

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

AUGUST 15, 1888.

Editorial Notes.

Both passenger and freight traffic on the Intercolonial have increased very rapidly during the present season.

Manitoba has elected 19 farmers, 6 lawyers, 5 merchants, 4 grain buyers, a banker, an insurance agent, a manufacturer and a surveyor to its House of Assembly.

The budget for the colony of Victoria proposes the granting of bonuses to the extent of \$1,250,000, extending over several years, as an encouragement to the farming industry, especially dairying.

Advices from Manitoba are to the effect that the harvest will be much larger than anticipated. The reports of crop failures in Ontario appear to have been somewhat premature.

The returns of the British Board of Trade show that for the month of June 42,229 persons emigrated from British ports, as against 37,621 during the same month of last year.

Quite an agitation is going on in India against the slaughter of cows for food for the soldiers. Those who are moving in the matter point out that it takes upwards of 125,000 cows every year to feed the soldiers, and that the Hindoes themselves very rarely touch meat, living upon rice, vegetables and milk.

The New York Independent gives some interesting statistics relative to the progress of Christianity in the new world. According to its figures, there are no less than 138,885 churches, 94,457 ministers, and 19,790,323 church members in the United States.

The Buffalo Courier warns the people of Canada against sufferings even worse than those they have endured at the hands of Messrs. Wiman and Butterworth.

In addition to his educational scheme, Senator Blair has undertaken the annexation of Canada. The Canadians have endured some bedeviling at the hands of Ben. Butterworth and Erastus Wiman, but what they have suffered is as nothing compared to what they may look forward to should the New Hampshire senator insist on projecting himself into the Dominion to elaborate his plans for their future welfare.

Antique Statistics.

Ninevah was 15 miles long, 8 wide, and 40 miles around, with a wall 100 feet high and thick enough for three chariots abreast. Babylon was 50 miles within the walls, which were 87 feet thick and 350 high, with 100 brazen gates.

Low Rates.—The Intercolonial Express Company are prepared to ship produce, butter, eggs, etc., at a very small charge.

On Exhibition.—The cups to be competed for at the regatta to take place next month, are now on exhibition in the show window of Mr. John A. Cameron, Kent Street.

To the Deaf.—A person cured of Deafness and noises in the head of 25 years' standing by a simple remedy will send a description of it free to any person who applies to KROTONSON, 30 St. John Street, Montreal. 4m—m14

Photography.—We would call attention to the advertisement of Mr. Theo. L. Chappelle in another column. A large number of youthful photographic artists have lately cropped out in our city, and their number will doubtless be augmented as a complete camera and outfit can be procured for three dollars.

The Excursionists.—The excursionists from Pictou and New Glasgow left for home in the St. Lawrence about six o'clock last evening, after spending a very pleasant half day in the city and suburbs. In the afternoon there was a match game of cricket between teams from the Pictou and Park Club which was declared a "draw," the visitors not having time to finish their inning.

Advice to Mothers.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from cooling or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. [April '88]

Burns' Birthplace.

NOTES OF A VISIT—LETTER THREE.

It is a very short walk from the monument down to the Auld Brig o' Doon, and though there is little to be seen, we take the pilgrimage in order that we may better realize the vividness of the famous Tam O'Shanter narrative. This is the bridge that Tam O'Shanter galloped over, and here is the place where Maggie parted with her tail. We come away wondering why it is that fiction ever takes a stronger hold upon men all the world over than stern, sober facts.

MODERN AYE.

contains many things that the tourist will find worth looking at. The first thing that impresses the visitor to Ayr is the commodious and elegant railway station, with its long platforms, handsome offices and spacious hotel. I may safely say that Ayr station is one of the finest to be seen in the Old Country. Emerging from the station by the wide gateway, and passing the cattle market, the visitor first goes down Alloway street, which presently merges in High street. The name of Alloway recalls Alloway (Alloway Kirk) and Tam O'Shanter.

A little way down the Wallace Tower stands the Union Bank, a substantial edifice. Shortly after passing it two large buildings occupy the centre of the street and divide it in two, but after getting past this obstruction the high street becomes wide and spacious, and here the finest shops are situated.

The visitor to Ayr who takes an interest in shops will not fail to notice the many curious names above the shop doors. For the most part they are the names of obscure Highland Septs, such as McCrerrick, McMurtrie, McKerrow, McCrindle, McCamley, McCreath, and McClure—names which remind us of the illustrious Highland clans from which Mrs. McKillop claimed her descent, and clans which will not be represented at the Prince Edward Island Highland Gathering on Thursday. Ayr is very well-off, like Charlottetown, in the matter of handsome and well-stocked shops; the profusion of them, indeed, causes a stranger who simply saunters down the business streets to wonder where their customers come from.

NEW BRIG.

Auld Vindal, ye but show your little sense, Just such about it, wi'; your scanty sense, Well your poor narrow foot path of a street Where two wheel-barrow tremble when they meet.

ANSWER—AULD BRIG.

Conceited gawk; puffed up wi' windy pride, This mony a year I've stood the flood and tide; Although wi' crazy eild I'm sair forlorn, I'll be a brig when you're a shapeless cairn.

Ayr docks are built along on both sides of the river, and thus a wide and convenient harbor is formed. The parts of Ayr beyond the river called Newton and Wallace town are worthy of inspection, but before visiting them we must see something more of the old town itself.

By going up New Bridge Street we reach Sandgate Street, at the corner of which, and Bridge Street a handsome building with a remarkable high steeple attracts our attention. This is the Town Hall, and we are not surprised to learn that its spire—226 feet in height—is the second highest in Scotland. Otherwise the edifice, which was built from designs by the late Mr. Thomas Hamilton, of Edinburgh, does not present a very striking appearance from the street.

Turning up St. John Street, we find ourselves in Fort Street, where stands Ayr Academy, a massive building surrounded by a spacious playground. As an educational institution this academy, in the course of its long career, has acquired something more than local fame. As long ago as 1790 a bequest of \$5,000 for educational purposes was left by Mr. Ferguson, of Donholm. This sum having been augmented by private subscriptions, a charter for the academy was obtained in 1798. The present building was erected in 1880, four years previous to my visit, and the institu-

tion is under the management of the School Board. Next the academy stands one of the parish churches—a plain, old-fashioned building. At the junction of Fort and Sandgate streets is a public hall known as "The Queen's Rooms," and opposite it, in the middle of the roadway, stands a drinking fountain, made of Aberdeen granite, obelisk in shape, erected in memory of the late Provost Kennedy. A little further on we find ourselves in Wellington Square, with the handsome Court House and County Buildings at the foot.

M. A. J.

Personal.

Sir George and Lady Stephen leave Montreal this week for England, not to return until next April.

Wm. McLaughlin, of Ottawa, in a long interview, favors the Gothenburg system for regulating the sale of liquor.

A Mrs. McDonald, of Big Bras d'Or, C. B., died about a week ago, after a few days illness, at the ripe age of 107 years.

Sir David and Lady Macpherson and Dalton McCarthy and family arrived at Quebec from Liverpool per Vancouver on the 13th.

Sir Donald Smith was expected to arrive in Montreal on Monday from England. It is understood that the member for Montreal West is in very poor health.

Mr. H. E. Henderson, Manager of the Anglo-American telegraph line at Sackville, is away on his vacation. His place is filled by Mr. Harry Roberts.—Chignecto Post.

Mr. Fred. Robidoux, of the customs department, has been in poor health for some time. Mr. Robidoux returned from P. E. Island yesterday, after spending a few days in the beautiful country around Rustico.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

False Statements Corrected.

Sir,—In the issue of the Daily Patriot of the 3rd inst., the editor uses the following language: "The Sullivan Government appear to be hard up for money. The sale of the rebuilding or repairing of the bridges in Lot 49, advertised by the Road Supervisor to take place a few days ago, was, we hear, stopped by J. John P. Nicholson and others." The bridges to which the editor of the Patriot refers are the Hermitage and Village Green Bridges. If the editor of the Patriot had taken the trouble to enquire he would have discovered that the repairs to these bridges were sold before his paper appeared on the 3rd inst., the first to Joseph Acorn for \$82.50 and the other to Donald McLeod for \$79. The people of Lot 49 are quite satisfied that the Government is doing what is right with the people, and they do not approve of the conduct of the editor of the Patriot in making charges with reference to matters about which he knows nothing.

Lot 49.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

HOTEL DAVIES.

Aug 14—W G Johnson, wife and daughter, Pictou; J B Fraser, do; A Hubert, Berlin, Ont; W L Clark, Greenville, Conn; P Macdonald, Pictou; Miss Annie Macdonald, do; J B Primrose, Greenville, Conn; Mrs J F Scott, do; Mrs Sarah A Rider, Cleveland, O; J D Clarke, Pictou; W J Kinneen, Halifax; Robt Dawson, do; Mrs W Ross, Pictou; Miss Munro, do; Miss Mary Ross, do; T Kickham, Souris; C B Robertson, St John; T D Logan, Pictou; Mrs H T Sutherland, New Glasgow; B G Fraser, Montague; F B Street, Montreal; R A Murdoch, do; J H Kimball, Boston; C M Small, do; T M Emerson, Montreal; G A Gain and wife, New York; Miss B S Pippy, do; W H Cunliffe, jr, and wife, Portland, Me; Miss Canliffe, do; W Elliott, Moncton; O Kineer, Boston; O Rich, Boston; and 4C excursionists from Pictou and New Glasgow. Aug 15—Dr Lord, New York; W G Olorin, do; W Thompson and wife, St John, N B; J Hall, Halifax.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

Aug 14—A J McDonald, J Cavanagh, W Germain, New Glasgow; J W McKinnon, Pictou; H F Cronin, New Glasgow; J W Fraser, Pictou; J T McLeod and wife, Pictou County; T M Paton, E Colshaw, New Glasgow; H H Green, St John's Parsons, Birmingham, G B; G B Patterson, W L Gould, J R Anderson, Geo Carishy, C T Marshall, Chas McNeill, H Gordon, W Roche Jas Connolly, D McLeellan, Alex Chisholm, J J Sullivan, Thos Arthur, members Prospect Cornet Band; Alex Robertson, New Glasgow; Geo Connolly, do; H Haltie, do; F Tarbot, Boston; A H Beers, Cherry Valley; W A Ashton, New Glasgow; A Bowness, Kensington, N B; J A Lee and wife, Mendota, Ill; A C Frederick and wife, New York; D Chisholm, Montreal; S C Clarke, Mt Stewart.

SEASIDE HOTEL—RUSTICO BEACH.

Aug 10—Richard Hunt, S'ide; Horace Hazard, Miss Hazard, Ch'town; James McArthur, Wm M Wren, Montreal; J McNaughton, Kingston, 11—Miss L Dawson, Miss Helen Dawson, J B Dawson, Fenton T Newbery, Miss Newbery, T Heath Haviland, T A LePage, Ch'town, 12—Miss Alex Brown, Mr G A Brown, Ch'town.

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At the Manse, Strathalbyn, the following Stock, Implements, Household Furniture, &c.:

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