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Maritime Farmer.

FREDERICTON, N. B., January 17, 1883.

Exhibition Matters.

The unpleasant feeling in St. John over the preliminary arrangements for the Exhibition has seemingly subsided, or is very much abated, and the better spirit is on the ascendancy. It is certainly time for anything but jealousy or land feeling to disappear, and for the people of St. John and everywhere in the Province, to work harmoniously together to insure the success of the great Centennial and Dominion Show. An immense deal has to be done, as was shown at the meeting of the Citizens' Executive Committee last Thursday, for with the exception of the Finance and Building Committee, the other committees, the manufacturers, arts, agricultural had done nothing since the last meeting of the Executive Committee, on Nov. 11th, 1882. It is satisfactory to know that one decided step has been taken by the acceptance of E. J. Lawlor & Co's. tender for the new building. This building will be 200 ft. long by 80 ft., and annex, and the price is \$13,000, and the Messrs. Lawlor have commenced preparing work to carry out their contract. It is to be hoped that Thursday's meeting gave exhibition matters an impetus forward, and that the resolutions passed thereat, will pass into action. The manufacturers' committee will have to take steps at once to ascertain the mind of the manufacturers and mechanics on the question, whether money prizes or diplomas should be given. Considering the restricted amount of money at the disposal of the general management; the large amount that money prizes would take out of it for the whole manufacturers and mechanics list, which yet would give but a small unsatisfactory sum for each individual prize, and considering the preference shown by the parties most interested to diplomas, at the last Exhibition held at St. John, we can hardly suppose that the manufacturers and mechanics will do otherwise than reject the cash and decide on the written testimonials of merit.

Canadian Sentiment.

During the confederation contest some of the speakers grew excited at the vision of "a nation born in an hour" flashed before them, and many were inclined to laugh at the enthusiasm that pictured a young nation stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and its vast wilderness and waste places blossoming like the rose. An hour in a nation's life is a poetical license for two score years or so, and even before that period has elapsed Canada may be born and stand before the world an independent vigorous young nation. Certainly within less than a score of years, much has been done to bring about the realization of the vision. In 1865-6, the great Northwest to most people was an indefinite idea, an obscure howling wilderness. British Columbia, save for its gold fields, was little known or thought of, and the idea of connecting it by railroad with the confederated Provinces, and including it in the Dominion, seemed impossible of being realized in this century. Yet, in 1883, the obscure Northwest is the best known and most looked to region in the Dominion; the "iron horse" is passing rapidly over the prairies and making "kicking horses" pass in the Rockies, and before many years railway cars will be whirled east and west through the gap, and British Columbia and Ontario will be, in a few years less than a week's distance from each other.

Legitimist' Colonization.

There is no place, on this continent certainly, where conservatism ideas rule so strongly, as Quebec—city and province—the original French Canada. Founded and governed by members of the noblesse and religious orders of old France, their spirit, in spite of the great political and religious changes of the last century, and longer, still breathes in it. In old France there is a party imbued with the spirit of the founders of Canada, the Legitimists, who still recognize the right of the House of Bourbon to the Crown of France, and who reverence the Church, and who as a consequence hate the Republic. It appears that members of this party are apprehensive that France is on the eve of great political disturbances, which would certainly be accompanied by a financial crisis. Having lost faith in the stability of French institutions, political and monetary, many of them are looking towards Canada, especially Quebec, as a fine field for the investment of their funds, and even as a place of permanent abode. The famous, or notorious, M. Senecal has originated a colonization scheme, which his friends are confident will be a "gigantic success." Few people will believe this literally. It is said, however, whatever degree of truth may be in the statement, that "it is no speculative concern, but it is supported by some of the oldest and most wealthy families in France." It would be strange if at this day people of the class from which two hundred and fifty years ago came the governors and seigniors of Canada should emigrate to Quebec in large numbers. As they would be persons of some means, and without business or profession, they would revive the brilliancy of society, for which, according to Charlevoix, "the ancient capital" was noted; picturesque chateaux would spring up in the province, and the power and influence of the Church would increase. Quebec would then be less in accord with the rest of the Dominion than it is now. But we had better postpone further reflections until we hear more particulars of M. Senecal's Legitimist colonization scheme.

THE ENGLISH SYSTEM.

The enjoyment that a visit to Niagara Falls is calculated to give is spoiled by vulgar surroundings and irritating excursions. They are degraded to a show worked by hotel touts, guides, and hackmen. Earl Dufferin endeavored to rouse up the people of New York State and Canada to rescue the mighty cataract from the hands of the speculators, who make a vulgar show of it, but his project of an International Park fell through, chiefly owing to the enmity and differences of the New Yorkers. But his effort is going to be made to carry out his idea, or something like it, by a company formed in Ontario, and a bill for the purpose is now before the local legislature. The bill, if reasonable, should readily pass the House, and be approved of by the country at large. The Toronto Mail is in favor of the project, but holds that to make it generally acceptable private rights must be fully respected. That, of course, as the company are not mainly, or only moved by the desire "to provide some means of preserving the remains of such natural beauty, as to still render the surroundings of the Falls attractive, and as those who take shares in it will expect a dividend, the grandest object in nature on this continent will still remain a sight to be paid for; but it is to be hoped that the House will insist that the tariff of charges to see the various points of interest will be defined and moderate.

KIDNEY DISEASE.

Pain, Irritation, Retention, Incontinence, Dropsy, Gravel, &c., cured by "Bechu-paha." \$1.

Mutual Marriage Aid Association.

Such is the name of a concern which received a column of editorial in the Reporter of the 15th inst. Many expedients have been resorted to to advance the holy cause of matrimony. The columns of the press have been freely used; members of the stern sex unable to attain the height of felicity by the ordinary slow process of wooing and winning, and many of the female sex impatient at the backwardness of the men in coming forward to propose, have sought through the means of advertising, to meet with congenial partners. One advantage advertising has over the common course, male and female may unobtrusively describe their attractions and their charms, and with a little modesty set forth the tangible monetary advantages they look to obtain. Then bureaus are established which for a consideration expedite matrimonial alliances, but we never heard of any happy unions resulting from either means. The M. M. A. A. does not profess to bring people together for matrimonial purposes, only to aid them in acquiring something to begin married life with when they are so disposed. It is stated that we learn, in 1881, in Hamilton, Ontario, and a sub-branch has been established in New Brunswick. As far as we know, the names of the persons given to guarantee its respectability and sound financial basis, are good and sound; but, as our knowledge of them goes very little distance, we cannot say they are. In fact we cannot say anything for the Association or against it, for that matter. It strikes us though, that the benefits stated to be derived from the Association, are of proportion greater than the dues and assessments that the members are called on to pay, and it is not calculated to create trust, in an Association when it holds forth extraordinary incentives to induce people to become members of it. A correspondent who signs himself "For the Right," sends us a communication condemning the Association. He writes nothing but the best of motives to the Association, but he has probably been deceived, but thinks, that "in proportion to his faith in the Association is the need of a counteracting force." The following is his letter:—

I observe the Reporter of Saturday gives nearly a column to advertising a "Mutual Marriage Aid Association." I cannot conceive how a newspaper, which is so much respected by the Association, can advertise a concern, the sister societies of which have been ventilated and condemned long ago in the United States. No one can expect great benefits without a corresponding outlay, yet many forget this fact, till they are out of pocket forty or fifty dollars, perhaps more.

Many a girl by inhaling the so-called Aid Association's gas, has had her system blasted forever, while but few, it is safe to say, have ever experienced any great benefit from them. I hope the agent's efforts to rope in victims, may meet with the rebuffs they deserve.

Gambetta's Funeral.

Death has shown how great deep a hold on the affections of the people Gambetta had, the great patriot who loved France, and had faith in her destinies even when hope seemed to be in defiance of fortune. Never before did so vast a concourse of people join to greet the funeral procession of any great man of France, as that which followed and gazed on the catalogue bearing the body of Gambetta. From the immense demonstration made by his friends, sympathizers, and men of all parties, by the presence of deputations from all the departments of France, including one from the lost Provinces of Alsace and Lorraine and by the martial honors paid him, it might be thought that it was universal, but though they were not missed in the vast crowds, it is certain that many of his admirers held aloof and maintained silence. The procession, two miles long and made up of 200,000 persons, was three hours in reaching from the Palais Bourbon, the place of starting, to the Pere La Chaise Cemetery. The following is an account of a scene on its way:—

The streets of Strasbourg were covered with wreaths and a tricolor waved on its top. As the procession advanced towards this point a kind of shudder seemed to pass through the crowd. A formidable demonstration seemed about to be put on foot. From the cries of "Vive la Republique," "Vive la France," and even "Vive Gambetta," were raised by the crowds on the pavement, and echoed by the placards and banners presented to the special commissaries of police directed the ever-increasing mass of deputations, each anxious to secure a good position. From the Place des Invalides the scene presented was the strangest imaginable. Above the swaying mass of the crowds which covered it were banners, wreaths, and enormous masses of flowers borne on men's shoulders. In the Rue de L'Univers, from the Square up to the Esplanade, were deputations unable to find a standing place in the court of the Palais Bourbon. The whole front of this boulevard was lined with black, with large silver candelabras between the pillars, giving a greenish flame. The whole corps d'armee was drawn up, encircling the funeral cortege, and the Champs de Mars, the Elysees, Terrasse des Feuillants Bridge, and Rue Royale was one mass of flags all uncovered, stretching forward and motionless.

At the extreme corner were companies and cabs groaning under the weight of the spectators who crowded their roofs. On the railing of the Garden of the Tuilleries there were men, women or three or four being held in the attitude of torture, which they had occupied for several hours, while on the opposite side of the railing the narrow ledge swarmed with others clinging to the wall with one hand, the other being free waving flags. The windows in the Hotel Continental were hired at fabulous prices, even 30 guineas being mentioned. The crowd along the Rue de Valenciennes, the number of the Indian Contingent in Egypt, is now in the Highlands. He received a public reception and a sword of honor in Liverpool. Sir Herbert, who is a native of the county of Antrim, Ireland, was presented with the freedom of the borough of Liverpool on his return from the Afghan campaign.

THE NATAL WITNESS.

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THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The British and Foreign Bible Society had issued during the past year of Bibles, testaments, and portions, about 10,000,000 a total of 2,395,000; and from a organization in 1874, \$3,053,000. Add to this the Bibles of the National Society of the Islands, 408,775, and those of the American Bible Society, 1,234,777, and we have a total issue for the past year, by four great societies, of 4,080,224 copies.

THE JAPAN MAIL.

Christianity is considered as an infectious epidemic by the people of Japan. It is said that the missionaries of Noto, who firmly believe that anyone even treading in the footsteps of a missionary will be tainted with the foreign belief. This when a French missionary refused to give him food or lodging, and he was obliged to apply to the police for help. So the priest called their followers together, and agreed that they would kill the obnoxious foreigner if he stayed, taking an oath to communicate all who violated the agreement. The missionary retreated.

THE MARRIAGE MARKET.

London has a large population in many a European State with a sovereign and a Parliament. At the census of 1881 the area of metropolitan taxation and police control of 4,702,112 persons. What a large population in London more than double the number of people in Denmark, including Greenland nearly three times as many as in Greece more than eighteen times as many as in Portugal, including the Azores and Madeira nearly triple the population of Serbia; more than double that of Belgium, more than Sweden or Norway or Switzerland.

THE MARRIAGE MARKET.

Many people are not aware that it is the wrapper of tobacco which gives the color to the plug, and are, therefore, often deceived by a handsome wrapper. Lady Helen Black-wraper is a single film of dead wrapped round the plug, and is never good smoking tobacco. It is costly only because of its fine color. In the Myrtle Starry brand the chief attention is paid to the "filler," that is the inside of the plug. It is this which determines the smoking tobacco. A tobacco can be made to look as well as the Myrtle Starry without much trouble or expense, but accompanied by languor, chilliness, and a feeling of general discomfort, with distaste for food, which sometimes approaches to nausea, can be completely removed in about ten minutes by a two-grain dose of iodine of potassium dissolved in half a wineglassful of water, this being sipped so that the whole quantity may be consumed in about ten minutes.

THE BEST POLICY.

Regarding insurance policies against accidents, it is a good policy to have at hand a bottle of that invaluable medicine for internal and external use—Hayward's Yellow Oil. It is as the above could hardly fail to prove the deepest admiration for the Council.

THE MARRIAGE MARKET.

When the hops in each bottle of Hop Bitters (at the present price, \$1.25 per lb.) cost more than a bottle is sold for, besides the cost of the medicine, and the quality and price are kept the same, it is a fair and honest and liberal in the proprietors, and no one should complain, or buy or use worthless stuff, or cheating bogus imitations because the price is less.

THE MARRIAGE MARKET.

A Summary of the mercantile failures in the United States and Canada, shows that so far this year there were 7,574 disasters, against 5,929 in 1881, being an increase of 1,645 over the record of last year.

CURRENT COIN.

Rev. Dr. O'Brien the R. C. Archbishop elect of the diocese of Halifax, is to be consecrated at St. Mary's Cathedral next Sunday. A year's Hair Vigor prevents the hair from turning gray, and restores gray hair to its original color. Try it!

Remember \$1 will secure the MARRIAGE MARKET for one year, and also a copy of Dr. Kendall's celebrated book on the "Horse and his Diseases."

THE MARRIAGE MARKET.

The five tallest Ottawa men are said to be as follows:—Donald Fraser, 6 feet 2 inches; John Grant, 6 feet 3 inches; Richard Morely, 6 feet 4 inches; and Richard Prindiville, 6 feet 5 inches.

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It acts directly upon the stomach, liver and kidneys in a remarkable manner. ZEPES is only appreciated by those who have tried it. Every bottle warranted to cure Dyspepsia.

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A watchmaker of Middlebury, Conn., has manufactured a clock which, striking, carries out a representation of Garfield's assassination. Guiteau fires; the President falls. The scene shifts. A funeral service is represented; suddenly the door opens and reveals Guiteau on the gallows.

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A REGENT EXECUTION.

Michael O'Rourke pays the last Penalty. At Milton, Ontario, on the 5th inst., Michael O'Rourke was hanged for the brutal murder of an old man and his daughter a few months previous. The execution is thus graphically described in the Toronto Mail:—

Black, cold, and dreary the little town of Milton lay beneath the covering of snow. All night long the white flakes had been slowly falling themselves up on roof and pavement, whilst a strong east wind whisked the snow-drifts along the roads and sidewalks. The goal—a dreary looking pile at best—stood drearily still beneath the leaden sky. The small iron-barred windows in the cell cooled behind the snow, which drifted up against them and rested upon the broad stone sills. A light glimmered in one of the windows on the south side, revealing the corridor in which sat Michael O'Rourke, the murderer. All chance of reprieve was past, and there sat waiting the passage of the next hour or two which would end his misery.

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