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## EDITORIAL.

Our paper has been fairly started, and we feel greatly encouraged by the hearty approval it has met with from most of its readers. Of course, at present it is rather small and high-priced, but please remember this is only the starting point. As soon as we get a few more subscribers we will be able to enlarge it and also reduce the price. Our thanks are due to those who have kindly helped us with their subscriptions and advertisements.

### Schools in Newfoundland.

The schools in Newfoundland are denominational, and the clergyman of the district is chairman of the school board of his own church, with four other gentlemen. They form a committee. There are three superintendents of education, who are also ministers. These make a yearly circuit around the island to visit and examine the schools of their respective denominations. The time spent in each school must necessarily be short.

The examination is often very unsatisfactory to both the teachers and scholars.

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### Keep Your Promises.

There are many people who will promise anything you ask of them, but make a small matter of keeping their promises. They enter into engagements with you to do this or that, to meet or call on you at a certain time, or to do some favor for you and utterly fail to fulfil their engagements. It is a noble thing when we find one whose promises we are as sure of as the rising of the sun; whose simplest word is as good as his oath; who does just what he says he will do at the moment he says he will do it. That is the kind of faithfulness God wants.—[Progress.]

The largest stamp collector in the world is Philip La Renstreu von Serrary, son of the Duchess of Galena.—]Stamp Collector Souvenir.