

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

OCTOBER 17, 1891.

No Similarity.

It would be greatly to the advantage of the Government, could a similarity be established between the dismissal of Mr. Nicholson and the dismissals of Messrs. Manning and Harper.

The mistakes of Mr. Manning as everybody knows, contributed very largely to the downfall of the Davies administration, and in the light of this knowledge, the Government in their own interests, as well as for the cause of education, could not do otherwise than replace him by a man who had shown in previous positions the shrewdness, caution and executive power required.

This statement is also true of Mr. Harper. But the electorate have not forgotten the struggle for existence between the Normal School, as established in the old Wesleyan Academy and the Prince of Wales College, and the bitter rivalry between the heads of these institutions.

Now, how stands it with Mr. Nicholson? In May, 1890, the office of Superintendent of Education became vacant through the death of Mr. Montgomery. No dishonor could attach to any applicant for the vacancy, as must be the case when a position is filled by a competent officer.

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We are also informed by Mr. Nicholson that before the intentions of the present Government towards him were disclosed, he offered to resign his position at the close of the present school year, and agreed to give either a written guarantee that he would do so, or submit his resignation at once on condition that it be then accepted.

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Cheaper than the Cheapest—Readymade clothing for men and boys, at J. B. Macdonald's, oct15 6i

Notes and Comments.

The Parnellites have issued a manifesto in which they express their intention of keeping up the fight against Gladstone, and say they will continue the struggle for self government for Ireland without regard to what the McCarthys and their Liberal allies may say or do.

The assessed value of the real and personal property in the state of Kansas (other than railways) is \$290,592,711. The mortgage indebtedness of the same State (other than railways) is \$235,485,108, or 80 per cent. of the total assessed value.

The fund for providing a memorial to the late Sir John A. Macdonald in St. Paul's Cathedral, London, now amounts to about £280. The subscribers include Lords Rosebery, Derby, Aberdeen, Kimberly, Knutsford, Cranbrook, Duffein, Landsdowne, and Brassy; the Duke of Cambridge, Mr. Chamberlain, and Mr. Balfour.

At the close of the fiscal year 1891, the net debt of Canada was \$237,797,674, but \$264,000 more than it was at the close of the fiscal year 1890, and but \$4,638,000 more than it was at the close of the fiscal year 1886.

The London Board of Trade returns show a steady expansion of Anglo-Canadian trade. Exports to Canada expanded 3.55 per cent. during September, and 1.53 during the nine months compared with last year.

The heating apparatus in the City Building is not in working order, and as a result, the officials in the different civic offices are suffering greatly from the cold. The City Clerk has been obliged to move his books into the Mayor's Office, where there is a grate; the Clerk of the City Court has a notice on the door of his office informing persons who may have business to transact with him that he can be found "at the police station," where there is a stove; and the officials in the office of the Water Commissioners can only keep the blood in their veins from freezing by walking up and down the room almost continuously.

At the last meeting of the City Council a letter was read from Chief Engineer Large informing the Board that the Citizens Band had been elected honorary members of the Fire Department, and asking that the Band be allowed the free use of the vacant room in the City Building to practice in.

The Empire says: If there is one part of the Dominion more than another which has been pointed to as suffering from the National Policy, as cut off from its "natural market," and "divorced from the continent to which it belongs," it is Prince Edward Island. But the Island exhibition has just been held, and it was a good one. The British farm delegates were there. They spoke cheerfully of the Island's butter making capacity; its ability to raise oats, wheat, barley, the excellent outlook for raising cattle and horses.

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Religious Services.

Rev. A. A. McKenzie, M. A., B. D., will conduct both services in St. James' church to-morrow.

St. Paul's Church.—Services to-morrow as follows: Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 o'clock; Evening Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion at 7 o'clock.

St. Peter's Church.—Services to-morrow (Festival of St. Luke the Evangelist), will be as follows: Holy Communion at 8 a. m.; Morning Prayer at 10.15; Holy Communion (choral) and Sermon at 11 a. m.; Evensong at 7 o'clock.

Baptist church.—Services will be conducted at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Preaching on both occasions by the Rev. J. A. Ford, B. A., of St. John. Sunday School at 2.30. Prayer meeting Monday and Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting in mission rooms, Long St., on Thursday.

Zion Church.—Services to-morrow will be conducted by the Rev. David Sutherland, pastor, in the morning at 11 o'clock, and in the evening at 7 o'clock. Morning prayer meeting at 10.15. Sabbath School and Bible classes will meet at 2.30 p. m.

Boots, Boots—Cheapest in town at the Dominion Boot and Shoe Store. oct15 6i

Literary Notes.

"Is confession to a priest in accordance with the teaching of the Church of England?" A sermon dealing with this question, preached by the Rev. James Simpson, has been published in pamphlet form and can be obtained at the bookstores. Mr. Simpson cites the prayer book of the Church of England, which every Church of England man believes to be founded upon the Holy Scriptures and not inconsistent therewith.

He then quotes the long exhortation which is ordered to be read on the Sunday before the Holy Communion is celebrated. The priest has to say:

"And because it is requisite, that no man should come to Holy Communion, but with a full trust in God's mercy, and with a quiet conscience; therefore, if there be any of you who by this means cannot quiet his own conscience herein, but requireth further comfort or counsel, let him come to me, or to some other discreet and learned Minister of God's Word, and open his grief; that by the ministry of God's Holy Word he may receive the benefit of absolution, together with godly counsel and advice, to the quieting of his conscience, and avoiding of all scruple and doubtfulness."

Then he turns to the office for the Visitation of the Sick, and reads,—

"Here shall the sick person be moved to make a special Confession of his sins, if he feels his conscience troubled with any weighty matter. After which Confession the Priest shall absolve him (if he humbly and heartily desire it) after this sort:

"Our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath left power to His Church to absolve all sinners who truly repent and believe in Him, of His great mercy forgive the sins of this man. And by His authority committed to me, I absolve thee from all thy sins, In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen."

Mr. Simpson is careful to say that Confession is not compulsory in the Church of England. But he maintains that his priests have the right to hear confessions and the power to absolve the contrite sinner "in the name of the Father, and of the Son of the Holy Ghost."

Finally he quotes Cranmer, Latimer and Ridley in favor of confession; shows that the Lutherans in Norway and Sweden have to make their confession before receiving Holy Communion to this day, and that Calvin himself advised every sinner in distress to "use the private confession to his pastor,"—and adds:

"Cranmer, Latimer, Ridley, Luther and Calvin all uphold the doctrine of confession, then, and yet modern Protestantism teaches that it is the invention of Satan for destroying souls. Alas! how has modern Protestantism fallen from the teaching of its founders of 300 years ago."

Judging by his skilful presentation of the points in his argument, we conclude that Mr. Simpson would prove himself an able controversialist in respect to any matter about which there is really any question.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

He is Here.

SIR,—Referring to my challenge which appeared in your paper of Thursday I beg to say that I have arrived in Charlottetown and may be seen at the Hotel Davies. If any of the bicyclists here will do me the favor of calling on me, we could arrange for a series of races to be held immediately, when it will be my pleasure to demonstrate beyond doubt or cavil who the genuine champion is, and to hold up to utter scorn and contumely the spurious ones. I am no booster (like certain wheelmen of this city.) I am also a gentleman, and I know what I am talking about when I say that all Canada has not produced a man my equal. I again repeat that it is beneath my dignity to race against a "goat."

Personal.

Rev. W. W. Brewer, pastor of the Methodist brick church in Charlottetown, who has been in Moncton, the guest of Rev. Mr. Deinstadt, of the Wesley Memorial church, returns to Prince Edward Island to-day.—Moncton Times.

Hon. MacKenzie Bowell, Minister of Railways, and Mr. Schreiber, are making a tour of the Maritime Provinces, inspecting Government Railways. They will probably visit the Island next week.

Local Notices.

Another lot of these cheap grapes received this morning and selling fast at Beer & Goff's. oct17 2i

Go to Beer & Goff's for cheap grapes to-night—only 12 cents per pound. oct17 2i

Experience and common sense has taught us that advertising the truth and dealing fair with the people pays the best, and when we say we sell mens', boys' and children's readymade clothing cheaper than any other men on P. E. Island we can prove it by showing our goods and quoting prices.—Prowse Bros., the Wonderful Cheap Men. oct16 3i

We have the smallest expense. We have the largest stock of overcoats, caps coats and reefer in town, and the best judges of fine clothing say we have the cheapest on P. E. Island.—Prowse Bros., the Wonderful Cheap Men. oct16 3i

Kind attention to our quarterly accounts will be appreciated by Mark Wright & Co. oct16 6i

No more misery with the wash. No more dirt in the kitchen. The old chemical powders have had their day. They now cease to be. Lessor Phenix is the name of the new solution. It is so emollient in its proportions that, used in the bath, it makes the skin soft and fair. No more soda. No more ashes. Use Lessor Phenix and the wash is a pleasure. White or colored clothes, it is all the same. It makes them all beautiful. Use Lessor Phenix upon silver or tinware and the cleansing and brightening effects are marvellous. Ask your grocer for it,—and don't take the injurious powders.

CRAPAUD EXHIBITION

Conclusion of the Prize List

HORSES.

Cart Stallion, 4 years old—1, Benjamin Profit, Tryon.

Cart Stallion, 2½ years old—1, Jabez Lee, Tryon.

Cart Filly, 2 years old—1, Joe Rogerson, County Line; 2, Robert Rogerson, Crapaud.

Cart Filly, 1½ years old—1, Calvin Howatt, Tryon.

Carriage Stallion, 2 years old—1, Rich'd Lord, Tryon.

Carriage Filly, 3 years old—1, Duncan McPhail, Desable; 2, James McVitie, Crapaud.

Carriage Filly, 1½ years old—1, Cornelius Campbell, Cape Traverse; 2, John McLeod, T. Kerman.

General purpose horse, 4 years old—1, Duncan McPhail, Desable.

General purpose, 2 years old—1, Alfred Sherren, Crapaud.

Carriage Filly, 2 years old—1, Geo Wadman, Augustine Cove.

Carriage Colt, 6 months old—1, John McVitie.

Carriage Stallion, 1½ years old—James Hickey, Cape Traverse.

JUDGES. Horses—George Esory, Charlottetown; Daniel McKenzie, Royalty; W. H. Collett, Westmoreland.

Vegetables and Fruit—James Moore, Westmoreland; Matthey Smith, Hampton; Robt McVitie, Westmoreland.

Sheep and Cattle—John Saunders, Charlottetown; Geo Sturdy, Crapaud; T. B. Howatt, Crapaud.

[In THE EXAMINER'S report of yesterday for John Forbes, winner of prize for Buckwheat, read John Fall, and in respect to Boots and Shoes, for David Sherren, read David McQuarrie.]

BIRTH.

At Annapolis, N. S., on the 9th inst, the wife of F. J. Kennedy, Agent of the Bank of Nova Scotia, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

At the Sea View Hotel, Souris, on the 15th inst, by the Rev. J. G. Cameron, Mary Alletta, daughter of the late Theophilus Webster, Esq., of Marie, to Charles Hibbert Townshend, of Kollo Bay.

Pugwash and P. E. Island STEAMBOAT COMP'Y.

STEAMER "MAYFLOWER,"

J. W. Welling, Commander.

LEAVES Charlottetown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday Morning, at 10 o'clock, connecting with Train at Oxford Junction. She will lay over at Charlottetown every Sunday.

Returning, leaves Pugwash every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday Morning, on the arrival of Express Train that connects with the Chicago Express at Oxford Junction, arriving in Charlottetown about 3 p. m.

This is the shortest, most direct and cheapest than any other route to or from Prince Edward Island.

Through Freight and Passage solicited to any point.

The next trip of the Steamer will be from Charlottetown on Wednesday, the 21st inst.

W. W. CLARKE, Agent.

Ch'town, Oct. 14, 1891—dy 1f pat

EXPLANATION.

SIR,—In order to correct the impression that may be formed from the wording of Mr. Beairto's notice re Woodstock collections, I may say that for the FALL of 1890 Mr. Beairto was acting Agent, although I received collections during that time. As he, however, wished to close the collections immediately, I placed them in his Attorney's hands in June last, at the same time NOTIFYING THE AGENTS TO RECEIVE NO MORE COLLECTIONS FOR THE FALL of 1890, as before they could report Mr. Beairto's Attorney might notify the customers who paid, which would lead to confusion and be very unsatisfactory. This September, however, the Agents write that customers are confused as to whom payment should be made; hence Mr. Beairto's notice attempting to make it clear, but so worded as to make it very doubtful as to why no more money is to be paid me. In justice to Mr. Beairto and to myself I deem it necessary to make this explanation.

Yours truly, J. E. MORSON.

Ch'town, Oct. 17, 1891—dy 1f wy 1i

Sons of Temperance.

THE Forty-Third Annual Session of the Grand Division, S. of T., of P. E. Island, will be held at Hamilton on WEDNESDAY, 28th inst., commencing at 10 a. m.

The usual reduced fares on railway have been secured, and tickets to Kensington will be issued on 27th and 28th, good for return up to and on the 30th inst.

Delegates coming by train will ask for tickets to Grand Division, and those wishing to be met at Kensington will write Mr. Kenneth McKay, Hamilton.

A Public Temperance Meeting will be held in the evening. JESSE S. BURNS, G. S.

Lower Freetown, Oct. 17, 1891—d 1f w 1i

To Produce Shippers!

FULL and reliable information as to the state of our Cape Breton Produce Market, and as to size and assortment of cargoes, is obtainable by application to

D. A. SMITH, Commission Merchant.

North Sydney, C. B., Oct. 16, 1891—guar

MONEY TO LOAN.

PARTIES desiring to borrow money on either City or Farm Property, in sums of from TWO to THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS, can obtain the same on the most reasonable terms and at a low rate of interest by applying to

JAMES H. REDDIN, Solicitor, Cameron Block. oct2-3m

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Ladies' Astrakan Jackets, Ladies' Corsican Jackets, Ladies' Capes and Muffs, Ladies' Storm Collars, Ladies' Caps and Gaitlets, Misses' Muffs and Boas, Misses' Storm Collars, Men's Coon Coats, Men's Bulgarian Coats, Men's Caps and Gaitlets, Men's Collars and Cuffs, Sleigh Robes, Foot Muffs, Fur Trimmings.

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YOU going to allow another year to pass before insuring your Property?

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Charlottetown, Sept. 29, 1891—dy

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Our Friends are talking about big REDUCTIONS, but they cannot begin to undersell us.

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Charlottetown, Oct. 1, 1891.

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A large assortment of FANCY STATIONERY PAPER from 3 cts. per quire. ENVELOPES, 3 cts. per package; FOOLSCAP, 7 cts. per quire.

BAZAAR STORE,

Ch'town, Sept. 30, 1891—od & wky

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