

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

JUNE 4, 1890.

Notes and Comments.

The Canadian Pacific Railway, it seems, is carrying dressed beef to New England for 43 cents per hundred, the other lines charging 48 cents, and as a result, is carrying off a large amount of the Chicago trade.

—Remarking that THE EXAMINER still advocates the subway scheme of Senator Howland, the St. John Telegraph says: There is still much opposition to overcome in those who believe the scheme impracticable or too costly to be undertaken. But in these days the engineers know no such word as impossible.

—The Montreal Gazette remarks: "The man who thaws dynamite the wrong way is gaining a front place in the race with the man who didn't know the gun was loaded. The dynamite man generally kills or maims himself, however; the gun man slays some innocent victim. Carelessness is at the bottom of both sets of offences."

—The City of Mexico has passed an ordinance compelling laborers on the city works to wear trousers instead of loose garments generally worn by the labouring classes. Similar regulations have been adopted in several other cities of Mexico, and it is proposed to extend the rule to apply to all labourers.

—The financial results of the year 1889 in the German textile industries must have been very gratifying, if the dividends paid by the companies can be taken as a criterion. Cotton, wool, hosiery, jute, linen, etc., declared better dividends than for 1888; dividends as high as twenty and twenty-five per cent. are not scarce, while many companies have paid dividends of over ten per cent., and many have paid between nine and ten per cent.

—Referring to the result of the Nova Scotia elections, THE WEEK says:

"From the party point of view the course of Nova Scotia is certainly remarkable, especially when we remember the tenacity with which her people adhere to the old party names and traditions. They all claim to be either Liberals or Conservatives. Yet they so use the franchise that a pronounced Conservative victory in a Dominion election is preceded and followed by still more pronounced Liberal triumphs in local elections. How will her future historians explain the enigma?"

—Encouraged, no doubt, by the success of the bridge across the Forth, engineers are now considering the equally great scheme of a bridge across the Bosphorus, thus connecting Europe and Asia, and their present and future railway systems. The Turkish newspaper, HALIKATI, gives some particulars of this project apropos of an offer by a French syndicate to build a bridge of 800 metres in length and 70 metres high between Rouneli and Anatoli Hissar. The striking feature of the bridge would be that it would consist of one span, and thus, although of much shorter length than the Forth Bridge, it is described as a greater work, because its single span exceeds in length by one-half the longest span of the Forth Bridge. The Anatolian Railway, it is thought, will make the construction of such a bridge a necessary and feasible undertaking before many years.

—We are indebted to J. W. Hodgson, Esq., Customs Broker, for the following statement of exports for Queen's and King's Counties, for April and May, 1890:

Table with columns for Commodities (Potatoes, Oats, Meats, Fish, Eggs, Horses, Cattle, Sheep, etc.), Colonial, and Foreign quantities and values.

—There is, says THE WEEK, some reason to fear that the negotiations for the settlement of the Behring Sea question are not progressing as rapidly as could be desired. Without accepting the statements of doubtful Washington despatches, we may conclude that no permanent agreement can now be reached in time to govern the season's operations. That being the case it must be obvious to both parties that it is highly desirable that some modus vivendi should be arranged pending further enquiries and negotiations. The fact that no such modus vivendi has been authoritatively announced gives color to the rumor that none has been agreed on. The extreme reticence of both the British and the Canadian Governments is not reassuring. If, as is generally believed on both sides of the line, the American Government has abandoned, if, indeed, it ever seriously advanced, the absurd mare clausum contention, it is incredible that the Government can, as alleged, have again sent its cruisers to pursue the same course as in previous years in the waters in question. It would be an incomprehensible and intolerable weakness on the part of the British Government to permit such treatment of Canadian vessels during another season. If the British and Canadian Governments are convinced that a rigid police surveillance of Behring Sea, or any portion of it, is necessary for the preservation of the seal fishery, and it has been found convenient to let the American Government continue to perform that service unaided, the least they can do, surely, is to make distinct announcement of the fact, accompanied with such explanations as may enable Canadian sealers to avoid trespassing on the forbidden grounds. But to permit the United States Government to rule the open sea with a high hand, in defiance of international law, and to capture and plunder Canadian vessels at his own sweet will, as hitherto, would certainly go far to convince Canadians of the uselessness of expecting protection from the Mother Country against any aggressive action it may hereafter take, and capricious neighborly to take.

Obituary.

Mrs. Jessie (Stewart) beloved wife of Joseph Rose, Esq., died at her house, Red Point, Lot 46, on May 6th, 1890, aged 70 years, leaving her husband, four sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a faithful wife and loving mother. The sorrowing husband and children, with many others, will miss the sunshine of the presence of one who was ever cheerful and hopeful, and a ready helper of the sick and sorrowing. She was a native of Perthshire, Scotland, a daughter of John Stewart, who came to this Island in 1835, with a large family, and settled at East Point. About 48 years ago, she was baptized by the late Rev. John Shaw, became a member of the Church of Christ at South Lake, and was faithful until death.

Also, on the 10th May, at her residence, West River, Lot 47, Margaret (Stewart) sister of the above and beloved wife of Elder John Macdonald. Mrs. Macdonald died at the age of 78 years, after a faithful Christian life of many years. She, also, was baptized by Mr. Shaw, was a member of the Church of Christ, and, like her sister, was ever ready in every good word and work. The great aim of her busy life was to make others happy and good.

Of her seven sons and two daughters, two sons have passed "over the river," one of whom perished in the endeavor to save the lives of others.

Her husband, at the age of 83, awaits the change which will also take him home. The night of sorrow will end, and "joy will come in the morning."

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep."

Prices of Beef and Pork in the States.

The Breeders Gazette of the 31st May reports: "Prices are lower than a week ago in all departments of the live-stock market. The receipts of cattle and sheep were larger than for the corresponding week in any former year, and not within the last five years have as many hogs been received during a week in May. Cattle and sheep have declined from ten to twenty-five cents and hogs from twenty-five to twenty-seven and a half cents per 100 lbs. The weakness in cattle was not so much a result of heavy receipts as it was of the collapse of the British market, which caused a falling off of more than one-half in the number of cattle purchased here for export. The hog market has continued to work downward. It declined at the rate of about five cents per day for the six days ended yesterday, the lowest prices of the season being reached. The average of prices for that day was about \$3 87 1/2, and the extreme range was \$3 75 to \$4 00. As provisions averaged higher than for the previous week the heavy receipts are alone responsible for this heavy break in prices. Not only was there a large increase in numbers but there was improvement in the quality of the offerings. The latter fact was a weakening factor to the extent that it indicated the number of matured hogs in farmers' hands."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Grit Theories.

Sir.—Farm products last fall, though a fair price, were not as high as might have been wished in the interests of our farmers. Grit politicians blamed the Government, as usual, for the low prices. Just now, high prices prevail. Both oats and potatoes bring over fifty cents a bushel in the market. What have the said Grits to say now? If the Government was blameable last fall, for lower prices, it would follow, as a matter of course, that present higher prices have been brought about by the Government. It is true that the policy of the present Dominion Government has increased the price of farm produce in the home markets. Only for the National Policy, farmers would have received lower prices last fall than they did. But we would like to know what Grit politicians think of present prices. If they honestly believe what they preach, they will give the Government credit for present prices, as readily as they blamed it last fall for low prices. "It's a bad rule that don't work both ways." Their theories, however, don't work satisfactorily any way when brought to the test.

COUNTRYMAN.

Stage Notes.

This season promises to be a lively one in the theatrical line. Already several companies have secured the Lyceum, and others, among whom is the irrepressible Harry Lindley, are asking for dates. The Lyceum has already been engaged for the following dates: June 9, 10, 11 and 12—Dicke & Edmonds gift show; June 13 and 14—Harrigan's "Two Barneys" Comedy Company; June 23 and 24—"Running Wild" Company; June 26, 27 and 28—Gorton's Minstrels and Gold Band; July 10, 11 and 12—"Fun in a Boarding School" Comedy Company; July 16—for three weeks—Dr. E. C. Ellis, late of Wizard Oil Company.

Personal.

Mr. Geo. A. Dixon, of New Glasgow, N. S., is registered at the Osborne. Captain DesBrisay, of the Salvation Army, has gone to Charlottetown for a few weeks' rest, and Capt. March takes command of this corps during her absence.—Anherst Press.

News Notes.

The Canadian Militia Department will pay pensions to the veterans of the war of 1812 on Dominion day. A number of Christians at Kosova, Old Servia, has been massacred by Mohamedan Arnauts.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by mothers for children teething for over fifty years with perfect success. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "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 teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. S. P. 1890.

Local and Other Items

NOTICE.—Epworth League, at 8.30, this evening. Important business.

GOOD WORK.—Mr. D. Howlett is doing good work with his brush on the north side of Queen Square. When he is through, that side of the square will be greatly improved in appearance.

STALLION RACE.—Nominations for the \$500 stallion race at New Glasgow next September, close June 14th. So far, the entries to this race are Israel, 3370, owned by A. C. Bell, and Bronze Chief, 8983, and Hayward, 5289, owned by J. C. Mahon, Truro.

LOTS OF HAIL.—A despatch from Henderson, a town in Minnesota, records that on Friday last, in that district, hail fell to a depth of four feet. Trees were stripped of their foliage and considerable damage done to crops and windows.

MONCTON POLICE STATISTICS.—The Moncton police made 34 arrests last month, as compared with 29 in May last year. The amount collected in fines during the same period was \$305 55, or deducting Scott Act fines, \$99—one of the largest collections of miscellaneous fines in any one month.

AFTER DAMAGES.—A Quebec despatch says: A petition to the Governor-General in council prepared by the city attorney was forwarded to the department of the Secretary of the state at Ottawa to-day, praying that a petition of right be granted the city to enable it to take action for the recovery from the crown, represented by the Federal authorities, of some thirty-nine thousand dollars damages caused to the city by the recent land slide in Champlain street.

ROBBERY OF THE MAILS.—It is reported that the mail bag for Dartington was opened while being conveyed from Winstoe Station to the post office yesterday forenoon, and the sum of \$5 was stolen from a registered letter therein. The letter, which was from the United States, contained \$25. Suspicion fell upon the boy who acted as courier, and a search where he resided resulted in the finding of \$5 in a purse. The boy has since disappeared. The post-office authorities have taken prompt action. A warrant for the arrest of the boy has been issued.

AGAINST THE ACT.—A St. John despatch of Monday's date says: The evangelical alliance to-day pitched into the Scott Act in lively fashion. Dr. Macrae said the Act was an abortion and led the people of the North End to disregard the law. He was informed that there were fourteen dives on Sheriff Street, all within a distance of 400 feet, while altogether the North End had two hundred bar-rooms. Rev. Dr. Wilson said that liquor was sold generally throughout the city on Sunday. He was informed that 200 persons visited one bar on Sunday night.

METHODIST CHANGES.—The Methodist Conference will meet this month. Some important changes will be made in the ministerial staff in St. John. The changes that will be made, subject of course to the action of conference, are: Rev. W. Lawson, of Carmarthen Street Church, will go to Alberton, P. E. I., and Rev. George Steel, of Pownal, P. E. I., will go to Carmarthen Street; Rev. E. Evans has announced his intention of retiring from the pastorate of Centenary, and Rev. Howard Sprague, D. D., has accepted a call to the church; Rev. T. Marshall, of Carleton, will exchange pulpits with Rev. S. R. Crisp, of Chatham; Rev. W. W. Lodge, now at Salisbury, will take charge of the church at Fairville, at present occupied by Rev. S. H. Rice.

It is natural for girls to love flowers, but they sometimes forget that young men love them, too, and appreciate the refining and elevating influence of the fair ones' handiwork in the culture and study of a flower garden. Now, dear ladies, to have flowers, they must be planted now (it is useless to sow seed too late). Gay & Son have the plants, well rooted, for sale at the Charlottetown Market and at home. See advertisement in another column. may31dyw2i

DIED.

In this city, on the 3rd inst., of inflammation, Joseph Moran, aged 68 years. [Funeral from his late residence, Upper Orlebar Street, to-morrow (Thursday) at 3 p. m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend.]

FOR SALE.

3 SHIPS CHRONOMETERS, in First-Class order, with rates, and guarantee for prices. Apply to CAPTAIN KELLY, S. S. "Princess Beatrice," Charlottetown, P. E. I. may28, 1wk.

A Chance to Make Money.

TO LET, in St. John's, Newfoundland, a BREWERY, with or without land adjoining. The said land has a river frontage of 800 feet. The Brewery may be used for other manufacturing purposes, as the water-power is capable of driving any machinery. For further particulars apply to JAMES J. McGRATH, 376 Water Street, St. John's, N. F.

The subscriber would like to correspond with a practical Tanner, who has a small capital to invest. Address as above. mh1—law 3m

GAY'S PLANTS.

DAISIES in bloom, pure white and pink; Pansies in bloom (most every color), 3 to 5 each, 20 to 40 cents per dozen; Plants to bloom soon: Carnations, double, single and perfumed; Indian and China Pinks, Sweet William, Sweet Rocket and Everlasting Sweet Peas, 3 to 5 each, 30 to 40 cents per dozen. The above are all hardy, wintered over perennials, with clay on roots. Seedling Flower Plants transplanted, at 10 cents per dozen; Balsam, Zinnia, Fanny, Daisy, Portulaca, Petunia, African Marigold, Marigold, Morning Glory, Phlox, Everlastings, Candy tuft, Mignonette, Indian Pinks, Nasturtium, Sweet Pea, Stocks, Veronica, etc. Extra large Stocks and Verbena, at 20 cents per dozen; Lobelia and Golden Feather for edging, 5 cents per dozen, 3 cents per 100, from seed 25 cts.; Canary Creeper, 20 cents per dozen; Double Dahlia roots, 4 to 8 cents each. Vegetable Plants (transplanted)—Cabbage, (ready 2nd June), at 10 cents per 100, 75 cents per 1,000, from seed 25 cents; Tomato, 10 cents per dozen, from seed 6 cents; Squash, Pumpkin, Cucumber and Melon in seeds, 10 cents per box. The above for sale at our place of business, Charlottetown Market, as well as at home. See sign North Side of Market House. Orders sent by mail, boat or rail as directed. Our terms are cash with order. Stamata taken. Address, J. J. GAY & SON, may31—law 2w 2o, POWNAL.

Cornmeal, Oatmeal and Oats.

2500 Barrels CORNMEAL, 800 " Standard Oatmeal, 500 " Rolled Oats, In stock and to arrive shortly. CARVELL BROS. June 4—3i eod

NOTICE.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, carrying on business under the name and style of MARK WRIGHT & CO., have this day dissolved partnership.

MARK WRIGHT, LEWIS W. GOFF, F. H. BEER, L. H. BEER, E. H. BEER.

Charlottetown, May 31, 1890.

Referring to the above notice, the business of the late firm will be carried on by the undersigned under the same management as heretofore.

MARK WRIGHT & CO. (Ltd).

Charlottetown, June 2, 1890—2aw wy

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE of what the Charlottetown paper said about DR. ASHLEY'S SPECIALTY COMPANY. What he said was nothing but jealousy and false, because he did not patronize them or their paper by giving him an advertisement, tickets and printing. I suppose they had nothing else to put in their little weekly paper, so they put in false reports of a good Company. Dr. Ashley is well known as a gentleman, and leaves many friends behind him. We will be glad to welcome him back next summer. The Doctor is a member of many Societies—the Oddfellows, Freemasons and "in camp," and others—and has travelled East and West. Mrs. Ashley is also a member of the "Sisters of Rebecca." (Signed) DR. & MRS. ASHLEY, King and Queen of Dentists. jun-4-1 [The paper that gave me the dive was the "Island Guardian."]

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Celebrated Oratorio,

"The Creation,"

Will be Performed by the

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And Orchestra,

IN THEIR HALL,

—ON—

THURSDAY,

12th JUNE.

Admission to Body of Hall, - 50 cents. To Gallery, - - - - 35 cents.

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June 3—1f

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JUST RECEIVED:—Five Cases of these Celebrated BOOTS, as follows:—

- 30 pairs Ladies' Imperial Kid Buttoned, 46 " Pebble Calf Walking Balmorals, 30 " Gents' Cordovan Balmoral, 30 " " Calf Waukenphast do, 30 " " Congress. Also—Lawn Tennis Shoes, etc. R. K. JOST, North Side Queen Square, St. John's Corner. may31—2w 2o

MEETINGS TO-MORROW!

Miss Gordon, - - - - 4 p. m. Miss Frances E. Willard, - - 8 p. m.

MUSIC UNDER THE DIRECTION OF MR. EARLE.

Don't Stand in Your Own Light!

LOOK THIS WAY!

136 Queen Street

PROWSE & CO.

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They are determined to give the best value in all kinds of Dry Goods. Try them. 136 QUEEN STREET.

Charlottetown, May 28, 1890.

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Charlottetown, May 29, 1890—2w

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