

We are happy to have it in our power to acknowledge the receipt of the missing numbers of our esteemed contemporary The Guardian of St. Louis.

THE "GAZETTE."—We have to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the first number of a new Catholic paper at Charleston, S.C.

L'EVENEMENT.—Under this title, the French periodical press of Lower Canada has received an accession to its numbers.

He will be Independent, Conservative, and Catholic. He accepts the new Union, called Confederation, as meritable under the circumstances in which we find ourselves.

BLACKWOOD'S EDINBURGH MAGAZINE—April, 1867. Messrs. Dawson Bros., Montreal.

The articles in the current number are all excellent, and of more than average interest. The first is a parallel betwixt Mary and her murderer Elizabeth.

The other articles are on the following subjects:—The Moral and Political Revolution in Japan—The Army—Manhood Suffrage, and the Ballot in America—A Letter Never Sent—Brownlow, Part IV.—The Ministers and their Measure.

ANNUAL VISIT AND EXAMINATION AT THE CHRISTIAN BROTHERS SCHOOL, KINGSTON.

The Rev. Provincial Visitor, Brother Lagour, held his yearly examination at the above schools on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday last.

Youth being the season when the seeds of piety and learning, easily take root in the tender mind, nothing is of more vital importance to the rising generation than an early inculcation of those principles.

The Catholic Church, the mistress of education, never fails to make religion the foundation of all knowledge; thereby preparing youthful minds to become ornaments to society.

An entire forenoon was devoted to this, and the creditable answering during that time, proved beyond doubt that they were well instructed in the teachings of their holy religion.

For the following three days he examined the boys on the different branches taught in this excellent institution. English Grammar underwent a long and searching examination.

very interesting. Mensuration, Arithmetic, Book-Keeping, Practical Geometry, Surveying, and Astronomy followed. The quick and easy manner in which the many and difficult problems put in the above branches were answered, very much astonished the Provincial Visitor.

The Catholics of Kingston may well be proud of their educational institutions; and the parents must feel that, under the fostering and kind instructions of good Brother Arnold and his assistants, the religious and literary education of their children is in a safe keeping.

The Very Rev. Vicar General made a few remarks, congratulating the boys on the success of their examination. The Rev. Provincial Visitor also spoke in the highest terms of admiration, of the high order of education taught in the Kingston School.

Thus ended an examination which will be long remembered by the boys attending the Christian Schools of Kingston.

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT BY THE ST. ANN'S BAND.

The last of the series of concerts by the St. Ann's Band came off in the Mechanics' Hall last evening. A very large audience was present. The programme was judiciously selected and the repeated applause of those present showed their appreciation of the efforts of the contributors to the entertainment.

Rev. Mr. O'Farrell, who was received with loud applause, addressed the audience. He had to thank them very much for the encouragement which they had given the little children, as well as himself in promoting a taste for music amongst them.

Mr. Mayerhoffer presided with his usual ability at the piano.—Mont. Herald, 10th inst.

THE CHAUDIERRE GOLD MINES.—Since last fall immense quantities of gold have been washed from the bed of the Gilbert river, and amongst it three large nuggets which California cannot surpass.

CANADIAN BUTTER.—Writing on this subject subject, the London (C.W.) Prototype says:—As the time of year has now arrived, when butter making is about to commence, we would again urge those putting up this article, whether for local consumption or exportation, to use the utmost care in so doing.

Such is the repute of Canadian butter in Europe generally, and unless something is done to raise the standard of this article this summer, we fear the trade will be lost to us; or at least prices, in proportion to the quality, will have to be paid, and this, we regret to say, is in most cases very low.

It is probable the Queen's proclamation, creating the Dominion of Canada, and appointing the members of the Senate, will be issued in about three weeks, and that the Act will take effect the first week in July when Lord Monck will be sworn in as the 1st Viceroy or Governor General.

Then will follow the appointment of Privy Counsellors and Lieutenant-Governors, and the general organization of the departments of the Confederate and Local Governments. It is supposed the elections can hardly take place before August or September.

Irish people regarded this as a fundamental question. They only wished to be educated according to their own conscience; but their schools had been destroyed and Catholic Universities could not grant degrees. Was this justice or fair play and a mere sentimental grievance? What was the great national system of education? Was it not un-Irish? No boy could learn the history of Ireland; they might learn that of every other country but their own.

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Provencher walked firm and erect to the scaffold, betraying no signs of emotion. Before he ascended the scaffold he requested the executioner to put the rope as loosely as possible around his neck until he had received the last rites of the Church.

A report has been circulated that an attempt would be made by the people to destroy the gallows, as they objected to have the execution take place there, is untrue. The immense concourse was orderly and quiet.

A PIG CROWD.—There are some savoury localities in the city, and one of these is in St. Mary street, where in a close narrow yard are six pigs in a filthy pen—so filthy a pen as ever swine born used—the filth polluting the atmosphere for yards round.

DISGRACEFUL, IF TRUE.—It is rumoured that there is a man down at Hochelaga who keeps somewhere about 60 pigs, for which he purchases diseased horses and other delicacies of like description. Eighteen diseased artillery horses are stated to have found a peaceful grave in the stomachs of these pampered porkers.

THE FALLY WHEAT CROP OF ONTARIO.—The writer has lately had an opportunity of the seeing some of the best wheat-producing districts of the western province, and has no hesitation in saying that the winter wheat escaped with less damage from the rigors of our climate.

At Bath, C.W., on the 6th inst., the wife of Mr. P. T. McManus, Engineer, of a son.

At Point St. Charles, on the 7th inst., Mary Ann Schneider, beloved wife of James Rogers, aged 26 years 5 months and 24 days. May her soul rest in peace.

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A despatch from Quebec states that Mr. Bouthillier will retire from the representation of Gaspe in the next Parliament, and that a requisition signed by the principal inhabitants of the constituency will shortly be presented to Captain Fortin, the Stipendiary Magistrate in charge of the Fisheries of the Gulf.

ACCORDANT TO THE "GACETIN."—We regret to learn that the "Grecian," one of the Island Navigation Company's finest steamers, struck a rock while shooting the Lachine Rapids yesterday afternoon, and filled so rapidly that it was found necessary to ground her. There are about forty passengers on board, for whom a steamer under charge of Capt. Farrell, will be despatched this morning.

NEARLY AN ACCIDENT.—The steamer "Salaberry," on her last Monday's trip, adopted the somewhat unusual method of running the Cedar Rapids stern foremost. It seems that a dense fog rolled down on her when within a few yards of the "pitch," completely blinding the landmarks and making it impossible for the pilot to follow the channel with any certainty.

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ACADEMIC HALL, BLEURY STREET, TUESDAY, the 28th of MAY, 1867.

CARDINAL WISEMAN'S DRAMA "THE HIDDEN GEM" will be enacted by the ENGLISH ACADEMY OF ST. MARY'S COLLEGE. By kind permission of Major the Hon. S. Mostyn and Officers, the Band of the Royal Welch Fusiliers will be present.

A BAZAAR

UNDER the patronage of several Ladies, for the benefit of the CHURCH OF THE GESU, will be Opened in the commencement of the month of JUNE in the Hall under the same Church. Donations for this object will be gratefully received.

WANTED, BY a young Lady, provided with a Diploma from the Normal School, capable of teaching both languages; a Situation as TEACHER. Address, (if by letter post paid) to Sec-Treasurer of Schools, Orsigs Road, St. Sylvester. St. Sylvester, April 5, 1867.

THE NEW MONTH OF MARY;

REFLECTIONS FOR EACH DAY OF THE MONTH on the different titles applied to the Holy Mother of God in the Litany of Loretto. Principally designed for the Month of May. By the Very Rev. P. R. KERRICK. Price 50 cents. D. & J. SADIER, Montreal.

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Chamber Sets from \$20 to \$300, some of which are entirely new patterns, with a full Stock of every article of Furniture in general use; with 12,000 to 15,000 Cane and Wood Seat Chairs, of 0 different patterns, constantly on hand for the Wholesale Trade, and many Wood Seat Chairs, from 30 cents to \$100; Cane Seats from \$1 to \$7.

To enumerate my Stock and prices would require such space in City papers, that the small profits at which I have marked my Goods this Spring would not afford to pay; but by following up any old motto of quick sales and light profits, I hope to avoid for the future, as I have in the past, the evil of allowing either Stock or Bills payable to accumulate, which would make a periodical sales and sacrifices necessary, although many pay much higher prices for Furniture at auction than they can buy the same styles and vastly better Goods than are generally sold at auction from me or others in the Trade who do a straight-forward, legitimate business, and put on only such profits as will enable them to give an honest article for an honest price, and to pay one hundred cents to the dollar, with a strictly close application to business.

Such a course at least I have found it necessary to adopt and follow, and am aptly to acknowledge the benefits of such a course by an increase of at least fifty per cent to my business yearly, but especially since my removal to my new premises, where I am to be found constantly during business hours to meet the wants of my Customers, and am rewarded by their acknowledgments of the advantages of purchasing their Furniture at least 10 per cent lower at Nos. 7, 9 and 11 St. Joseph Street, sign of the great Eastern Rocking Chair, Wholesale and Retail Chair and Furniture Warehouse.

All goods warranted to be as represented: if not, they can be returned and money refunded. Terms:—Under \$100, strictly Cash; \$100 to \$500, 3 to 4 months; \$500 to \$1000, 4 to 6 months, by furnishing satisfactory endorsed notes if required. OWEN MCGARVEY, PROPRIETOR.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

In the matter of JOSEPH LEGUYER, Trader, St. Antoine L'Abbe, C.E., Insolvent.

THE Creditors of the Insolvent are notified to meet at the office of the undersigned Assignee, No. 18 St. Sacrament Street in the City of Montreal, on Tuesday the Twenty-Eight day of May, instant, at Four o'clock, P.M., for the Public Examination of the Insolvent, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally. The Insolvent is hereby requested to attend. T. SAUVAGEAU, Official Assignee, 2w. Montreal, 10th of May, 1867.

COLLEGE OF REGIOPOLIS KINGSTON O.W.,

Under the Immediate Supervision of the Rt. Rev. E. J. Horan, Bishop of Kingston.

THE above Institution, situated in one of the most agreeable and healthful parts of Kingston, is now completely reorganized. Able Teachers have been provided for the various departments. The object of the Institution is to impart a good and solid education in the fullest sense of the word. The health, morals, and manners of the pupils will be an object of constant attention. The Course of instruction will include a complete Classical and Commercial Education. Particular attention will be given to the French and English languages. A large and well selected Library will be OPEN to the Pupils.

TERMS: Board and Tuition \$100 per Annum (payable half yearly in Advance). Use of Library during stay, \$2. The Annual Session commences on the 1st of September, and ends on the First Thursday of July July 21st 1867.