgerald, Esq. The speeches consisted of advice, and opinions upon the relative value of confined and commodious rooms as a suitable environment for budding brains. All however hoped that a building move in keeping with the advanced condition of Education and the requirements of the Province would ere long be provided.

Mr. Fitzgerald announced his intention to continue his prize for Agriculture, and expressed his pleasure as a citizen in countenancing by his presence and voice the public examination of our chief Educational Institution.

A very handsome map of Scotland by Miss Maggie Brown was exhibited. It was a model of neatness and fine work, but lacked firm outlines.

The proceedings were brought to a close by singing "God Save the Queen."

HONOR LIST.

Governor General's Silver Medal, presented to the best student—Samuel Robertson, Bedeque. Governor General's Bronze Medal, for Teaching and School Management—Charles Keilly, Stanhope. Prize of ten dollars presented by R. R. Fitzgerald, Esq., for Agricultural Chemistry—Samuel Robertson; Douglas D. Hugh, Murray Harbor; John Jordan, Murray Harbor.

FIRST LATIN—HORACE, OVID, &c. 1st, Samuel Robertson; 2nd, James McPhail, Uigg; 3rd, Louis DesBrisay, Charlottetown.

SECOND LATIN—SALLUST, OVID, &c. 1st, D. D. Hugh, Senator Haythorne's Prize; 2nd, John Ives, Lieutenant Governor's Prize; 3rd, Sadie Brooks, Charlottetown.

THIRD LATIN—CESAR. 1st, James McLeod, Lieutenant Governor's Prize; 2nd, Frederick McLeod, Nine Mile Creek; 3rd, Reuben McDonald, Georgetown.

LATIN COMPOSITION. 1st, Samuel Robertson; 2nd, Frederick West, Little York; 3rd, James McPhail; 4th, John Jordan.

SECOND LATIN COMPOSITION. 1st, John Ives, Tryon; 2nd, Janet Schurman, Bedeque; 3rd, Benjamin Crafer, Malpeque.

THIRD LATIN COMPOSITION—1ST DIVISION. 1st, Laura Hodgson, Malpeque, and John McKay, Clifton, equal; 3rd, James Munro, Lorne Valley, and John Mellish, Union Road, equal; 5th, James McLeod, Murray Harbor.

THIRD LATIN COMPOSITION—2ND DIVISION. 1st, Fannie McNutt, Charlottetown; 2nd, Mary McKenzie, Flat River; 3rd, Millicent McEachern, Pownal, and Michael Donahoe, Roseneath, equal.

FIRST GREEK—XENOPHON. 1st, Samuel Robertson and James McPhail, equal.

FIRST FRENCH—ECRIT LITTERAIRE AND COMPOSITION. 1st, Frederick West; 2nd, Samuel Robertson and John Jordan, equal; 3rd, D. D. Hugh.

THIRD FRENCH—FLEURY'S HISTORY AND COMPOSITION. 1st, Mary McKenzie, Flat River; 2nd, Fannie McNutt, Ch'town; 3rd, Laura Hodgson.

FIRST ENGLISH—SHAKESPEARE'S PLAY OF RICHARD III., COMPOSITION AND LITERATURE. 1st, Agnes Doherty, Ch'town, and Frederick Norton, Georgetown, equal, Senator Haythorne's prize; 3rd, John Ives; 4th, Samuel Robertson and John Jordan, equal.

SECOND ENGLISH—MACAULAY'S "BURLEIGH AND HIS TIMES," AND MILTON'S "PARADISE LOST," BOOK 2. 1st, Maggie McGrath, Tignish; 2nd, John McKay; 3rd, John Mellish; 4th, Jas. McLeod and Nelson Stevenson, New Glasgow, equal.

THIRD ENGLISH—GRAMMAR. 1st, James Johnstone, Centreville; 2nd, Elizabeth Leslie, Baltic; 3rd, Samuel Enman, Pownal, and Joseph Redmond, equal.

FIRST HISTORY—ANCIENT HISTORY OF THE EAST. 1st, D. D. Hugh; 2nd, John Jordan; 3rd, Charles Keilly, Stanhope, Frederick Howatt, equal.

SECOND HISTORY—TUDOR PERIOD. 1st, Ida Dawson, Tryon; 2nd, Bessie Alexander, Stanhope, Reuben McDonald, Georgetown, equal; 4th, Robert Morson, Dundas, Frederick McLean, equal.

FIRST GEOGRAPHY—PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY. 1st, D. D. Hugh; 2nd, Francis McCormack, Grand River; 3rd, John Ives; 4th, John Jordan; 5th, Frederick West; 6th, Frederick Howatt.

SECOND GEOGRAPHY—POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY. 1st, James McLeod; 2nd, Bessie Alexander, Stanhope; 3rd, Maggie Brown, Charlottetown; 4th, Maggie McGrath.

FIRST GEOMETRY. 1st, D. D. Hugh, John Jordan, equal; 3rd, Frederick West; 4th, Samuel Robertson.

SECOND GEOMETRY. 1st, Donald McDonald, Uigg; 2nd, John McKay and Reuben McDonald, equal; 4th, Leslie Bruce, S'side, and James McLeod, equal.

ALGEBRA. 1st, Sarah Ross, Bedeque; 2nd, Samuel Robertson, do.

SECOND ALGEBRA. 1st, Bessie Alexander; 2nd, Mary McKenzie; 3rd, Donald McDonald, Millicent McEachern and Wm. McLeod, Valleyfield, equal.

TRIGONOMETRY AND PRACTICAL GEOMETRY. 1st, Samuel Robertson, D. D. Hugh and John Jordan, equal; 4th, John Ives.

ARITHMETIC. 1st, Sarah Smith; 2nd, James McLeod; 3rd, Nelson Stevenson.

ASTRONOMY. 1st, Samuel Robertson; 2nd, D. D. Hugh; 3rd, James McPhail.

FIRST AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTRY. 1st, Samuel Robertson, D. D. Hugh, John Jordan, equal; 4th, James McLeod; Janet Schurman; Agnes Doherty.

SECOND AGRICULTURAL CHEMISTRY. 1st, James McLeod, John Mellish, equal; 2nd, John McKay, William Murdoch, Murray Harbor, Albert Martin, Valleyfield, Frederick McLean, equal.

SCHOOL MANAGEMENT. 1st, James McLeod and John McKay, equal; 3rd, Wm. Murdoch and Frederick Howatt, equal; 5th, Benj. Crafer and Frederick McLean, equal.

TEACHING. 1st, Charles Keilly; 2nd, James McLeod and Ada Howard, Cornwall, equal.

READING. Agnes Doherty, John Ives, Janetta McPhail, Uigg; Ada Howard.

HIGHEST IN GENERAL STANDING OF THIRD CLASS STUDENTS. James Johnstone, Elizabeth Leslie, Samuel Enman.

WORTHY OF HONORABLE MENTION. Amy DesBrisay, Janetta McPhail, Uigg; John Martin, Stanley; Eva Wadman, Centreville.

The Rifle.

No. 3 Company 82nd Battalion held their first competition yesterday afternoon for the silver cup lately purchased by the officers, non-commissioned officers and friends of the company. Capt. D. Stewart won the cup. One of the rules under which this valuable cup is fired for is that the competition be semi-annually in the months of May and October of each year, and that any one competitor winning it three times consecutively or five times not consecutively in six years, shall become the absolute owner thereof. The following are some of the highest scores made:—

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Capt. Stewart: 200 400 500 Total 30 34 22 83. Corp. B. C. Prowse: 26 27 35 78. Pt. H. Beer: 29 28 17 74. Pt. A. Forbes: 30 25 19 73. Sgt. N. J. McDonald: 28 24 21 73. Pt. McNevin: 29 27 16 72.

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Among thy rugged hills, oh distant land, That now are veiled in soft blue mystery, How often when a boy I loved to stand And read in ancient rocks thy history.

How often by thy river intervals The hours of twilight grey I loved to spend, And breathe the fragrance of thy summer gales Where leafy elms their graceful boughs extend.

Peaceful and quiet through the summer morn, From Port-la-Joie I see thy friendly shore, Where earthquake wild and fierce volcanic storm Spent terribly their force in days of yore.

But now thy life with all that man desires Of peace and joy and happiness is blessed, Thy life that once through will volcanic fires And coldness of chill Arctic bergs had passed.

Oh distant hills that gleam so clear and fair With azure loveliness this summer day, Within your girdling zone of ambient air, Among your shadowy vales my old friends stray.

Dear sister land, I look across the sea From loved "Abegweit" our far sea girt home, And bid a fond good bye to thine and thee, For misty shadows from the ocean come.

And clouds arise, and sun, and moon and star, For us their glimmering fires will cease to beam, And through the cold grey languor of the air The Acadian hills will lose their azure sheen.

But clouds will melt away, and happy light Will clothe again thy hills with radiant gleam, As tender as sweet visions of the night, That cheer some wandering exile's happy dream.

W. C. HARRIS.

Jubilee Soiree,

St. Paul's Schoolroom, TUESDAY, May 31, IN AID OF THE P. E. Island Hospital.

THREE PARTS. Part I, 7 p. m. Bazaar. Part II, 8 p. m. Concert. Part III, 9 p. m. Refreshments.

PROGRAMME. Glee.....Folk Song Reading.....Mr. F. L. Hazard Vocal Solo.....Mrs. M. McLeod Inst. Solo.....Miss M. Palmer Violin Duet.....Miss Findley and Miss A. Beer Reading.....Miss Barr Vocal Solo.....Miss Knight Inst. Duet.....Miss Weeks and Mr. Earle Reading.....Mr. W. Weeks Glee.....

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