

Local and Other Items.

THE STYLE.—This monthly for December is at the Diamond Bookstore.

EXPECTED.—The steamer M. A. Starr is expected to arrive here this evening.

POTATOES AND OATS.—The News reports that Island potatoes are selling at Pictou at 25 cents, and oats at 35 cents.

THE HALIFAX.—The Halifax Herald of yesterday says: The steamer Halifax arrived last night from P. E. Island, having been detained by fog. She will sail this morning at nine o'clock for Boston.

INSANE.—A countryman named McNeill, who has been out of his mind for some time past, and who was given in charge of the police this forenoon, was removed to the Hospital for the insane this afternoon.

A GOOD INCREASE.—The sale of the Dominion lands in the Northwest for the year ending Oct. 31st, has been greatly in excess of last year, noticeably in the last three months of the year, which show an increase of forty-two thousand dollars.

ASSIGNED.—A St. John, N. B., despatch says that McCafferty & Daly, King Street dry goods men, have assigned to Robert Harrower, agent for English dealers. In 1887 they executed a bill of sale for \$18,500 in favor of their English creditors.

OBITUARY.—We chronicle to-day, with regret, the death of the wife of Sergeant Major John Allen, Keeper of the Poor House, which occurred this morning, after three days illness of heart disease. Mrs. Allen was a native of Brookfield, and was well and favorably known.

WATER TEST.—This afternoon the hose was attached to a hydrant near the new city building, and the water was easily thrown to the top of the bell in the tower. Afterwards a stream was thrown several feet higher than Welsh & Owen's brick building on Lower Queen Street, the hose being attached to a hydrant in the neighborhood.

PRIVATE.—The Halifax Herald of yesterday says: The conference between Consul General Phelan and the U. S. Consuls of the Maritime Provinces, on Thursday, was of a private nature. There was a general interchange of ideas and the gathering will doubtless result in much good in the future performance of the duties of Consul.

THE HEAVENLY SUMMONS.—Mr. Read's sermon on death—as reported by Mr. Oxenham and published in THE EXAMINER to-day—is appropriate for Advent Sunday. The topic of the discourse is one of the most interesting in life; and in view of recent sudden bereavements the sermon will, no doubt, be read attentively by many persons.

VALUABLE PURCHASE.—Save the Pictou News: Messrs. Pope Bros. have just purchased from Hon. Donald Ferguson, East River, P. E. I., a fine short-horn bull-calf, thorough-bred, named "Duffin." The animal was purchased for Mr. John McCara, of Plainfield. Mr. McCara deserves credit for his efforts to improve the stock in his vicinity.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.—The anniversary services of the Methodist Missionary Society will be held early this month. Sermons will be preached in both churches on Sunday, the 9th inst., and the meetings will be held in the Brick Church on Monday evening, the 10th, and in the Second Church on Tuesday evening, the 11th inst. The committee have provided an attractive programme for the occasion.

FELL OVER THE WHARF.—An Indian who has been soliciting charity about the city for some time past, got full of overloading of that which "makes glad come," yesterday evening, and tumbled over the Ferry wharf into the water. He was fished out with considerable trouble, and the police took him to the station where, after drying his clothes, he was permitted to remain over night. This morning he was released. It would be well for people to be careful about giving money to Indians who spend it for liquor.

THE WORCESTER.—The steamer Worcester, Capt. Nickerson, arrived from Boston, via intermediate ports, this afternoon, and is now discharging at Pownal wharf. Her cargo consisted of 4000 packages merchandise. The passengers for this port were: P. Foley, Miss A. Martin, Miss J. Ross, Miss McWade, Mr. A. Downey, Mr. William DeCourcy, Mr. H. DeCourcy, Miss Christie McDonald, Mr. J. Hennessey, Mr. F. McCarthy, Mr. J. Stephenson, Mr. A. McKenzie and Mrs. Gardner.

JACK THE RIPPER.—When the wife of Baker Jos. Cloran of McCord Street, Montreal, awoke a few mornings ago she found a man lying on the sofa in the sitting room. She hastened to the telephone to summon the police and then demanded the man's business in her house. He suddenly jumped up and drawing a large knife from his hip pocket, remarked: "I am Jack the Ripper, and if you don't keep quiet I'll silence you." Hearing a noise on the front stair the individual rushed through a rear door and escaped just as four policemen entered the house.

CARD.—The President and members of the Y. M. C. A. tender their sincere thanks to the President, Secretary and members of the Bazar Committee and the ladies assisting them, who by their united effort made the Bazar in aid of the Y. M. C. A. so successful. The thanks of the Association are also extended to THE EXAMINER and Patriot, the St. Peter's Boys' Band, and to the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly contribute to the Tea and Bazar. The ladies' committee of the Y. M. C. A. Bazar are requested to meet on Monday afternoon next at 3.30, in the upper parlor of the Association.

GOSSIP MEETINGS.—Remember the Railway Gospel meeting held every Sunday at 4 p. m., in McLeod's Hall. Strangers always welcome. Lesson for to-morrow: Hebrews 12-1, "Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus."

The usual Sunday afternoon gospel service will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Lesson taken from the 1st Psalm. Every person is invited.

THE VOTE CAST.—As near as can be at present ascertained the total popular vote in the recent United States presidential election was 11,287,825. Of this vote Cleveland electors got 5,699,990 and Harrison electors 5,400,491. So that Harrison will be President of the Republic, though he actually got 79,459 less votes than Cleveland. That is the way the United States constitution provides for "government by the people."

The people vote one way, and the constitution decides the other. The total "scattering" vote, among prohibitionists, labor reformers, woman rights, etc., etc., only amounted to 225,344 altogether, or about 2 per cent of the total vote.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

Ottawa News Notes.

OTTAWA, Nov. 30.

As previously intimated Messrs. Price, Rodier and Drummond have been called to the Senate.

An automatic whistling buoy has been placed Southwest of Bantam Creek on the eastern side of the entrance to Parrington Bay.

Marine notices are given of the discovery of a shoal off Escuminac Point, and of the non-existence of supposed banks southward of Cape St. Mary, Newfoundland.

Notice is given that application will be made to incorporate the Prince Edward Island and Continental Railway and Ferry Co., to construct a line of railway from Buctouche to Kingston and Richibucto, to establish a railway and passenger ferry connecting with the P. E. I. railway.

The imports for October show an increase of a million dollars over the same month last year.

The customs duty for the first four months of the present fiscal year exceed the same period last year by \$650,000. The exports for October are half a million dollars in excess of the same month last year.

The Parnell Commission.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

At the meeting of the Parnell Commission to-day, Sir Charles Russell, counsel for the Parnellites, asked the opinion of the bench upon the propriety of a placard which had been posted, calling a public meeting to hear addresses by a man named Mitchell and Nora Fitzmaurice, who had appeared as witnesses for the defence before the Commission. Presiding Justice Hannen said the placard was unjustifiable. He would serve a notice on the firm which published it.

Land agent Hussey testified that tenants paid their rents secretly or did not pay them at all, because they were afraid of being shot. He said there were no moonlighters, secret societies, or outrages in County Kerry before the League was formed.

St. Andrew's as a Terminal Point.

ST. ANDREW'S, N. B., Nov. 30.

Mr. McPherson, of the Maine Central, and Mr. McNeill, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived to-day. They were met at the depot by Mr. T. M. Horton, Manager for the land company, and were driven to different points of vantage in and near the town. Mr. McNeill, who is preparing a guide in connection with the Canadian Pacific, expressed himself very strongly to your correspondent as to the unlimited and strong points St. Andrew's presents for the consideration of the railways throughout Canada as a terminal point. They say its fine bay is a harbor not equalled on the American Continent. They left by special train at 8 o'clock.

Steamer Sunk.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 30.

The British steamer Napier arrived to-day from New York with the captain and crew of the British steamer Domingo, abandoned sinking in lat. 33.86, long. 73.48. The Domingo was from St. Jago, Cuba, for Philadelphia, with iron ore. She sailed on the 18th. On the 22nd she encountered a gale which lasted three days, and when abandoned she had eight feet of water in the hold and sank shortly after.

The Berne Convention.

MONTREAL, Nov. 30.

At a meeting of Toronto and Montreal publishers and paper makers held to-day, it was unanimously decided to support an agitation against Canada's entry into the Berne Convention.

Queensland's Governor.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

The Government announced in the Commons this afternoon that Sir Henry Norman had been appointed to the Governorship of Queensland.

Through the Ice Belt.

QUEBEC, Nov. 30.

The str. Pomeranian passed onward at L'Islet at 10.40 p. m., proceeding at full speed. She has got through the ice belt.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Dec. 1.—10 a. m.

Moderate west and southwest winds; mostly fair; not much change in temperature.

The time for receiving tenders for Mr. McPhail's houses has been extended to Thursday, 6th December, at noon. 2i—nov30

LECTURE.—Rev. J. M. McLeod, of Charlottetown, will lecture in the Town Hall, Georgetown, on Tuesday, 4th Dec. Subject: "A trip to the Pacific." nov28 3i

A WAIL FROM PICTOU.—Reports from many sections in Pictou County tell of an enormous increase in drinking. On Sunday, one of the speakers of the Y. M. C. A. meeting made the astounding statement that he saw more drunkenness in the town of Pictou during 15 minutes last Saturday evening than in a whole week in the great city of New York. Christian men and women of Pictou, what do you think of that?—Standard.

HE LOST HIS MONEY.—An unwise Cincinnati wagon driver, who followed the advice of a fortune teller and left the lid of his trunk open over night, next morning discovered that all his savings, \$140, had been carried off. He didn't lose faith in the fortune teller, however. He again visited her and, upon paying fifty cents, she cheered him up by telling him to re-open the trunk and the stolen money would be returned within twenty-four hours. He opened the trunk, but the lost money failed to put in an appearance.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. 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. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. [April 1 '88.

Personal.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau's health is still very unsatisfactory, and he has been urged by friends to go again to consult his physicians in Paris, whose previous treatment had a most beneficial effect.

The friends of Mrs. General Sheridan are raising a fund of \$100,000 for her, as the estate left by her husband will yield but a small income. Among the contributors to the fund is Vice-President-elect Morton.

Lord Tennyson's dangerous attack of rheumatic fever was brought on by his obstinate persistency in walking two hours daily, in the open air, regardless of the weather. The exposure came near terminating the poet's career, but he is now much better.

When, from any cause, the digestive and secretory organs become disordered, they may be stimulated to healthy action by the use of Ayer's Cathartic Pills. These pills are prescribed by the best physicians, and are for sale at all the drug stores.

Our Advertisers To-day.

Mr. Theo. L. Chappelle calls attention to the grand stock of Christmas presents he has on exhibition at the Diamond Bookstore and Bazaar. His is the oldest establishment of the kind in the city and perfect satisfaction is guaranteed.

All those heating and itching humors of the scalp, so troublesome to many persons, are effectually cured by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. If not attended to in time, these diseases are very liable to result in loss of the hair.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

HOTEL DAVIES. Nov 30—James Barker, Milwaukee; Thomas Pidgeon, J. F. Black, Montreal.

OSBORNE HOUSE. Nov 30—W. A. Pidgeon, Kensington; W. Staples, S. Side; A. M. Brown, Stanley; W. M. Murray, Moncton; J. A. Mutch, C. P. Match, Marie; N. Campbell, North Wiltshire.

DIED.

At Brighton Road, on the 1st inst., of heart disease, Ruppertia Allen, aged 55 years, the beloved wife of Sergeant-Major John Allen. [The funeral leaves the house at 1.30 p. m., on Monday, 3rd inst., thence via train, to Colville station, thence to Brookfield Cemetery.] (New Brunswick papers please copy.)

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M. STEVENSON Hereby desires to inform the public that he is prepared to attend to all

GASFITTING WORK,

—AND THE— Fixing of Hot and Cold Water Pipes in Houses, and Plumbing of all descriptions.

All work done by him will be first-class. ALSO, IN STORE—A large supply of TINWARE, STOVEPIPE, COAL HODS, etc. All orders carefully and promptly attended to. M. STEVENSON, Queen Street. nov29—dy 1w then ced 2m

P. E. ISLAND RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

COMMENCING ON MONDAY December 3rd, prox., and continuing until close of navigation at Summerside, a Special Passenger Train will leave Charlottetown at 5 a. m. daily (Sundays excepted) for Summerside, connecting there with Steamer for Point du Chene; returning will leave Summerside on arrival of steamer from Point du Chene. J. UNSWORTH, Superintendent. Railway Office, Ch'town, Nov. 29, 1888. nov29—6i why pres ft

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

WANTED.—A young man of fair education about seventeen years of age, to learn the business of Druggist and Dispensing Chemist. Apply by letter to THE EXAMINER office.

WANTED.—A Girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. W. WELLER, Prince Street. 3i—dec1

WANTED.—A Servant for general housework in a small family. No washing. Apply at this office. dy 4i—dec1

TO LET.—The rooms lately in the occupation of Dr. S. R. Jenkins, in the City Hotel, on Great George Street. They are adapted for a lawyer's office, Surgery or dental rooms. Possession can be given at once. For terms apply to Messrs. Wainwright & Jamieson, Solicitors, nov29

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Follow the crowd and you will be led to PROWSE'S Store. He does the Biggest Clothing Business on P. E. Island.

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November 22, 1888—cod & wky

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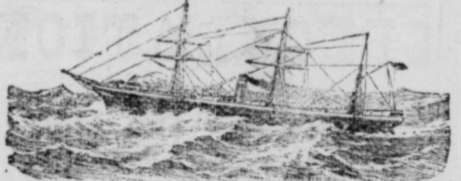
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If you want a good Coat, in Quality and Fit, and at the same time save a Dollar or more in the price, the place to buy is at

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Charlottetown, November 28, 1888—dy & wky

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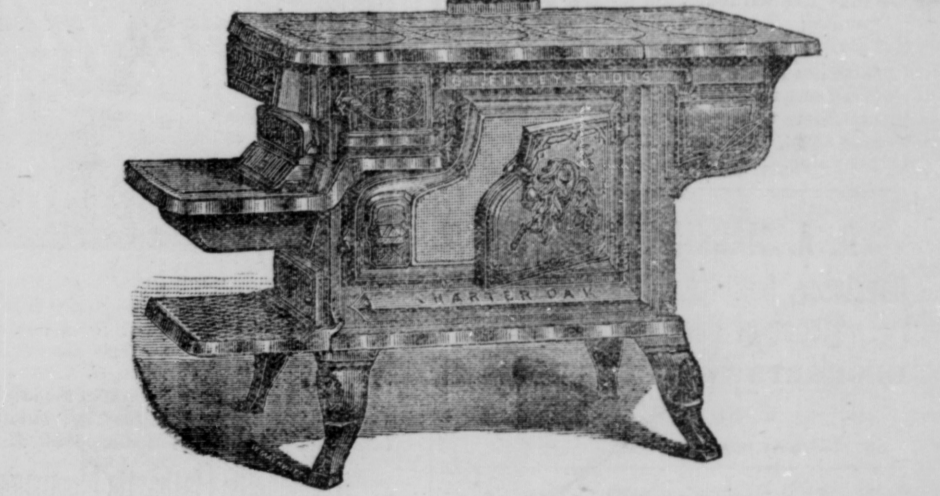
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