

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

AUGUST 30, 1890.

Notes and Comments.

—Mr. Bellamy's scheme of one comprehensive civic umbrella is in working order at Brixton, England. The sidewalk of a newly opened street there is protected by a glass roof ten feet wide, supported by slender pillars rising from the curb. This innovation will doubtless heighten the average of honesty in that town—since the individual umbrella has always been an instance of the communistic phrase, "Property is robbery!"

—The Globe has discovered a universal demand among the constituencies "for souvenirs" of the surplus which Mr. Foster has evolved by clapping onerous taxes on the country. This, says the Montreal Gazette, shows the level-headedness of the constituencies. A souvenir of a surplus is a good thing to have. No one ever heard of a demand for souvenirs of the deficits Sir Richard Cartwright evolved when the Liberals controlled the treasury.

—The St. John Telegraph remarks:—

"The Grand Trunk Railway is showing evidence of great energy and enterprise. The building of a second track between Monoton and Toronto is steadily progressing, and the other day a considerable section of the double track was opened. On the same day the boring of the tunnel under the St. Clair river was practically completed. This tunnel, 6,500 feet in length, will save six miles in time over the present cumbersome railway ferry. The river is thronged with vessels, some 20 per hour, passing up and down, and all these have right of way as against the ferry, thus causing constant detention. By the tunnel the Grand Trunk will have its own continuous rail from Portland to Chicago."

Surely the country is not all going to the dogs on account of the N. P.

"Faith Fenton" says in the course of her last letter from Newfoundland: "It is one of the pretty ways the fisher folk have here of kindly salutation to every stranger. 'It's fair the day,' or 'It's foul the day,' 'a fair day to you, leddy,' or as one old lady phrased it, 'a good night to ye an' no murky days.' It was such a quaint good wish that last one. I hear even now her sturdy voice ringing after me as she stood in the doorway of her poor little hut, with a shy-eyed, bare-footed boy clutching her apron. The incoming tide washed up the strip of sand over which I walked through the fast falling darkness, and a soft mist crept slowly up from the sea—"good night to ye, an' no murky days." It was a benison borne of weary night watches when the waves tossed the fishing fleet far out at sea. It was a prayer that was the outgrowth of meekness and darkness in this region of fog and fear."

The Montreal Gazette calls attention to the very unfair criticism of the New York Sun in declaring that Canadian railway competition is robbing the American roads, ascribing the blame to the interstate law by misrepresenting the terms of that law. Our Montreal contemporary, commenting on the assertion that "the interstate commerce act will not permit our roads to carry any commodity a given distance for any less sum in proportion than they charge for a less distance; if the charge for 500 miles is one dollar, then the charge for 1,000 miles be two dollars," shows that the law lays down no such principle. "If the charge for 1,000 miles is two dollars on interstate traffic, the charge for 500 miles may be two dollars for anything considered in the Act referred to, but it must not be more for the shorter distance. The Sun should take note of the fact that the Interstate Commerce Act does not touch traffic the transportation of which is done wholly within the boundaries of one state. The Sun is either ignorant of the Interstate Commerce Act, or willfully, for purposes best known to itself, persistently misrepresenting them." Of course, the Sun's diatribes against Canada and Canadian railways are at the instance of the railway monopolies in the States, which are annoyed at northern competition, and particularly annoyed at St. Paul and Boston for insisting upon the maintenance of that competition.

Religious Services.

Services in Zion Church to-morrow as follows: Prayer meeting at 10.15; morning service at 11; evening service at 7. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the close of the morning service. Sabbath school will meet at 2.30 p.m. Rev. D. Sutherland, pastor.

Rev. Dr. McKee, of St. John, will preach in Zion Church this (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock.

Services in Methodist Brick Church to-morrow as follows: The Rev. Dr. Lathern, editor of the Wesleyan, Halifax, will preach at 11 a.m.; and the Rev. Dr. Stewart, Professor of Theology at Mount Allison University, Sackville, will preach at 7 p.m. on behalf of the Educational Society of the Methodist Church.

Don't forget the Railway Gospel meeting in McLeod's Hall on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Strangers will always find a welcome. Lesson: John, 6-47, "Verily, verily, I say unto you, he that believeth in me hath everlasting life."

Services in Upper Prince Street Methodist Church to-morrow as follows: 7.30 a.m., prayer meeting; 11 a.m., Rev. Dr. Stewart, Professor of Theology at Mount Allison University, Sackville, will preach at 7 p.m., Rev. W. W. Brewer. Strangers cordially invited.

Baptist Church services to-morrow: Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sabbath School and bible class at 2.30 p.m., Prayer meeting Monday and monthly conference Wednesday at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

P. E. I. HOSPITAL.—The P. E. I. Hospital has received the following sums:—\$20 from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pope; \$3.60 from L. O. L., 1435 being collection in Knutsford Methodist Church; \$5 from Robert Angus; \$8.77 from Derry L. O. L., being collection in Baptist Church, Long Creek; sermon preached by Rev. E. D. Davison; \$5 from Caldwell L. O. L., being collected at sermon preached by Rev. Mr. Hicks.

"An institution that imparts a sound business education and encourages industries is one of the necessities of the times. The possessor of a business education will thus be prepared to enter upon the active duties of life with a storehouse of practical and valuable knowledge, which will prove a better capital than a large amount of money without it.—Horace Greeley.

Maritime Press Association.

A VISIT TO THE DRIVING PARK

And Other Points of Interest.

COMPLIMENTARY DINNER.

A beautiful day greeted the members of the Maritime Press Association yesterday, and largely through the courtesy of the directors of the Driving Park they were enabled to enjoy it to the full. Teams were provided, and about half-past two p. m., we all went to see the Park and Exhibition Buildings. Some five or six hundred people were gathered there, evidently expecting something more than a glimpse of our noble selves or of the place. The first view of the track, however, disclosed the object of attraction. Many of our young horses were out. The Directors had considerably arranged with several of their owners to give exhibitions of speed, and if possible, one or two little brushes "for blood."

Our visitors were delighted. Some of them took the judges' stand, while others, with their lady companions, found comfortable seats on the grand stand. Round the track went many old favorites and coming new ones; and the eager enquiry for the name of the horse showed the appreciation of our visitors for the speed he developed. Black Pilot, without giving any exhibition, showed up in good form, and Physician was universally admired. Our other older stallions were not on the track. Mr. Reddin, however, with his three-year-old Hernando, had a mile spin, matched against Mr. Newton's Hernona, driven by Mr. Winans, whose courtesy in bringing out and racing some of his best young ones was only in keeping with his deservedly earned popularity. It was as pretty a trot as a horseman would like to see. Two beautifully gaited young ones, showing the lines of old Hernando in form and pace. The owners may well feel proud of their possessions. A constant stream of horses were now coming in and off the ground. Mr. P. P. Gillis now took a nod for a hint to send his beautiful black gelding Harry G., against Neptune, driven by Mr. Winans, and they came under the wire together for a spin. No timing was done of course, but a lady not on the judges' stand made the time in 2.38, and there were some old horsemen in the crowd who appeared to think that the time was accurate. Blackbird and Mr. H. Connolly's fast and handsome four-year-old and others innumerable elicited from the spectators warm words of commendation.

Our visitors then visited in company with the Directors the Exhibition Buildings. They took copious notes, and we will not forestall them. We will give you clippings afterwards.

Off to Victoria Park went all the party, and from there to the Pumping Station, next to the reservoir, and some wound up at the Pottery, where Mr. Hornsby delighted them with his deftness of finger.

It was a pleasant day, pleasantly spent, and on behalf of this section of the Provincial press we thank the Driving Park directors for their courtesy to our brethren.

DINNER AT THE "OSBORNE."

The members of the Maritime Press Association now visiting this Province were banqueted by their brethren of the Island press last evening, at the Osborne House. The tables were artistically arranged and bounteously supplied with an array of viands which could not fail to please the most fastidious. Hon. David Laird occupied the chair, having on his right Hon. L. H. Davies, M. P., and President Payne, of the St. John Sun; on his left, Hon. Senator Howland, Hon. Neil McLeod and Hon. D. Ferguson. The vice-chair was filled by W. L. Cotton, Esq., and other local pressmen occupied posts of honor at the festive board. The company, including the lady friends of the visiting pressmen, numbered forty-six, and a more vivacious and intelligent assemblage it would be hard to find.

Besides the Chairman and Vice, the Island press was represented by Messrs. W. A. Brennan, of the Summerside Journal, P. McCourt, of the Watchman, B. D. Higgs, of the Guardian, James McIsaac, of the Herald, and F. J. Nash, of the Patriot.

The toasts, which were drunk in pure cold water, and responded to in eloquent and appropriate speeches, were as follows:

"The Queen." God save the Queen.

"The Governor General and Parliament of Canada," responded to by Senator Howland and L. H. Davies, M. P.

"The Lieutenant Governor and Provincial Legislature," responded to by Hon. Neil McLeod.

"The Maritime Press Association," responded to by President Payne, Rev. Mr. Murray, Rev. Dr. Lathern, Mr. Bertram, Mr. Black and others. Proposed by Vice-Chairman.

"The City Corporation," responded to by R. R. Fitzgerald, Esq.

"The Exhibition Commissioners," responded to by B. Rogers, Esq., and Hon. D. Ferguson.

"The Ladies," responded to by Mr. Burgoyne, Mr. McLure, Mr. McIsaac and Mr. Higgs.

Shortly after 12 o'clock the party broke up singing with joined hands that grand old Scottish song, "Auld Lang Syne." The menu was as follows:—

- SOUP. Chicken Cream Soup. FISH. Boiled Codfish, Oyster Sauce. ENTREES. Venetian Stew, Lobster Salad, Fricassee Chicken. RELIEVES. Roast Sirloin Beef, Brown Gravy, Roast Lamb and Mint Sauce, Boiled Fowls, Celery Sauce. COLD DISHES. Corned Beef, Boiled Ham, Beef, Tongue, Roast Duck. VEGETABLES. Mashed Potatoes, Turnip Sauce, Baked Cabbage, Escaloped Parsnips. RELISHES. Mixed Pickles, Worcester Sauce, Beets, Cucumbers, Celery.

PASTRY. English Plum Pudding, Lemon Sauce, Spanish Cream, Lemon Pie, Cream Pie, Strawberry Tartlets, Sultana Cake, Fruit Cake, Doughnuts.

DESSERT. Apples, Raisins, Bananas, Confectionery, Crackers, Cheese, Tea and Coffee.

AT SOURIS.

The members left this morning at nine o'clock in a special train. On arrival at that place they were entertained at dinner by some of the most prominent citizens of the town at the Sea View Hotel, where a tempting and substantial repast was served. Afterwards they were driven through the surrounding country, which at present is to be seen in its most beautiful aspect, and otherwise entertained. They will arrive in this city this evening.

At Dewy Morn.

The East is blushing, The landscape flushing, The water's glowing, A silver dream. A faint light billow Illumes my pillow; The rooster's crowing With joy supreme.

The morning in shimmering gold is moulded, The robin chants in the tree-top tall; And at last the mosquito's softly folded His murmurous wing on the cottage wall.

Where shadows darkle, The dewdrops sparkle, On lilies, roses, And other things. And for the lakelet, Ducklet and drakelet Now point their noses And spread their wings.

The flower that seemed of the softest silk made, Cradles the bee on the mountain brow; And out in the sunshine the rosy milkmaid Adroitly manipulates the cow.

The frisky heifer Inhales the zephyr Scented with clover, Snowy and deep. Though bent on rising, With ease surprising I turn me over And fall asleep.

Oh, I drop in a cat-nip, sweet and soothing, And wander through meadows green and bright, And forget that the blooming infant toothling, Has kept me prancing the floor all night. —Puck.

Ladies and children's straw hats, balance of summer goods at half price.—J. B. Macdonald.

CH'TOWN DRIVING PARK

—AND—

Provincial Exhibition Association.

THE PREMIUM LIST for the Exhibition to be held on the Grounds of the above Association, on the 30th September and October 1st, 2nd and 3rd next, has been amended as follows:—

Class 3 to be changed by inserting Sections 1j and 3j.

Section 1j to be: "Stallion 3 years old and under 4 years old, imported, 1st prize, \$12.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$5.00."

Section 3j to be: "Stallion 3 years old and under 4 years old, Island bred, 1st prize, \$10.00; 2nd, \$8.00; 3rd, \$5.00."

N. B.—Exhibitors please cut out.

A. B. WARBURTON, Secretary.

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THE CITY SCHOOLS

Will be Re-opened after the Midsummer Vacation.

On Monday, 1st September,

AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

IT is requested that all the Pupils be present on that day, in order that they may be placed in their proper departments, and that the various classes may be properly organized.

ISAAC OXENHAM, Secretary of School Board.

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The Hotel Dandas Esplanade

WILL open for the reception of Transient and Permanent Boarders, under the management of the Sisters of Charity, in a few days, of which fuller notice will be given.

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St. Peter's Schools.

HEAD MASTER: Rev. Jas. Simpson, M.A.

FEES—Boys' School, \$8.00 per Term; Girls' School, \$5.00 per Term.

Classes will be formed in both Schools to prepare for Matriculation at King's College, Windsor, and Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown.

At the recent Matriculation examinations for Arts at King's College, St. Peter's boys obtained the four highest places.

Applications for admission must be made to Rev. James Simpson for Boys' School, and Miss R. M. DesBrisay for Girls' School.

The Schools re-open on MONDAY, September 1st. cod—aug5

Charlottetown Driving Park.

TENDERS from parties wishing to purchase the right to cater for visitors to the Driving Park, during the Exhibition and Trotting Races on the 30th September and 1st, 2nd and 3rd October next, will be received by the undersigned up to and on THURSDAY, the 4th day of September next, at 4 p. m.

NO HOP BEER or intoxicating drinks will be allowed to be sold on the grounds, and the Directors reserve the right to at any time cancel any agreement made, should the Caterer commit a breach of this condition.

The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

A. B. WARBURTON, Secretary.

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ALSO—Three Prizes to each School to the purchaser of the largest amount (for Cash only) of School Books and School Supplies, as follows:—First Prize, value \$2.00; Second Prize, \$1.00; Third Prize, 60 cents.

Every Student has a chance to get one of the Great Prizes offered, and every purchaser will get the advantage of our regular CASH DISCOUNTS.

G. HERBERT HASZARD,

Charlottetown, Aug. 30, 1890—2aw&wky BROWN'S BLOCK.

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E. H. BEER, General Agent for P. E. Island.

OFFICE—King Square, Charlottetown, P. E. I. 2w cod—aug28

NEW GOODS NOW OPENING AT STANLEY BROS. BROWNS BLOCK. Fine Black Serges, New Black Bordered Goods, Black and White Plaids and Checks, Grey and Black Plaids and Checks, New Colored Dress Goods, Ladies' and Children's Black Cashmere Hose, Black and Colored Pushes (new shades), Courtauld's Black Crapes.

TENDERS WANTED

FOR THE ERECTION OF A WOODEN DWELLING on Grafton Street. Plans and specification to be seen at Mr. Andrew Doyle's, Grafton Street. Will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender. Tenders to be all in before the 4th day of September next. 4i—aug23