

THE DAILY EXAMINER. OCTOBER 9, 1883.

The Cost of Telegraphs and Cables

We have not time to-day to refer particularly to Mr. James' second letter in another column, further than to call attention to the following taken from the Canadian Blue Book for 1882, which shows the cost to the Canadian Government of their Telegraph lines and cables:—

Table with columns for system name, distance, and cost. Includes Grand Manan System, Anticosti System, Magdalen Island System, and British Columbia.

As these lines and cables are the most approved of their kind, and they certainly cost more than such lines would in P. E. Island, and as private corporations can always build such works for less money than the Government can, we may fairly conclude that the first cost of the P. E. Island system was very little more than one fifth the amount which Mr. James says the Anglo-American Company have invested in it.

Two interesting essays were read before the Convention yesterday afternoon. One on the use of "Shall and Will" by Mr. T. A. LePage; the other on "The Classics in Education," by Prof. Caven. A place for both, in a day or two, be found in THE EXAMINER.

In the evening there was given, for the benefit of the Convention, a musical and oratorical entertainment. The sweetest choir in the town sang "The Psalm of Life," "The Bells of Shandon," and several other musical selections of high order.

Editorial Notes.

In his speech last evening, Mr. L.H. Davies appealed to the newspaper press to disseminate the facts of his speech as to the cost of education in Charlottetown and advised the teachers in convention assembled that "nothing is doing more harm to the public than the desultory reading of newspapers."

The St. John News says:—"So far as we can gather the Prince Edward Islanders are in a good frame of mind in regard to their connection with the Exhibition. Their display has been a beautiful one, creditable to them at almost all sides. They have taken a very handsome share of prizes, and been treated generally with much courtesy and kindness, and are prompt and hearty in the acknowledgment of the fact. It is pleasing to know this. This is a good ending to an unpleasant beginning."

Commenting on the recent events in Paris the London Times says that a Government which cannot secure a courteous reception for a national guest, in its own capital, can hardly be acquitted of weakness and incapacity, even if it escape suspicion on the score of sincerity and good will.

There is a want of Ministers of the Gospel in the Maritime Provinces, which demands speedy looking to. The Presbyterians are suffering, it is said, a good deal more for want of preachers than for want of money. A writer in the Presbyterian Witness gives the following list of vacancies:

The New York Tribune's London despatch says that the Conservatives have begun an active campaign against the Government. England, Scotland, and Ireland, all three, have been simultaneously attacked, public meetings are being held, conducted by the most prominent and influential members of the op-

position. Sir Stafford Northcote, himself, is at present in the North of Ireland, where he is holding a series of meetings with the most gratifying and enthusiastic success. The Parnellites are in a measure abandoning their ostentatious assault upon the Northern Counties, having received a severe check at the beginning. Henceforth their efforts in this quarter will be conducted with more discretion, and secret methods will probably be adopted for future movements.

Co-education, at least in the more advanced colleges of the United States, has not yet arrived at a popular stage. An effort was recently made to allow women the privilege of prosecuting their studies in Columbia College. The innovation, if it could be called such, met with most determined opposition. The Columbia graduates seem to have been against it without any grounds at all, save that one of the younger alumni explained that they were all opposed to the admission of women. A resolution commending the action of the trustees in providing a course of studies which young women can pursue outside the college, coming to it only for examinations and for certificates at the end of the four years' course, was overwhelmingly rejected. At the same time, a resolution recommending the admission of women on the same terms with men, received only four votes. If this means anything, it would seem to mean that most of the ninety graduates present disapproved even of the poor concession made to women by the trustees. On the other hand the young women themselves do not seem to prize very highly the privilege of studying at arms-length from a college. Only four of them applied for it at the entrance examination, and it is obvious that the plan of the trustees is not yet a success.

The Teacher's Convention.

At his residence, Newtown, Belfast, on Monday last, Edward Robertson, Esq., aged 72 years.

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At Georgetown, on 3rd inst., before Hon. D. Gordon, J. P., Mr. John B. Hume and Miss Mary Lamont, both of Woodville, Township 62.

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Oct. 9.—W H Smith, Montreal; E Johnson, Picton; John McLean, Souris; W J Stewart, Halifax; G W Howlan, and wife, Truro; John A Matheson, and wife, Campbellton; S S Forrest, Halifax; J C Redmond, Montreal; F E McPherson, Toronto; James Rogers, Montreal; E D Lacy, St. John; Malcolm McLeod, Belfast; F R Beaton, East Point; Mrs Beaton, do; Mrs R McDonald, Souris; C J Healey, do; John McKenzie, Summerside; Miss McKenzie, do.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

ENTERED.

Oct 8—Elizabeth, McDougall, Picton, coal; Rustic, Keeping, Picton, limestone; Adonia, McIsaac, Picton, coal.

CLEARED.

Oct 8—Kate, McPherson, Halifax, produce. Oct 9—Alaska, Young, Montague, mds, Bounty, Hughes, Picton, bal; Tarquin, McPherson, Pugwash, bal; Rising Dawn, Boudroit, Picton, bal.

OUTPORTS.

Summerside, Oct. 8.—entered sgr Grand Master, Kennedy, Picton, coal. Clid—schr Kewatin, Craig, Demerara, 6,100 bush oats, \$3,064; 66 sheep, \$264, shipped by David Rogers.

LANDING TO-DAY.

ONE HUNDRED puns. MOLASSES, Choice and Cheap.

Wanted to Purchase, FOR CASH. Garnett Potatoes.

HENRY C. OUTERBRIDGE, Queen's Wharf. Ch'town, Oct. 9, 1883.—2in pd.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Grand Division will be held at North Wiltshire, on Friday the 26th of October, inst., at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon. A public meeting will be held in the evening.

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and mingling with the people, he knows the people and the people's sentiments and requirements. But his influence for good is lessened because he too often gives publicity to slanders and scandals, and exerts himself to depreciate public men. The Church has undoubtedly a great work to do. But no influence on earth has a stronger bearing upon the future of the world than that exerted by the teachers who instruct and form the youthful minds in the schoolhouses throughout our land. No doubt this influence is not yet so widely felt as it ought to be. This is abundantly evidenced in cases which often come before him as Stipendiary Magistrate. In the courtroom there is often presented a sad and striking contrast to the pleasing scene we see here this evening, (referring to the young school girls who formed the choir). There, are often seen youths who have entered on the downward course and show the marks of crime,—youths who should go to school,—and do not. The fault lies somewhere; it should be sought out and remedied. And the practical point to be urged to-night is that the teachers endeavor to bring those of the youths who have entered upon wrong and criminal courses within their kindly and powerful influence, and extend to them also the advantages enjoyed by the cultured and good-mannered children we see here to night.

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EXHIBITION WEEK!

WE invite the Citizens and those who may be visiting the Town, during the week of Exhibition, to the inspection of our immense stock of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS!

WE HAVE JUST PLACED UPON OUR SHELVES THE CONTENTS OF

Two Hundred and Sixty Bales and Cases,

OF ENGLISH, AMERICAN, AND CANADIAN,

DRY GOODS,

Comprising everything necessary for Household and General use.

Varieties complete in every Department at the

Very Lowest Prices for Cash.

UPWARDS OF

Fifteen Thousand Grain Bags,

And a Large Stock of Very Choice

CHINESE AND INDIAN TEAS,

Wholesale and Retail.

GEO. DAVIES & CO.

Charlottetown, Oct. 6, 1883.

LOOK OUT FOR BARGAINS!

W. & A. BROWN & CO.,

HAVE now opened 140 Cases and Bales of New and Fashionable Dry Goods.

100 pieces Ulster Cloths, bought at half price. 100 pieces Mantle Cloth, bought at half price. 1,000 Wool Squares, very cheap.

200 pieces Wineceys, 30 " Shirtings, 500 " Prints, 100 " Scotch Tweeds, 50 " Worsted Coatings, 50 " Scarlet Flannels, 50 boxes Silk Fringe, 25 " Silk Plushes, 50 " Velveteens, 30 " Silk Velvets, 50 " Frillings, 300 Jackets and Dolmans.

At twenty per cent less than prices of former years. All Goods we are selling very cheap this Season.

Wholesale and Retail.

60 PIECES CARPET DAILY EXPECTED.

W. & A. BROWN & CO.

Ch'town, Oct. 6, 1882.—dy wky.

DOMINION SAFETY FUND.

THE following acknowledgments for payments death claims show the promptitude with which such claims are paid by the Dominion Safety Fund Life Association:—

As insurances are effected in this Associations at actual cost, with a small fixed charge for office commission, there cannot possibly be a more equitable and cheap system of life insurance.

No delay no heavy premiums, no enormous profits at the expense of the insured!

This company having made the deposit of \$50,000 at Ottawa, as required by law, offers this further guarantee as to the prompt payment of its obligations.

Every policy in this Association for \$1,000 is secured by the obligations of its members representing upwards of \$2,000,000 and rapidly increasing.

FREDERICTON, N. B., July 3rd, 1883.

To the President and Directors of the Dominion Safety Fund Life Association, St. John N.B. GENTLEMEN:—I hereby acknowledge receipt of the sum of two thousand dollars, in full settlement of my certificates, Nos. 369, 370, on account of the death of my husband, Dr James Henry Ellis. M. D. paid to me immediately upon presentation of proofs of his death.

I beg to express my grateful thanks for your promptitude in paying the claim, and gladly authorize you to publish this letter, if you deem it desirable, in the interests of your valuable Association.

(Signed.) MARY ANNE ELLIS. Witness: (Signed.) Wesley Vanwart. ST. JOHN, N. B., July 30, 1883.

To the President and Directors of the Dominion Safety Fund Life Association, St. John, N.B. GENTLEMEN:—I beg to offer you my sincere thanks for the promptitude with which my claim on your Association for one thousand dollars, as beneficiary on my husband, the late Moses Lockhart, was paid to me as soon as the necessary papers were completed and presented, and I trust the Association will continue to receive the support it so fully deserves.

(Signed.) SARAH LOCKHART. Witness: (Signed.) C. A. Macdonald. LEONARD MORRIS, Agent for P. E. Island.

Summerside, Aug. 3, 1883.—1y

FANCY SALE.

THE MEMBERS of St. Peter's Church Sewing Society intend holding a Sale on WEDNESDAY, 12th December. Ch'town Oct. 6, 1883.—once a week.

Furness Line Steamers.

YORK CITY, 2,325 tons; DURHAM CITY, 2,844 tons; BOSTON CITY, 2,334 tons; CALCUTA CITY, 3,000 tons; NEWCASTLE CITY, 2,190 tons, sailing from Halifax for London, G. B., every ten days carrying freight at bottom rates. Canned goods, starch, and oats in sacks a speciality. Through Bills of Lading granted here.

A. H. B. MACCOWAN, Agent. Ch'town, Oct. 6, 1883.—4i 2aw

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY.

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION

RETURN TICKETS at one first class fare will be issued from all Stations on this Railway to Charlottetown, on the 9th, 10th, and 11th of October, inst., good to return up to and including October 15th, to parties attending the Provincial Exhibition.

JAMES COLEMAN, Supt. Railway Office, Ch'town, Oct. 1, 1883. [ex pat eod tl 10th, her pres ne pio jour lin.

Herring and Codfish

125 BARRELS and Half barrels Choice FAMILY HERBING. 200 Qtls. Codfish. Just received at the Fish Market.

J. H. MYRICK. Oct. 2, 1883.—3i eod.

P. E. I. Steam Navigation Company.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of the Steam Navigation Company will be held in their office corner of Great George and Lower Water streets, on THURSDAY, the 18th of October, at seven o'clock in the evening, for the election of Directors and other business.

By Order F. W. HALES, Secretary. Ch'town, Oct. 2, 1883.

WANTED.

SEVERAL VESSELS, 60 to 150 tons register, to load Prince Edward Island produce for Newfoundland and West Indies.

ALSO, Two (2) Vessels, about 200 tons register, to load for England, AND one (1) about 250 tons, for United Kingdom or Continent. Good rates and quick despatch.

JOHN F. ROBERTSON. Ch'town, Sept. 26, 1883.—pat eod

JOB PRINTING of every description

executed with neatness and Despatch at the EXAMINER JOB PRINTING ROOMS, one Water and Great George Streets.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

YOUNG MAN WANTED for ordinary yard work. Must understand care of horse and cow. Apply at this office. [oct9 tf

WANTED.—A young Protestant Girl for general housework to go to Massachusetts, U. S. Good reference required. Apply to GEO. P. TANTON, Great George St. [oct6 tf

WANTED.—A Nursemaid. References required. For information apply at the EXAMINER Office. [oct6

TO LET.—House corner Great George and King's street. Possession 1st November P. K. BOWERS. [oct6 3i

WANTED.—A man to work about a House and take charge of Horses. WM. DODD. [oct5

LOST.—Yesterday between the Union Bank and St. Dunstan's Cathedral, a gold and coral pin, with white lace attached. The finder will be rewarded by returning it to Mrs. M. A. Burke, corner of Prince and Richmond streets. [oct5 3i pd

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—A good smart Boy with a fair education, for the Printing business. BRAMNER BROS. [oct4 tf pd

SAFE FOR SALE.—Fishery & Co., makers. Used by us. As good as new. Will be sold cheap. Apply to A. A. BALDWIN & Co. [oct2 5i

WANTED.—Two Girls, as housemaid and waiter in a hotel. Apply at EXAMINER Office. [oct2

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework. Apply at EXAMINER Office. [oct2

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.—I offer at private sale my Residence on Euston Street. Good stable and rain water cistern on premises. If not sold within ten days will be let. A. A. BALDWIN. [oct2 5i

TO LET and possession given immediately the two story Dwelling House, corner of Prince and Fitzroy streets. Apply on the premises to J. FRASER or W. E. DAWSON. [oct2

CLOTHES cleaned and repaired. First class work guaranteed. Shop—first door west Presbyterian newspaper office, Grafton St. A good Presser wanted, apply at once. R. MCCOUREY. [oct 1

FRENCH LESSONS.—A Lady wishes to form a French class, for young girls. For particulars apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [sp24

A FEW GENTLEMEN can be accommodated with board on reasonable terms, in the house, corner of Great George and King streets, lately occupied by Mr. W. Hickey. MRS. SAUNDERSON. [sept. 6 1883.

TO LET.—A Dwelling House on Orlebar Street, containing nine rooms. Rent low. Apply to Henry Bluth. [sept 2f