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## THE DAILY EXAMINER.

APRIL 30, 1897.

### NOTES AND COMMENTS.

—Napoleon the Great, well said that "every delay gives opportunity for disaster."

—We are compelled to hold over some editorial remarks upon the tariff, etc., until to-morrow.

—Montreal Star: It cannot be denied that this Government has "struck oil," but, by Lister and by Lambton, it has not struck it very hard.

—Reports from the Northwest state that seeding is well advanced. The spring there is considered to be a week or ten days ahead of last year. The acreage this year will be largely increased.

—A gentleman residing a few miles north of Charlottetown declared today that he has not seen the Malpeque road as bad as it is now, in the past thirty-five years. Everywhere throughout the country the cry is bad roads. Still, Mr. Peters placidly brags about those road machines!

—The people of the United States have done well to honor the memory of General Grant by giving him a magnificent tomb. In this connection we beg to acknowledge the receipt from a friend in New York of a piece of the enormous plates of bronze of which the doors of General Grant's tomb are made.

—The Government party in the Legislature seem to be very much alarmed. They wouldn't, yesterday, permit Mr. Shaw to quote or criticize the Premier's speech on the budget! 'Twasn't parliamentary, you know. The English of it is that given an opportunity to apply the gag, they'll apply it.

—Mr. Shaw brought his resolution up yesterday in a manner to which technical objection could not be taken, and it was discussed in spite of the Government and greatly to the chagrin of some honorable members. A summary report of his forcible and eloquent speech will be found in another part of THE EXAMINER of to-day.

—The Canada Gazette to hand this morning contains a repetition of last year's notice respecting Prof. Andree's balloon expedition from Spitzbergen in search of the North Pole. Canadians living in high latitudes are requested to keep a lookout for the balloon and report to the nearest local newspaper, giving hour and date when the balloon was sighted and the direction in which it was going. The balloon, it is stated, is expected to start about 1st July.

—The consuls for Germany and other favored nations do not take any stock in Premier Laurier's statement in reply to Hon. Geo. E. Foster to the effect that the Canadian Government do not intend to apply the preferential clauses to other countries besides Great Britain. The German consul intimates that the collector of customs cannot do otherwise than give the same privileges to the favored nations as to Great Britain. It is quite evident that the tariff reformers will soon find that they have made a mess of this vaunted preferential clause.

—The Toronto Globe is to be congratulated upon its tariff efforts. It called for free coal with a view to the removal of the "handcuffs of industrial restriction," and the coal duty remains. It told the farmers they would get reduced rates on agricultural implements, and the implement duty is kept at its old figure. Still the Globe thinks our tariff is a statesmanlike effort, and applauds it with both hands, just as it would if it had been something different altogether. We join the Mail and Empire in congratulating the Globe. It has a swallow a good deal wider than that of the Crow's Nest Pass.

—"A Reader" directs our attention to the fact that THE EXAMINER's reports of the Provincial Legislature are being copied into the Herald without credit, and that "the editor of the Herald even refers to them as his own." The matter had escaped our notice, and we rather regret that readers cannot help seeing it. What is there to make a fuss about? Our contemporaries know that the work of THE EXAMINER's painstaking reporter is correct; and so they copy it. Let them spread THE EXAMINER's good news. It will do their readers good. If the public would but overlook the appropriation, we should be quite ready to do so,—pro bono publico. Still it does seem a pity that which just now makes some of them worth reading should be found out as the work of THE EXAMINER's reporter, to whom they give no credit.

Curtains for the parlor, curtains for the bedroom. The turnover in this section swells by leaps and bounds. Every pair in the fixture, of which there are many hundreds, is the production of this season. There are therefore fresh and up-to-date in design, and having the pure unfilled finish, can be recommended for wear. From 49c to \$1.00 gets a good curtain.—Jas. Paton & Co.

### ABERDEEN'S APPRECIATION.

Letter to Lieutenant-Governor Howland regarding the India Famine Fund.

Government House, Ottawa,  
April 24, 1897.

My Dear Lieutenant-Governor,—

The Indian Famine Relief Fund in the Dominion of Canada, having been now practically completed, I desire to offer to Your Honor, and through you to all who have been interested in the matter in the Province of Prince Edward Island, an assurance of hearty appreciation concerning the manner in which the beneficial movement has been supported.

It is a matter for much satisfaction that the Province of Prince Edward Island is so well represented in the national subscription for the relief of the dire distress in India, a subscription the liberality of which has evoked the warmest assurances of appreciation in India and also in Great Britain.

A complete statement of all the contributions is now being compiled, and will shortly be published.

I remain,  
Yours very faithfully,  
ABERDEEN.

His Honour  
the Lieutenant-Governor  
of Prince Edward Island.

### DEATH OF AN ISLANDER.

Mr. J. B. Coulson, of Worcester, Mass., arrived in the city by the Stanley last evening, accompanying the remains of his father, formerly from South Rustico, who went to Worcester some three years ago to join his son there. Mr. J. B. Coulson is editor of the provincial department of the Worcester Evening Gazette, and secretary of the Maritime Province Association of Worcester. Of the late Edward Coulson the Worcester Spy of 24th April says: Edwin Coulson, aged 81, died at the residence of his son, J. B. Coulson, at 4 Hawley street, at 5 o'clock Friday morning, of disease incident to old age. He was born in Bristol, England, in 1815, and emigrated to Prince Edward Island about 60 years ago. He lived most of his life at Rustico P. E. I. where he carried on a farm and a general store. He was also engaged in the real estate business. His wife died about seventeen years ago, and about three years ago he came to this city to live with his son. He had been in feeble health for the past six months. He leaves two daughters and one son in Prince Edward Island and one daughter, Mrs. Anna Langwill, who lives in Chelsea, and his son, J. B. Coulson, the well known clerk in the Boston store, and vice-president of the Reform Club. Mr. Coulson belonged to an old family in England, and on his mother's side he was an uncle of Rt. Hon. Sir Henry Matthews, who was a few years ago British Home Secretary. The funeral will take place at 4 Hawley street at 4:30 on Sunday afternoon, and on Monday his son will take the remains to Prince Edward Island for interment.

Bram, the man convicted of murdering three persons on the brigantine Herbert Fuller, will not hang on the 18th of June, the date fixed for his execution by the courts. His crime was too heinous for the law to be carried out without delays.

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HOME MAKERS.

### A Modest Office Seeker.

In the district which Congressman Ellis of Oregon represents are two presidential postoffices—Astoria and Portland—only two, remember, for that is the point of this story.

The other day, while Mr. Ellis was seated at his desk in the house, a card was handed to him. He went into the lobby and found a young man. Forthwith the said young man proceeded to address Mr. Ellis in this wise:

"Mr. Ellis, I have come to the conclusion that I want to go west. I think that the climate will agree with me and that there is a chance out there for me to make a living. I have saved a little money, but I do not want to take any risk of not finding employment. I have come to you, therefore, with a suggestion. Mr. McKinley knows my father very well, and I think that he also remembers me. Now, if I could go out to Oregon as postmaster of Astoria I would settle there, and I am sure Mr. McKinley would appoint me if you will only recommend me."

The young man got no further in his speech. Mr. Ellis, who is very tall, looked down upon his visitor with a paralyzed stare, and then, turning on his heel, walked back into the house without saying a word.—Washington Post.

### A Double Theater.

The enormous number of people in our large cities who desire to be amused and who seem to think that the more they get for their money the better they are pleased has led theater managers to pattern, to a certain extent, after circus companies that put on two or three forms of amusement in as many distinct rings. The newest idea is a double stage and two auditoriums. The building above the stage is made much higher than such structures ordinarily are in order to accommodate the scenery and stage property, which go up instead of being moved out at the sides. With this new idea the addition of a small number of actors may add greatly to the interest of the occasion. There may be a play going on which those who sit near enough can hear distinctly, while those at a distance can be entertained by gymnastic, acrobatic and similar performances. It is a bold innovation, and many people are wondering just what will be the result.—New York Ledger.

### Chamberlain's Boast.

Mr. Chamberlain's boast that he did not take exercise has been frequently alluded to since he began to suffer from gout. The remarks referred to were addressed to a gathering of Birmingham athletes. "I do not cycle," he said, "I do not ride, and I don't walk when I can help it. I don't play cricket, and I don't play football, and I don't play tennis, and I don't play golf, which is, I have been assured, an indispensable condition of statesmanship. The fact is, I don't take exercise at all." Mr. Chamberlain is not known to have changed his habits since making this confession. He is almost the only cabinet minister sitting in the house of commons who has not, since the government was formed, met with an accident through bicycling or hunting.

### The Antediluvian.

Mrs. Mary Ann Reed, who died at the Hartford Retreat For the Insane the other day at the age of 92, had been in the institution for 52 years. She was the "little lady" referred to by Charles Dickens in his "American Notes." The passage relating to her is as follows: "I am an antediluvian, sir." I thought the best thing to say was that I had suspected as much from the first. Therefore I said so. "It is an extremely proud and pleasant thing, sir, to be an antediluvian," said the old lady. "I should think it was, ma'am," I rejoined. The old lady kissed her hand, gave another skip, smirked and sidled down the gallery in a most extraordinary manner. Her delusion was a pleasant one, and she was always amiable and docile."

Oh! Ladies, did you see the elegant new hats just received at Weeks? Three large cases opened yesterday, black and colored fancies. See the latest Sailors and new Laces, new Goff-rings and elegant new Ribbons. Beautiful is the only word expresses our new Millinery. Miss Murphy attends personally to all Millinery work.—W. A. Weeks & Co.

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Capes, net.

Handsome goods, made to sell at \$7.57 to \$8.75, for

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### 150 Black Worsted Capes

in clay make, trimmed with black braids, jets, ribbons and buttons; extra good value just opened, nee stylish goods, suitable for elderly ladies going at

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6 dozen linen huck towels, fringed, bought to sell at 9c, placed on bargain counter at ..... 5c

5 dozen plain linen towels fringed, regular 12c quality, to sell for .... 6c

1 dozen linen huck towels hemmed, red bordered regular 13c value, for .6c

2 dozen large heavy huck towels, quality that sells always for 15c, must go at..... 7c

1 dozen fine pure linen huck towels, knotted fringe, regular 17c kind, to go at ..... 8c

2 dozen large pure white linen huck towels, usual 19c kind, go at .... 10c

3 dozen large fine grade huck, 22c quality for.. 11c

2 dozen plain hemmed huck, size 40x27 inches, ordinarily cheap at 23c, are going at..... 12c

1 pea fine butchers linen 37 inches wide, usual 15c value, to go at.. 8c yd

2 pcs Turkey Cotton, soiled, regular 16c kind, for..... 8c yd

2 pcs of 12c kind for 6c

3 pcs fine fronting linen, badly damaged, usual price 32c to 48c per yard, must go at..... 8c yd

120 dozen damaged handkerchiefs, at a fraction of their value, some to go at a..... 1c

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## Liberal - Conservative Organization

2nd District of Queen's,

A meeting of the Liberal-Conservative electors of the above District will be held at Breakfield Hall, on Wednesday, 5th May, at 3 o'clock p. m., sharp, for the purpose of organizing and appointing delegates.

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3. Exercise on Trick Rings.....
4. Cornet Solo.....Dr. Maloney
5. Mandolin Solo.....Mr. R. Hogan
6. Exercises on Paralled Bars.....
7. Violin Solo.....Prof. Vinnicombe
8. Vocal Solo.....Miss E. Benoit
9. Tumbling Exercises.....
10. Instrumental Duet.....Masters Payne
11. Vocal Solo with Banjo accompaniment  
Mr. W. Murphy
12. Club Swinging.....Mr. R. Hogan
13. Piano Duet.....Misses Brown & McMillan
14. Male Quartette.....
15. Exercises on Horizontal Bar.....

ADMISSION 15 cents,  
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Secretary

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(4) THAT convenient cottage with garden, yard and stable on Poplar Terrace, East Kent St., now occupied by A. Bannerman Warburton, M.L.A. Possession 1st October next.

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