

Local and Other Items.

CITY COUNCIL.—Regular monthly meeting tonight.
By the Way.—Why has a plankway never been laid in front of the Bishop's Palace, Great George Street?
EASILY PLEASED.—A London despatch of the 9th says: "John L. Sullivan boxed with Jack Ashton in the presence of the Prince of Wales to-night. He was introduced to the Prince, who expressed himself as being delighted."

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TEMPERANCE.—Victoria Division meeting to-night.
I. O. O. F.—St. Lawrence Lodge holds its regular session for nomination of officers to-night.
THE WEATHER.—We are just now being treated to an overdose of what an esteemed contemporary would call "wet rain."

BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AT WATSON'S

Y. M. C. A.
THE Anniversary Meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. HALL, Monday, the 12th Instant.

JUST OPENED, NEW VARIETY STORE,

A LARGE assortment of Goods, suitable for Xmas and New Year's Presents. Below we enumerate a few of the many articles in store: Ladies Dressing Cases, Checkers Boards, Ladies Wash Purses, Scissors, Push Albums, Hair Oil, Card Cases, Mirrors, Inkstands, Autograph Albums, Toy Pistols, Picture Frames, Yaws, Children's Tea Sets, Soaps (fancy), Unbreakable Dolls, Penknives, Writing Paper, Envelopes, Toys, Pens, Jack-in-the-Box, Mouth Organs, China Cups & Saucers, Confectionery, Nuts, Raisins, Apples, Tin Buckets, Jew's Harps, Masks, Brooches, Tin Pints, Toothbrushes, Blacking.

"GLIMPSES OF GAY PARIS."—This was the subject of a lecture delivered in Centenary Church Schoolroom, St. John, N. B., on Thursday evening by Rev. Ralph Brecken. There was a large audience present, who thoroughly appreciated the rev. gentleman's eloquent discourse.

ONE FARE.—We understand that acting Superintendent Unsworth has made arrangements whereby students and others attending the complimentary dinner to Professor Anderson on Thursday, 15th inst., may obtain tickets for one single fare, good on the 14th and 15th up to the 16th and 17th.

NEW BAKERY.—The new bakery now being erected by Mr. Knight, of Charlottetown, at the St. George's street railway crossing, is approaching completion. It is a wooden building, two stories high, with a flat roof. The front of the ground flat will be occupied as a store.—Moncton Transcript.

THE STEAMERS.—The St. Lawrence left for Pictou yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. She will go immediately on the slip for extensive repairs, remaining there all winter.

THE HEATHER BELL went to Pictou to-day with mails and passengers and will return to-night.

THE M. A. STARR arrived from Halifax yesterday afternoon.

PRECOCIOUS.—Yesterday white the Salvation Army were parading Kent Street and singing their favorite melody "Happy Day," a horse on being driven past manifested much emotion. A five-year horse looking first at the Army and then at the excited band, exclaimed: "They would not have a happy day if jackass ponies ran away."

THE CAPTAIN'S SCHOONER.—On Friday morning, says the Halifax Herald, the capsize schooner Minnie D. was righted, and the steam tug A. C. Whitney set to work in the afternoon to pump her out, which was done in about two hours. The trunk belonging to the captain, which contained about \$300, is missing, having no doubt floated out of the cabin. The vessel was cleared by the hand pumps. A large part of her cargo of oats and potatoes yet remains in the hold, but is, of course, thoroughly soaked.

THE DOUTNEY'S SUCCESS.—Says the Chronicle: "During Mr. Doutney's temperance crusade in Quebec, he has succeeded in inducing 532 persons to take the pledge. At each signer went forward to the platform of his own or her own accord, and signed the pledge in the full view of the audience, at Mr. Doutney's meetings, the number should really weigh more than if the signatures had been obtained by passing papers among the people. Mr. and Mrs. Doutney are resting in Burlington, Vermont, before resuming their campaign in Canada again."

WHERE WERE THE POLICE?—On Friday last two knights of the wax-end had a dispute on Market Square over some little misunderstanding between them. One accused the other of making statements which he was afraid to back up at the proper time. The other denied making the statements in question. The arguments waxed warm and ended without any bloodshed. A goodly number of people witnessed the "jawing-match." It may not be amiss to enquire where the police were while this affair was going on.

A PLUCKY CAPTAIN.—Capt. Charles Gay, of Souris, who owns and runs a schooner of about 35 tons burthen, made a trip to Pictou and back last week, with no one on board but himself. The man who generally sails with him left the vessel just as she was ready to leave Annandale with a cargo of potatoes. Nothing daunted, however, the bold captain hoisted sail and got across safely; and after discharging the cargo and reloading with coal, returned to Souris from Pictou on Thursday. Captain Gay is not a young man being in his seventy-sixth year. If there is a pluckier man than he afloat, we would like to hear from him.

ISLANDERS ABROAD.—Charles Gallant, a P. E. Islander, received severe injuries by falling over the wharf at Eastport a day or two ago. Norman McLellan, 75 years old, who says he hails from P. E. Island, was registered at the St. John Central Police Station a few days ago as a lodger. He has spent several nights there already. The man's mind is clearly not sound. In conversation with a Globe reporter, he stated that a short time ago the Queen had forwarded to P. E. Island a sum of money which Her Majesty intended to spend in defraying his expenses around the world preaching the Jewish religion.

CHAPPELLE'S ALMANAC.—This very excellent almanac for 1888 is just published, and is pronounced the best ever issued. In addition to the usual contents of such a work, it contains Zaddick's predictions for the year, which, on the whole, need not give an unusual alarm—the general outlook being bright. The law and justice department, together with the ecclesiastical, financial and society department are full and accurate. Much attention has been paid to both the Dominion and Local Government members. The full Senate divided into the various Provinces, and placing parties separately is plainly given. In the House of Commons each Province and constituency, together with the majorities polled by the successful candidates at the last election are mentioned. Their political complexion is also noted—the Conservatives being placed in roman type and the Liberals in italics. Carefully prepared railway rates of fares, oat table, population of chief cities in Canada and the United States, etc., tend to make Chappelle's Almanac for 1888 one of great value. Every one should get a copy. Only 15 cents each.

Stipendiary Magistrate's Court.

Hugh McCarron, drunk, \$3 or 14 days imprisonment.
Bernard Carroll, drunk, \$3 or 14 days.
John Madden, drunk, \$1 or 4 days.
Chas. D. Collins, violation of Canada Temperance Act, second offence, \$100 or 2 months. Convicted on the testimony of James Ross.
James Eden, violation of Canada Temperance Act, second offence, \$100 or 2 months. Convicted on the testimony of Michael Duffy.
Owen Connolly, violation of Canada Temperance Act, first offence, \$50 or 1 month. Convicted on the testimony of Laughlan McCallum.
Three other Scott Act cases were postponed for absent witnesses, and one was dismissed.
One assault case was dismissed, and one withdrawn.
Court adjourned at 2.15.

Local Notices.

SEE E. W. Taylor's window to-night.

HANDSOME Marble Clocks, Figures and Plaques received Saturday.—E. W. TAYLOR.

REMEMBER the great auction sale of Apples, Lemons, Oranges, Onions, &c., direct from New York, ex steamer Portia, is postponed until tomorrow, Tuesday, Dec. 13th, at 11 o'clock.—A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

BIRTH.

At 147 Maria Avenue, St. Paul, Minn., U. S., on the 28th Nov., the wife of Mr. Daniel Davies, Jun., of a daughter. Named Annie Frances.

At Fredericton, on the 7th inst., the wife of D. R. Forgan, Bank of Nova Scotia, of a daughter.

Auction Sale.

Apples, Lemons, Oranges, Onions, &c., Ex. S. S. Portia.

BY Auction, MONDAY, December 12th, at 11 o'clock, at Rooms, Queen Street, 100 Barrels Choice No. 1 Apples, 5 Barrels Oranges, 10 Boxes do., 10 Boxes Lemons, 15 Boxes Silver Skin Onions. All choice Fruit, Ex. S. S. Portia, direct from New York.

Ch'town, Dec. 8, 1887. The above Sale is postponed until to-morrow, TUESDAY, December 13th, at 11 o'clock. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer.

In the Estate of Clark & Robblee, INSOLVENTS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to TUESDAY the sixth day of December next, A. D. 1887, at noon, for the purchase of the assets of the estate as follows:—

- (1) Book debts, notes of hand and judgments.
(2) Stock of dry goods and general merchandise in the store lately occupied by them at Summerside, and shop furniture.
(3) Lobster factory, traps and outfit at Miminigash and steamer Jubilee.
(4) Half interest in lobster factory, traps and outfit at Lot Eleven.
(5) Half interest in lobster factories, traps and outfit at Park Corner and New London.
(6) Household furniture of T. H. Robblee.
(7) Household furniture of James B. Clark.
(8) Interest of James B. Clark in house and lot on north side of Winter Street, in Summerside, at present in his occupation.
Terms cash or approved security.
Tenders will be received for the above either separately or en bloc.
No tender necessarily accepted.
Inventory can be seen on application to J. H. Graves, at office lately occupied by Clark & Robblee, at Summerside.
Dated this 21st day of November, 1887.
ROBERT T. HOLMAN, Assignee.
S. H. CLARK.

TENDERS.

\$27,400 City Debentures.

TENDERS will be received at the Mayor's Office, up to noon of THURSDAY the 15th of December inst., for the purchase of (\$27,400) Twenty-seven Thousand Four Hundred Dollars Debentures of the City of Charlottetown, P. E. Island, to be issued in redemption of Debentures falling due in the month of January next, 1888. These debentures are of the denominations of \$500 and \$1,000 each, payable in 20 years from the date of issue, bearing interest at 5 p. c. five per cent per annum, payable half-yearly in Charlottetown.
Tenders will be received for the whole or part. The Council do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.
By order, A. H. MACPHERSON, City Clerk.
Mayor's Office, Dec. 2, 1887.—tues fri

NOTICE.

I HAVE to request that all my accounts must be settled before the 1st of January. If not they will be placed in a lawyers hands for collection. J. C. SPRAGUE. Nov. 30, 4y wy 3w.

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c.

LOST—On Government Pond, on Saturday last, a Key Ring, with some small keys and skate wren on it. Finder will please return to R. H. Macdonald, Government House. dec12 11 p.

LOST—On Friday, 9th inst., near to or between Mrs. Young's millinery shop and Prowse's store, on Queen Street, a red leather Hand Satchel, containing \$11 in notes and some silver. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same with Ellen Roach, at Mr. Cundall's. dec10

CARRIAGES, Coaches, &c., stored for the winter in large, dry barn; \$2.00 for the season.—D. O. M. REDDIN. dec9 6i

WANTED—A cook; references required. Apply to Mrs. F. L. Haszard, Euston Street. dec7

TO LET—A House on King Street, near the Railways; also, House and Stable on Pleasant Street.—William Dodd. dec8 1f

TO LET—A House containing five rooms, in a suitable part of the city. For particulars apply at this office. 3i eod—dec2

TO LET—A House on Sidney Street, opposite the Brick Church, containing seven rooms, a good cellar, stable and coach house. Apply on the premises. nov28 1f

FOR SALE—A good Milch Cow, newly calved. Apply to Horace Haszard. dec6 1f

TO LET—The Surgery and Consulting Room in the City Hotel, Great George Street, hitherto occupied by Dr. Warburton. Apply at the London House or to Daniel Davies, Dundas Street. nov18

FOR SALE—On time, or to let for a term of years, the House and premises on School St., occupied by the late Mrs. Mabey. Apply to Mr. Weldon, in Law Courts. nov23 6i qua2 wks

THE person who borrowed a copy of Green's History of England and forgot to return it, may obtain information as to the owner thereof on application at 155 St. John Street. obo10

POTATOES.—The subscriber can supply 5,000 bushels of prime stock Chenango and Blue Potatoes at his wharf, Beach Point, Murray Harbor South, to any schooner that cannot fill up at Western harbors. This harbor never freezes up before Xmas, and the wharf is at the mouth of the harbor.—DANIEL DAVIES. Dec., 2 1887.

TO LET—A desirable residence on Dorchester Street East, lately occupied by the subscriber, F. W. Ha'as, to whom apply for particulars. obo17 1f

TWO young men can find good accommodation with board and lodging, at the Robinson House, No. 97, cor. Pownall and Water Sts., late Nell Rankin's residence. dec7 3i eod

BOARDERS ACCOMMODATED.—At Mrs. McLellan's, Hillsborough Street, between Dorchester and King. oct19 eod 1f

BUY your Furniture at John Newsom's. He can give you any advice upon his word. He would not (even if he had good grounds) publish at foot of his advertisement an insinuating paragraph, reflecting upon trade competitors. He believes in honorable dealing all round. Such virtue merits public patronage. Call and examine his fine stock. obo14 1f

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Geo. Cook, Kent Street west. dec7 1f

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Ch'town, Nov. 22, 1887.—dy & wy 3mos

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D. A. BRUCE, CUSTOM TAILOR.

Ch'town, Dec. 2, 1887.—eod & wky

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NORTON & FENNELL.

Nov 2, 1887.—2aw & wky



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