

The Daily Examiner

JANUARY 25 1886

Peter DesBrisay Esquire.

MR. PETER DESBRISAY passed away yesterday morning. He was the eldest son of the late Thomas DesBrisay—who established the Apothecaries Hall in 1810—and was born on the 17th of September 1811. For many years he was assistant Postmaster General under the late Thomas Owen, Esq., and subsequently under the Hon. L. C. Owen. Upon the latter gentleman's resignation he was appointed Postmaster General of the Island, and held the office until there was a change of Government in 1867. In 1872 he was appointed to the office Assistant Provincial Secretary, which he held until the amalgamation of that office with that of the Clerk of the Executive Council in 1876; but he retained a position in the Provincial Secretary's Office until 1879. Mr. DesBrisay was married in 1862 to Sarah, daughter of the late Thomas B. DesBrisay, M. D., of Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, and leaves one son (now in the Northwest) and four daughters. He was highly respected as a citizen and as an official; and he died, peacefully, at a good round age.

The Irish Question in Parliament

The Irish question was of course the chief feature of the debate which took place on Friday on the Address in reply to the Queen's Speech. According to the telegraphic summary, Mr. Gladstone said that in seeking a re-election he was mainly guided by the wish to proceed with a proposal in regard to both the legislative and social position of Ireland. Only the Government, however, was able to act in such a matter, and he did not intend to introduce a proposal of his own, but he would reserve his opinion. He would also reserve his decision whether to alter or to add to the proposals embodied in his election manifesto. He pleaded for a patient hearing of the opinions of Irish Nationalists.

In reply to Mr. Gladstone, Sir Michael Hicks Beach said the new chief secretary for Ireland would consider the question whether the ordinary powers were sufficient, or whether special powers would be needed to suppress boycotting.

Mr. Parnell said that he had always believed that if the principle were admitted that Ireland was entitled to some form of self-government, the settlement of the details would not be found a formidable task, and that there be no great difficulty in securing the Empire against separation. He himself, although a Protestant, feared no danger to the minority in Ireland from the Catholics. The whole question was one of reasonable or exorbitant rents. He denied that the National League encouraged boycotting. Nationalist members, he said, on seeing the manifest desire of England to weigh the Irish question calmly, had resolved that no extravagance of word or action on their part should mar the first fair chance Ireland ever had.

Lord Randolph Churchill said he wished the House to clearly understand that it would be impossible for the present Government to sanction an Irish Parliament. But the Government would be prepared when the proper time arrived to prepare a scheme to improve local government in Ireland. In view of the gravity of the situation, the statesmen of England are evidently determined to be calm and moderate in their words. The remarks of Mr. Parnell were, it will be admitted by all, prudent and sensible.

A SPECIAL TRAIN leaves for Cape Traverse at a quarter to nine this evening.

At the close of the evening service in the Baptist Church last night, a salvation meeting was held in the basement. Gospel services will be continued every night this week.

A SLIGHT FIRE occurred about half past nine this morning in the Furniture Store of W. E. Hickey, Great George Street. It was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

The Northern Light is at Picton, but will not return this evening as it is probable that daily trips will now be given up. The mails will at once be sent by way of the Capes, the first mail being despatched to-night.

THE NEW SIFTER FOR ASHES.—Miller's new sifter for separating coal from the ashes, is now completed, and we do not hesitate to recommend it to every house that burns coal. It is clean, perfect and simple; and, we hear, it is moderate in price.

I. O. O. F.—The members of Wildey Lodge intend paying their brethren of St. Lawrence a fraternal visit on this Monday evening, 25th. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. A pleasant evening is anticipated.

HONS MESSRS. SULLIVAN AND FERGUSON leave this evening for England. They form a delegation to represent the views and interests of the people of this Province, respecting communication with the mainland, according to the Terms of Union. We feel confident that men of both parties and all conditions heartily desire for their endeavors a successful issue, and wish them God speed.

"BIRTH and Marriage Ceremonies and Customs in the East," is announced as the subject of Mr. Howie's Lecture in St. Paul's School Room, on Friday, 5th February. Mr. Howie presented on the 24th inst. at Carleton and Picquet Road, Charlottetown. The day's collections were for the Foreign Mission. On Thursday, the 4th February, Mr. Howie lectured in the Kirk, South Hill, and on Saturday 6th at North River.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Terrible Murder and Fire.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., Jan. 24. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bates, near Allandale, were burned to death in their house yesterday. Mrs. Bates was found lying on a sofa, her face covered with blood, and her left hand burned to a crisp. The house was entirely destroyed. A search for the body of Mr. Bates was instituted. The charred trunk was found in the cellar, the head being burned off. On examining the remains of Mrs. Bates, it was discovered that the back of her skull was broken in. Three deep stabs were also found on her body, all tending to show that murder had been committed.

Incendiary Fires in Kingston.

KINGSTON, Jan. 24. Early yesterday Skinner's wholesale drug store was set on fire, and before the flames were subdued damage of over \$30,000 was done to the stock. While this fire was in progress, flames were noticed in Thomas Robertson's crockery store. A man was observed crawling through a window and was captured. People thought his arrest would put an end to fires for some time, but they were disappointed, as this morning the Queen Street Methodist Church was totally destroyed. The Church was valued at \$20,000, and was insured for \$10,000.

A Dishonest Clergyman.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 24. Rev. A. D. Sylvester, who left Halifax, N. S., suddenly last week leaving a number of unpaid bills, had received and accepted a call to the assistant Rectorship of St. Luke's Church in this city. He had begun work here when his credentials were withdrawn by the Bishop of Halifax. Bishop Paret prohibited him from further work in this diocese, and he will take the next steamer for England. Sylvester admits leaving a number of unpaid bills in Halifax, but says his salary was small and expenses heavy on account of sickness.

Business Suspension.

LONDON, Jan. 25. The firms of C. Robin & Co., P. Robin & Co., Duhaime, Gosselin, Nicollet & Co., of the Island of Jersey, have suspended liabilities altogether to the amount of 300,000 pounds, and the assets consist chiefly of fishing vessels and factories in British America, which Canadian fishermen threaten to pillage. The Ottawa Government has asked the English Government by cable to send troops to protect the property.

Collision on the Railway.

TORONTO, Jan. 24. During a heavy snow storm to-day, a Grand Trunk freight train collided with a couple of shunting engines about a mile west of the city. The three engines were made total wrecks, and all the cars and contents damaged. James Melroy, fireman, had his leg broken, and Henry Hushing, driver, were severely bruised.

The Eastern Difficulty.

ATHENS, Jan. 24. Sir Horace Humboldt, British Minister, informed Premier Delyannis to-day that England was prepared to send a fleet to prevent Greece from attacking Turkey by sea. Premier Delyannis replied that Greece will not disarm. The Greek fleet sailed to-day with sealed orders.

Explosion.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 24. The explosion of a locomotive boiler in the round house of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway last night, caused the death of one man and badly injured nine others.

A Fatal Railway Collision.

RINGTOWN, Pa., Jan. 24. A collision occurred on the Catawassa Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway yesterday morning, by which two men were instantly killed and two fatally injured.

All Quiet at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 24. The situation in the coke regions continues quiet, no disturbance having occurred since Thursday.

Another Murder.

CLOVERDALE, Cal., Jan. 24. Jessa Wickersham and wife have been found murdered on their ranch twenty miles from here.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Jan. 25.—10 a. m. Winds mostly north and northeast, fair, cold weather to-day, with snow to-night.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE

Table with 2 columns: Time/Location and Temperature. Rows include Charlotte Town, Jan. 25, 1886, with highest and lowest temperatures for Saturday, Sunday, and Monday.

Scott's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil, with Hypophosphites

PALATABLE AS MILK, AND BORNE BY DELICATE STOMACHS.

Dr. J. W. Compton, of Evansville, Ind., says: I have prescribed Scott's Emulsion largely. I find it very palatable and borne well by delicate stomachs, even children take it readily, and it is very useful as a cough remedy.

Local and Other Items.

GALBRAITH'S BAND at the Roller Rink to-night.

OYSTERS by the barrel at John Joy's, Water Street, Jan 23, 1886.

TOROGGAN SLIDE will be opened to-night. Track in excellent order.

SUMMERSIDE will be well represented at the Carnival in the Roller Rink next Thursday evening.

FRESH oysters received three times a week, at John Joy's, Water Street. Jan 23, 1886.

HIS HONOR the Lieutenant-Governor has recovered from his indisposition. He was out driving to-day.

ZION CHURCH.—The Evangelistic Services in Zion Church will be continued every evening during the present week, commencing each evening at 8 o'clock.

I. O. O. F.—The members of Wildey Lodge will pay a fraternal visit to the brethren of St. Lawrence Lodge this evening. As the last visit of a similar nature was most successful, a large attendance is expected.

GREAT REDUCTION.—CLEARING OUT.—Ladies' and Gents' Overshoes, old price \$1.60, new price \$1.20 per pair.—Dorsey, Goff & Co. Jan 25.

The question for discussion before the Caledonian Club Literary Society this evening is: "Would it be more advantageous to the Canadian people to become an Independent Nation than to join an Imperial Federation?" Opener—John S. Macdonald, Esq.

BLACK BEEHIVE FINGERING, Ladies Black Braided Jerseys, Cardinal and Garnet Plosh, Green Tissue Frilling and Black Wool Veiling, opening to-day at Stanley Bros., Brewer's Block, Jan 23, 1886.

THE supporters of Mr. D. R. M. Hooper, are requested to meet at the Committee Room, Upper Queen St. (next door to Harris' Tin Shop) this (Monday) evening, 25th inst., at 8 o'clock. Canvassers are especially requested to attend with reports.

L. E. PROWSE requests an immediate settlement of all amounts due him. Jan 21, 1886, and wky.

I. O. O. F.—Officers and members of St. Lawrence Lodge are particularly requested to be present at the meeting this Monday evening. Business of importance. Also Fraternal visit from officers and members of Wildey Lodge. By order of the N. G.

I. O. O. F.—Port la Joie Encampment, officers and members, are particularly requested to attend the special meeting on Tuesday evening, 29th. Business: Receiving reports for the past term and installation of officers. A full meeting is requested. By order of the C. P. Jan 25 21.

FOUND DEAD.—James E. Harvey, about 45 years of age, of Lockhartville, was found dead on the main post road, near Lockhartville, on Thursday evening. He was seen by some of his acquaintances, a short time before he was discovered, apparently quite well. Heart disease is the supposed cause. Coroner H. O. McLatchey held an inquest.

SAD ACCIDENT.—While Mr. Matthew Hood was tying his horse to a ring at the Methodist Church, Tryon, yesterday, he slipped on the pan of ice on which he was standing, and fell under the horse's fore feet. The horse reared and came down upon Mr. Hood's breast, fracturing the bone and inflicting injuries which the doctors fear may result fatally.

NOT TRUE.—It will please THE EXAMINER'S readers to know that there is no truth in the alarming report spread about town yesterday and this forenoon, to the effect that there was smallpox at St. Dunstan's College. It is true that several of the boys have been unwell, as a result, Dr. Jenkins thinks, of the coal gas they inhaled a few days ago, and it is true that some of the symptoms were like those of smallpox in its early stages. But no smallpox has been developed, the boys have never been so ill as to refuse their meals, and are quite lively to-day.

THE experiment which Messrs. Tuckett & Son entered upon when they commenced to make the "Myrtle Navy" tobacco was this: to give the people a tobacco of the very finest Virginia leaf at the smallest possible margin beyond its actual cost, in the hope that it would be so extensively bought as to remunerate them. By the end of three years the demand for it had grown so much as to give assurance that the experiment was within reach. The demand for it to-day is more than ten times greater than it was then, and it is still increasing. Success has been reached.

A Misapprehension Corrected.

SIR.—Mr. Hooper, in his card to the citizens, wherein he seeks re-election to the Mayoralty, takes credit to himself, that, during his term of office a considerable amount of debentures has been redeemed. I understand that he is using this argument freely in his canvass. It is a matter of regret that the worthy gentleman should labor under so grave a misapprehension. A reference to the Civic Accounts will establish the fact that during Mr. Hooper's term of office, debentures to the amount of \$2,900 were redeemed, and a new issue floated of \$20,500, so that the bonded debt of the city was \$17,600 greater when Mr. Hooper went out of office than when he came in. The figures speak for themselves. Yours, PUNCH.

DEED.

At his residence, "The Hill," on Sunday morning, the 24th inst., after a short illness, Peter Stewart DesBrisay, aged 74 years.

(The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, by sleighs to Sherwood Cemetery. Relatives and friends will please accept this intimation.)

At Calgary, N. W. T., on the 15th December, 1885, Julia, the beloved wife of L. P. W. DesBrisay, C. E.

At the residence of John Carroll, Sidney Street, Mary, the beloved wife of the late John Carroll, aged 77 years.

50 Lovely New Style of Chromo Cards, with name and prize for 10c. 12 packs, 12 names, for \$1. A sample pack and agent's outfit with illustrated catalogue of Tricks and Novelties, for 5c. stamp and this slip. A. W. KINNEY, Yarmouth, N. S.—mar

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Ch'town, Jan. 25, '86—1wk cod

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Charlottetown, Jan. 25, '86.

LECTURE.

St. James' Church Y. M. Society.

THE second Lecture of the course will be delivered in

ST. JAMES' HALL,

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 26th.

Rev. Jas. Carruthers

who will deliver a series of Lectures, entitled,

"A Summer Holiday Among Historical Places."

First Lecture: Edinburgh: Then and Now.

Chair taken at 8 o'clock. Admission, 10 Cents. Jan. 20, 1886.

To the Civic Electors of the City of Charlottetown:

—In compliance with the request of several hundred citizens, I consider it my duty to offer as a candidate for the Mayoralty of this city. I elected I shall administer the city affairs economically, and as a guarantee of my future actions I may mention that during my former occupancy of the Civic Chair, debentures to the amount of several thousand dollars were paid off, an occurrence which did not happen for many years previously.

In regard to a system of water supply, it is now generally conceded that a system of sewerage would sooner or later have to follow the introduction of water works. Any private company having the privilege of making profits from water works, in this city, should be required to construct sewerage, if, after proper investigation, it be found that water works would necessitate sewerage. Should a majority of the City Councilors deem it desirable to bring in a supply of pure water, for domestic as well as for fire purposes, without entailing any great additional taxation, I would approve of the same, provided the question were submitted to a meeting of the citizens for their consent. I am opposed to the unjust poll tax upon citizens over sixty years of age, and also upon all those who contribute to the city revenue through personal or property taxes, and shall endeavor to keep down taxation. I am in favor of every improvement and convenience for the health and comfort of my fellow citizens within the means of the tax payers; but to obtain them, I am not in favor of increasing the debenture debt, the interest on which already absorbs a large portion of our city revenue.

I shall pursue the same course in the future as in the past in regard to saving and expending the citizens' taxes without extravagance, and will otherwise, if elected, do all in my power to serve the best interests of the city.

I am, gentlemen, Your obedient servant, D. R. M. HOOPER.

Ch'town, Jan. 19, 1886

Charlottetown Cemetery Co.

THE Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of TUESDAY, the 2nd day of FEBRUARY, next, at the office of the Steam Navigation Co., corner of Great George and Lower Water Streets.

30 DAYS.

L. E. PROWSE requests a settlement of All Amounts due him within 30 days.

Amounts not paid will be handed over for collection.

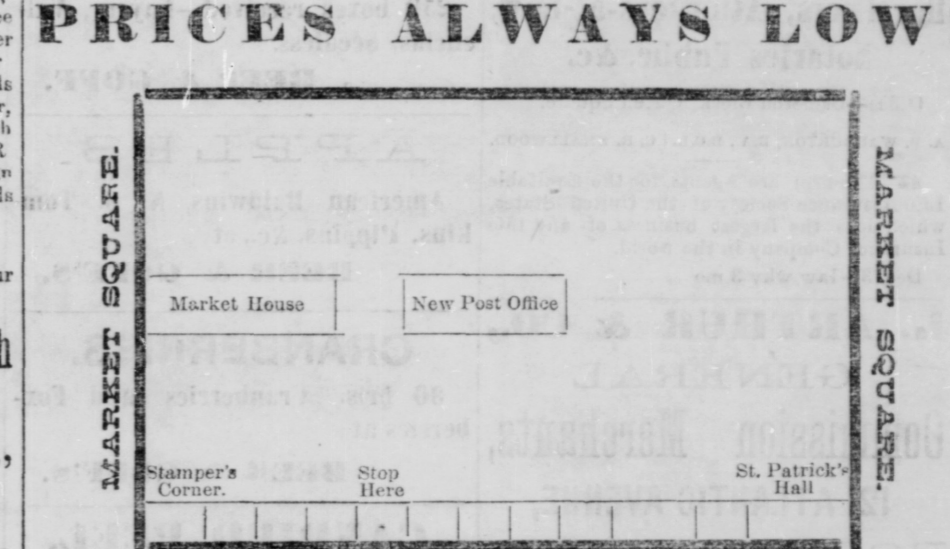
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Ch'town, Jan. 21, '86—cod wky

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This is a BONA FIDE SALE, as the stock must be disposed of during the next few months, and will present a Grand Opportunity to all buyers for Cash.

Our Wholesale Customers will be supplied on the usual Terms.

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