

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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Editorial Notes.

The question of small farms or large farms is being discussed in England. The balance of opinion seems to be in favor of small farms well tilled.

If it be true, as the Opposition papers say, that the National Policy is injuring the Cotton Manufacturers of Canada, it must also be true that Free Trade is ruining those of England. For it is reported,—

The large cotton firm of Morris & Ranger, of Liverpool, has failed. Other failures are inevitable. No business has been transacted on the Cotton Exchange since the failure was announced. It is estimated Ranger & Co. were short one hundred to a hundred and ninety thousand bales. The firm is one of the largest in England. The liabilities are estimated at £400,000 in Liverpool, and £40,000 in Havre.

While the Opposition Press are unpatriotically and unsuccessfully trying to shake the mutual confidence of business men, and bring about a period of commercial depression in Canada, the proofs of continuing prosperity are abundant. Here are a few:—

The receipts of the Grand Trunk Railway for the six months ending June 30th reached £1,711,090, against £1,556,070 in the corresponding period last year, an increase of £155,020, or about ten per cent.

From the 1st of July to the 22nd of October, the receipts of the Intercolonial Railway were \$780,600, against \$733,400 in the corresponding period of 1882, and against \$570,000 for the corresponding period of 1881.

In 1875-6, the amount deposited in the Postal Savings Banks was \$12,908,745; in 1881-82 it was \$21,768,661; and at present the amount is \$27,300,000.

Speaking at a Conservative banquet at Bridgewater a few nights ago, Sir M. Hicks Beach reviewed the home and foreign policy of the British Government. Referring to Irish affairs, he alluded in congratulatory terms to the triumphal progress of Sir Stafford Northcote in Ulster, which, he said, owed its success to the fact that the loyalty of the Irish had been appealed to. Turning to South Africa, he said the Government had disgraced the British name. In India the European population had been aggravated, harassed, and alarmed. In Egypt the Government had attempted a bad imitation of Lord Beaconsfield's policy, but at every turn they had been hampered by the results of their former professions. He described the corrupt practices act as a monument of purism run mad. Adverting to the question of parliamentary reform, he said no system of representation could safely be based on the representation of numbers alone. It should be based on the representation of interests, and any bill which disregarded this would be the greatest misfortune that could befall England.

The Radical Convention lately held at Leeds in England, passed a resolution setting forth that it is the duty of Her Majesty's Government, to deal with the question of the extension of the Franchise in the next session of Parliament. At the same Convention,—

The Rev. F. W. Fowle (Islip) moved:—"That in order to meet the just expectations of the country and to fulfil the pledges given at the last general election, this conference is of opinion that a measure for the extension of the franchise should confer on householders in the counties the same electoral rights as those enjoyed by householders and lodgers in parliamentary boroughs."

The Rev. H. W. Crosskey, LL. D. (Birmingham), moved a rider to the effect that any measure for the extension of the suffrage should confer the franchise upon women, who, possessing qualifications entitling them to vote, have now the right of voting in all matters of local government.

Miss Cobden supported the rider, as did also Miss Bright (daughter of the Right Hon. John Bright), who assured the meeting that in this country there were a large number of women who strongly hoped for the franchise. Their hope lay in the Liberal party, though she regretted that all Liberals were not the followers of true Liberalism. The resolution with the rider was carried almost unanimously.

The Cenotaph over the late Father McGillivray's Grave.

To-day a suitable cenotaph was placed over the grave of the late Rev. Father McGillivray, in the new Catholic cemetery, St. Peter's Road. It was projected by Messrs. William Murray and Richard Coady, designed by Mr. Mark Wright erected by Mark Wright & Co., cabinet makers, and paid for by a private subscription from the members of St. Dunstan's congregation. It is a beautiful piece of workmanship, and reflects credit on all concerned. In length it is eight feet, in width three feet six inches, and height three feet. The four sides are of heavy glass, the frame is of hardwood, neatly moulded, and painted as granite. The roof is pyramid-shaped. It is three feet high, and surmounted by a gilded cross, three feet tall. Along its apex is a number of small gilded crosses, while at the four corners of the base stand four crosses, about fifteen inches tall, connected to each other by a line of smaller crosses running along the edge. The roof is jet black, relieved by vermillion, gold, and imitation marble. Altogether the exterior of the cenotaph presents a magnificent appearance, but the interior view is most beautiful. A flower stand is set in as a canopy for the grave. At the head is a crown, and at the foot a cross of wax flowers, elegantly worked by the Sisters of Charity in the Charlottetown Hospital, while on the stand are over fifty pots of wax flowers, roses,

geraniums, etc., set up in moss covered pots by the same ladies. The cenotaph is something new in Canada here. The present is the first ever erected on the Island. It is a model in every respect, and though only temporary, is a fit tribute to the memory of the late dearly beloved pastor of St. Dunstan's—Rev. A. McGillivray.

Items from Souris.

Tuesday last was one of our roughest days, blowing a severe gale. The schr. "Mayfly" broke her bow line, and took a dash at the railway wharf, sweeping a considerable damage until checked by her anchors. On Wednesday the weather cleared up, and old Sol put on his prettiest, as if to atone for the previous day.

Had we suitable sidewalks at this time of the year, and later on, pedestrians would experience a pleasant refuge from mud and dirt.

Our Branch of the Dominion Temperance Alliance had a meeting on Wednesday evening. Owing to a misunderstanding as to the place it was to be held, the attendance was small. The private meeting of the members was very satisfactory. A permanent meeting place will be secured for public gatherings in connection with our temperance work, and its locality duly announced. The next meeting takes place on Wednesday, the 7th inst., at 8 p. m. sharp.

Now that the Court House is no longer available for public meetings—report says "order of the Judge"—it would be well for all parties interested in the matter to see that some other building is made available as a public hall for Souris. If it is an understood point that the Court House is for judicial or magisterial purposes, of course we must find some other place in which to hold concerts, public performances, tea parties, political meetings, and other public gatherings, as they may be required or called for. It would never do to accuse a judge of prohibiting its use for temperance meetings alone; in fact it would be derogatory to his honor to even imagine that he is not as ready as any one else to enforce the Scott Act, and assist such a body as the Dominion Temperance Alliance, whose meetings are held to assist in suppressing drunkenness, and maintain existing laws against the liquor traffic, and in this way to assist the judicial bench itself. We have an excellent sheriff residing among us, who frequently obliged the temperance societies here with the use of the Court House, and Mr. McCormack has the hearty thanks of all so obliged; but now, it seems the "order" has gone forth, and his hands of course are tied. In the meantime, people are asking, "who does the Court House belong to, anyway?"

Yesterday services were held in the Catholic Church, morning and evening. Many of our business places were closed, and the town presented quite a "day of rest" appearance. It was a solemn holiday of obligation, being the feast of "All Saints," and a large congregation attended Mass at the usual hour.

The Government deserves every credit for the manner in which our public roads have been attended to; but the very important highway between Souris East and West is suffering from neglect. The Beach Road is in a deplorable condition and requires looking after. It looks for all the world like the melancholy remains of happier times, with a decided disposition to seek oblivion in the bosom of the waters, and become a thing of the past, but we cannot do without that road, and the road cannot do much longer without a brushing up, and a new coat. The process indicated would improve its appearance wonderfully, and add to the comfort and safety of travellers. As it is, an accident might happen any time, and somebody might be waiting out, "Oh where is my wand'ring boy to-night," or something equally exasperating.

The following schooner are in our harbor at present:—E. Hodgson, Welcome, Lorraine, Willie B, Lily A. W., Alice Edna, Harriet Torrey, Alpha and Rising Dawn. Most of them are for potatoes. The Alice Edna is the wrecking schooner, the Lorraine takes dry fish to Halifax, and the E. Hodgson goes to Pictou in ballast. The Welcome looks well in her new dress, and it is hoped that her future career will be more fortunate than her past.

Summerside is stirring in the matter of street lamps. What will Souris say about it? Some times we are visited with almost Egyptian darkness, that can be felt. It was felt most unmercifully the other night, when two heads met with a bang, and the head that wore the bangs, emitted anything but a "paroxysmal kiss," in the shape of a groan, which seemed to ascend from "caverns of the deep"—just a groan and nothing more. The most prominent feature on the other head, sent forth a crimson flood; and then there was a hurried raising of handkerchiefs, a flurried "beg pardon" in choking accents, which led to each knowing who the other was, and set to relate, the whole affair ended in laughter. Had that collision happened on the burnt out remains of what was once a wooden platform, broken legs and cracked skulls might have been among the items of interest, with a rough and tumble down a cellar by way of variety, and any stranger on a dark night, might quite easily fall into the trap created by our last fire. As to lamps, well we are quite scriptural, and rightly illustrate the parable of the Virgins—wise folks carry glimmering lights for themselves, and others beat the foolish virgins all hollow, and go along without lamps trimmed or untrimmed, in fact we frequently mistake each other for somebody else, and find out quite as frequently its neither of us.

Hickman Lodge, No. 5, I. O. G. T., hold their weekly meetings, as usual. On Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for next quarter:—

- Bro. Davis—W. C. T.
Miss L. Maskell—W. V. T.
Bro. Maskell—W. S.
Bro. G. Fin—W. F. S.
Miss H. Maskell—W. Treas.
Bro. Rev. J. J. E. D. G. W. Chap.
Bro. Brehaut—W. M.
Bro. St. John—W. G.
Bro. Conroy—W. S.
Bro. W. Lord—Asst. Sec.
Bro. B. Kiekham—D. M.
Miss L. J. Stewart—R. H. S.
Bro. C. Maskell—L. H. S.
Brother Mellett remains as Lodge Deputy and Brother Stewart holds the pos-

ition of P. W. C. T. The Lodge meets every Tuesday evening at half-past seven and a full attendance of members is requested at Morrow's Hall, next evening of meeting, for installation of officers. This lodge looks for a large increase in temperance work. It is in full sympathy with the local branch of the Temperance Alliance, and the various meetings are carried on in a highly entertaining manner.

The new Post Office premises in Chapel street were opened yesterday, and Mr. Paquet took charge.

We hope ere long to have the pleasure of hearing the Rev. G. W. Hodgson, of St. Peter's, Charlottetown, at one of our temperance meetings. It is rumored that the rev. gentleman has been invited, and he may rest assured that his labors in the temperance cause are warmly appreciated by his brethren here.

Halloween paid us the annual visit. Old children and young children enjoyed themselves immensely. There was a raid on turnips and rinding of cabbages. The unwary traveller found himself wound in a rope, at each end of which laughing, merry, dancing children saluted him. Wagons, gates and logs moved mysteriously, and Hamlet's Ghost would have turned whiter at sight of our shrouded spirits. Houses—front and rear—had each their inspectors and visitors, and transformation scenes were numerous. We had sleeping watchmen, and stolen whiskey bottles, and guns that didn't fire worth a cent, while out-buildings turned upside down and tried to stand upon their roof. No serious harm was done. Boys will be boys, and will ever have their fun and frolic.

LANCASTER

Souris, Nov. 2nd, 1883.

Our Advertisers.

W. W. Clarke offers for sale the schooner "Onward" lying at Lord's wharf.

S. W. Crabbe has received a consignment of bird cages which he will dispose of cheap.

"The White Slave" will be put upon the boards this evening by the Boston Comedy Company.

Edward Kelly offers to let the handsome new dwelling house on corner of Sydney and Prince Streets.

The members of St. Peter's Church Sewing Society intend holding a sale of articles suitable for Christmas gifts, etc., in the Market Hall on Wednesday, December 12th.

Summerside Exports.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes 3 horses (\$500.00), 1 cow (10.00), 39 brls oysters (57.00), 14 cases eggs (84.00), 124 bbls potatoes (62.00), 150 bush oats (60.00), 100 lbs butter (20.00), 1 bbl beans (6.00). Total \$789.00.

FANCY SALE.

THE MEMBERS of St. Peter's Church Sewing Society intend holding a Sale on Wednesday, the 12th December,

MARKET HALL.

There will be articles suitable for XMAS GIFTS.

Cake and Refreshment Tables. Music will be provided during the evening. Doors open at 2.30. Admission, 10 cents; children, half-price. Contributions will be received by Mrs. R. Peake, Miss Jenkins, Mrs. Rayden, Miss Harris, Miss Coles, Miss K. Wright.

BIRD CAGES.

Received per "Worcester" from New York.

- Brass Bird Cages,
Japanned Bird Cages,
Extra Feed Bottles,
Brass Spiral Springs.

SIMON W. CRABBE, Sign of the Store, Walker's Corner.

HOUSE TO LET.

TO LET, and immediate possession given, that new and well-built House, situated on Prince Street, formerly known as the "Duchemin Property," together with stables and pumps complete. Any person wanting such a place can apply to Thomas Alley, Esq., next door to the premises, or to the owner.

EDWARD KELLY. There is also a good Warehouse to let on the same property. E. K. Ch'town, Nov. 3, 1883.

SCHOONER FOR SALE.

Now lying at Lord's Wharf.

THE schooner "Onward," twenty-six tons, ready for sea, will be sold cheap. Apply at once to W. W. CLARKE, Ch'town, Nov. 3, 1883—pd

TO LET.

THE Store and Dwelling House on Queen Street, now occupied by Alexander McKenzie, is given immediately. Apply to H. W. HODGSON, 47 Water Street, or ALEX. MCKENZIE, on the premises. Ch'town, Sept 12, 1883.—ad 11.

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 Winceys, 50 boxes Silk Fringe,

30 " Shirtings, 25 " Silk Plushes,

500 " Prints, 50 " Velvettons,

100 " Scotch Tweeds, 30 " Silk Velvets,

50 " Worsted Coatings, 50 " Frillings,

50 " Scarlet Flannels, 300 Jackets and Dolmans.

At twenty per cent less than prices of former years.

Also, One Hundred Cases and Bales Canadian Manufactured Goods, Very Cheap.

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, 1883. dy wkl.

TEA. TEA.

—AT—

BEER & COFF'S.

OUR TEA is giving splendid satisfaction. Prices, retail, 24cts, 30cts, and 36cts. Prices, wholesale, very low.

FIVE POUND TINS, (screw top), excludes the air, preserving the flavor and strength of the Tea. Just what is wanted.

Half chests very cheap to the trade.

BEER & GOFF.

APPLES. COFFEE. COFFEE.

Winter Apples. Choice Varieties, The success of our Coffee trade comes from its being roasted and ground fresh at our store. BEER & GOFF. BEER & GOFF.

MARKET HALL, CHARLOTTETOWN.

Boston Comedy Company.

H. PRICE WEBBER, Manager

NOW OPEN FOR A SHORT SEASON.

The charming and talented artists

Miss Edwina Grey,

will appear in a series of her great impersonations, supported by an excellent Company.

PEOPLE'S POPULAR PRICES: Admission, 25 cts. Reserved Seats, 35 cts.

Reserve seat tickets for sale at Dodd's Medical Hall, and at Apothecaries Hall.

Doors open at 7.30 o'clock; Overture at 8 o'clock.

THIS (SATURDAY) EVENING:

THE WHITE SLAVE.

Nov. 3, 1883.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

SERMONS in behalf of the above Society will be preached on

Sunday Next, 4th November, inst.,

IN THE BRICK CHURCH:

10.30 a. m., by Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, M. A.; 6.30 p. m., by Rev. George Cochran, D. D.

SECOND CHURCH:

10.30 a. m., by Rev. George Cochran, D. D.; 6.30 p. m., by Rev. H. P. Cowperthwaite, M. A.

The Anniversary Meeting

will be held in the Brick Church,

On Monday Evening, 5th Inst.,

AT 7.30 P. M.

Chair to be taken by the Hon. Judge Young, L. L. D.

The opening services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. O'Moara, of St. Paul's.

Rev. Dr. Cochran, Missionary from Japan, will be the principal speaker on the occasion.

Collections will be taken up in aid of Missions.

F. W. MOORE, Secretary.

Ch'town, Nov. 2, 1883.—31

FOR SALE.

THE Church Property, corner of Prince and Euston Streets, consisting of Church and Dwelling House, with Land.

Terms may be known on application to the undersigned.

D. McNEILL, Secy of Trustees.

Ch'town, Nov. 1, 1883.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c.

WANTED—A STEADY MAN can have employment at the Gas Works during the winter. Apply to W.M. MURPHY. [no3]

A DRIFT—On or about the 19th inst., a raft of spruce logs drifted from its moorings, three miles south-west of Cape Bear. Any parties having found the same shall be rewarded by notifying McLURE BROS., Murray River, King's County; or David Small, Harbor Master, Charlottetown. [no3]

SITUATION WANTED—As Auctioneer, two days in each week, and every night, for the winter, at low rates. Apply at this office. [no2]

LOST—Between the Bank of P. E. Island Building and the Post Office, a PURSE containing eight dollars. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office. [no2 11]

FOR SALE—A Mare in foal by "Barrier." Also a filly, six months old, sire "Hernando," dam by "Royal Harry." Apply to S. W. DODD, Medical Hall. [oc31 3i]

WANTED—A situation as Book-keeper, by a young man, just graduated from a Business College. Good references. Apply at this office. [oc31 6i pd]

DRIFTED—From her moorings, East River, a row boat twelve feet keel. The finder will be rewarded on leaving the same, or giving information of her whereabouts, to her owner, John A. Ferguson, East River. [oc30 3i pat]

A FEW PERMANENT and TRANSIENT BOARDERS can be accommodated in the House corner of Weymouth and Dorchester streets, on reasonable terms. Very convenient for Railway travellers.—L. B. McMILLAN. [oc30]

BOARDERS.—Mrs. Robert Rodd, has removed to the house of Mr. C. Heerts, Euston Street, where she can accommodate a number of Boarders, on reasonable terms. [oc30]

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Two or three GIRLS, to work on coats. Apply to JOHN BELL, Tailor and Cutter, corner of Pownall and Grafton Streets, Charlottetown. [oc29 5i pd]

FOR SALE—A Stewart's Cooking Range, in use one year. Good as new. Highly recommended.—H. J. CUNYALL. [oc19]

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. [oc22]

FRENCH LESSONS—A Lady wishes to form a French class, for young girls. For particulars apply at EXAMINER OFFICE. [oc24]

FOUND—At Canoe Cove, Lot 65, a BOAT, about fifteen feet keel, with one mast and sails. The owner can have her by paying expenses and proving property.—MEL McKENZIE, Canoe Cove. [oc16]