

Anniversary Items

FRIDAY, November 28.—Seventy years ago to-day the London Times was first printed by steam power (the invention of F. Koenig), running off 12,000 copies per hour, afterwards increased to 4,000 copies per hour, and now to 12,000. The 13th January next will be the centenary of the issue of the Daily Universal Register (the name of which was changed to The Times on 1st January, 1788, by Mr. John Walter). In 1863, when Mr. Walter gave up the paper to his son, the circulation was about 1,000. It was the powerful articles contributed by Edward Sterling that gained the paper the name of "The Thunderer." The circulation for 1883 was 16,670,000 copies. The weekly issue commenced (price 2d.) 5th January, 1857.

Local and Other Items.

THERE are 2,500 ship labourers out of work in Philadelphia. It is again asserted that Mr. Gladstone will accept a peerage. It is intended to start a Roller Skating rink in Summerside. The Western Agricultural Convention meets in Summerside to-day. Rev. G. W. Hodgson and Mrs. Hodgson returned home last evening. The market to-day was well stocked and largely attended. Prices unchanged. Sir John McDonald dined with Queen Victoria at Windsor, on the 25th inst.

SUMMONSES are still being issued against parties for non-payment of dog-tax and truck licences.

TRURO Young Men's Christian Association will celebrate its 25th anniversary next Tuesday evening.

ANOTHER test of Harden's Hand-Grenade will be made on Market Square, at 7.30 on Monday evening.

W. A. O. MORSON, Esq., of the firm of McLeod, Morson & McQuarrie, returned from Montreal last evening.

MONTREAL will have a public meeting to urge upon the Provincial Government, reformations in the treatment of the insane.

PRINCE ALBERT, the eldest son of the Prince of Wales will make a tour of the United States and Canada next year.

HON. JOHN LEFROY, Samuel Prowse, A. J. McDonald, Stewart Burns and J. O. Arsenault are in the city attending a meeting of the Government.

ALL concessions made by the British West Indies to the United States will only be sanctioned by the Imperial Government if extended to Canada also.

The steamer Coburn, Capt. Fraser, of the Black Diamond Line, arrived last night from Montreal with merchandise, and will sail tomorrow morning for Newfoundland.

REV. G. W. McDONALD, of Woodstock, has accepted the call to the pastorate of the F. C. Baptist Church in Sussex, N. B., and is expected to preach here on Sunday next.

DEPUTY SHERIFF JAMES CURTIS calls upon all Her Majesty's J. P.'s to keep watch, and if possible have arrested, the prisoners Cavanagh and Higgins, who escaped from Queen's County jail.

ST. ANDREW'S DINNER.—Gentlemen who may desire to attend this dinner at the Rankin House next Monday evening, December 1st, can obtain tickets at Rankin's and Watson's Drug Stores. nov 28 2i

WE learn that the splendid young stallion "Hernando" has been purchased by W. W. McLeod, Esq., Inspector of Post Offices in the Northwest, for \$2,500. It is hoped that "Hernando" will be allowed to remain here next year.

HEAVY LOSSES.—For the year ended Sept. 30th last, the deficit in operating the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company amounted to \$694,622 95. Mr. Jewett is to retire from the Presidency, and from all connection with the Company.

MONROE IMPLEMENT WORKS.—It is stated that at a recent meeting of the Monroton Agricultural Implement Manufacturing Co., the manager, Mr. Cable, was requested to resign and did so. The liabilities of the company are stated to be quite heavy. There is some talk of the works being leased by Contractor Doherty.—Times.

ST. ANDREW'S DINNER.—Return tickets at one first-class fare will be issued from Summerside, Kensington, Souris, Cardigan and Georgetown, to Charlottetown, on December 1st, good to return the following day, to parties attending St. Andrew's dinner, at the Rankin House on Monday evening, December 1st. nov 28 2i

HORRIBLE DEATH.—While rolling logs down the bank of the Cornwallis River, near Wolfville, on the 25th, two men, Freeman Terry and Oscar Moyster, were caught under the logs in some way and were thrown into the river. Moyster came to the surface and was rescued, seriously injured, but Terry was dug out of the mud on the 26th jammed to a jelly. Both men were unmarried. Moyster will likely recover.

THE Sacred Concert in Zion Church was well attended. The gems of the evening were the solos by Miss Knight and Mr. Peters, both of which would have been rapturously received had they not been sung within sacred walls. We regret we cannot speak in high terms of the instrumental pieces and the choruses, though one, the first sang by Prof. Frisze's chorus, was good. The Concert was a financial success.

MAGISTRATE'S COSTS.—A decision of some importance to magistrates was given by Chief Justice Palmer, at the chambers to-day, in the taxation of costs in the suit of McDaniel, appellant, vs Crawford, respondent, in which Mr. McLeod appeared for appellant and Mr. A. Peters for respondent. The Chief Justice decided in taxing these costs that in all proceedings before Justices of the Peace, under the Dominion Summary Conviction Act, the costs to be allowed were to be regulated by the scale fixed by our Provincial Statute 19th Vic., Cap. 23 (See II. Vol. Island Statute 239-1.) This decision sets at rest a question upon which some doubts had hitherto been entertained by Justices of the Peace.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

News from the Cape, etc.

LONDON, Nov. 27. Advice from the Cape Colony state that freebooters have agreed to evacuate Mantson's territory, and have accepted the conditions imposed by the ministers of the Cape Colony that Bechnanaland shall be annexed by the government, and that the Transvaal convention shall be represented. A blue book states that England has refused to join the European conference to abolish the sugar bounties. The cheapness of sugar has assisted the industries, and workmen in raw material are profiting on low prices.

News from the Capital.

OTTAWA, Nov. 27. The Canadian Pacific company has been advised that the money been raised in London, to extend their line, Ontario and Quebec railway, from Smith's Falls to Montreal, giving Ottawa the go by. The Scott Act was sustained in Compton County yesterday, by over 400 majority.

Protection in England.

LONDON, Nov. 27. Lord R. Churchill, in an interview, declared himself in favor of revision of the tariff, and the adoption of protective duties, even extended to a tax on corn. He said that in its domestic policy the government should follow Bismarck's principles.

Granville the Peacemaker.

LONDON, Nov. 27. Earl Granville has resumed his efforts to arrange peace between China and France. It is stated he has modified the indemnity proposals, and has sent a modification to Peking through the Marquis Tsien.

Walking Match.

LONDON, Nov. 27. In the walking match at the Aquarium to-day Rowell finally retired completing 23 1/2 miles. The victory of Littlewood is now assured, as he is 2 1/2 miles ahead of Mason.

The "Hitch" at Home.

LONDON, Nov. 27. Gladstone, the Marquis of Salisbury and others, held a further conference to-day. A definite agreement upon the Redistribution Bill was reached, and a hitch is now considered impossible.

Fire At Sea.

LONDON, Nov. 27. The steamer Caspian, which arrived at Liverpool from Baltimore, Halifax and St. John, has been on fire.

France and China.

MARSEILLES, Nov. 27. The Government has ordered three iron-clads to sail for Tonquin.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Nov. 28—10 a. m.

Light to moderate winds; fair weather; not much change in temperature.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE.

Charlottetown November 28, 1884. Highest Temperature yesterday, 39.0. Lowest Temperature (read at midnight), 27.2. Lowest Temperature this morning, 26.8. Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock, 33.3. Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock, 36.5.

Our Advertisers.

A. McNeill holds an auction sale of apples to-morrow, at half past eleven o'clock.

BUYING HORSES.—Another horse-dealer, in the person of C. F. Trask, of Gardiner, Me., is in St. John, on his way to P. E. Island to buy horses. Mr. Trask has been in the business about fifteen years. Since last spring he has bought and sold 118 horses. He commenced buying on the island about a year ago. Mr. Trask says that "there is very little money made on horses, as nearly every dealer has died poor." "But," said Mr. Trask, "there must be some infatuation in the business, else men would not run the risk they do." There is a brisk demand for good draft horses, many of which are wanted for the woods, though the chief buyers at the present time are city truckmen and merchants in Maine. Those not wanted in Maine can readily be disposed of in Boston. Mr. Keegan, of Augusta, passed through the city on the 24th on his way home with 33 horses. His firm disposed of about 115 horses already this season, and the probability is that another lot will be purchased before navigation closes. As to the price of the animals, Mr. Trask says that they cost, on an average, about \$90 on the island, and when they reach their destination they cost, including all expenses, about \$135 each. The duty is 20 per cent.—St. John Globe.

BRIDGEVILLE, East River, Pictou, N. S., in which is situated the iron deposit, from which the Londonderry Steel Co. has been supplied of late, is, says the Truro Guardian, the scene of new discoveries. About half a mile from the former deposit, which had partially run out, a large deposit has been discovered, which is of much greater value. The new find is situated on the mountain side, on the line of Wm. Grant's property, abutting that of Thomas McMillan. The Steel Company pay a royalty of 20 cents per ton to the owners of the property, paying all expenses of prospecting and excavating. On the farm of Hugh D. Fraser, the Montreal Company, so-called, are extracting like kind of ore, and have at least 50 carloads ready for shipment.

It is rumored that James Gordon Bennett has sold one-third of the Herald to J. W. Mackay at a price which fixed its valuation at \$5,250,000. The sale was necessary to enable Mr. Bennett to pay his assessment on the new cable stock.

THE Royal Hotel, New Glasgow, N. S., was destroyed by fire on the 26th inst. It was insured for \$7,000. Graham & Watson were the proprietors.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OAKLAND HOUSE. Nov. 26—Mr. Clark, Mount Stewart; Mrs. Clark, do; P. Emery, Wood Islands; Neil Crawford, do; H. Puffer, Boston; J. Robertson, West River. 27—Duncan Munn, Little Sand; Angus Munn, do; Mrs. A. Munn, do; Mr. Irving, Cherry Valley; A. E. Martin, Eldon; A. G. Smith, do; D. W. Smith, do; J. Smith, do; M. M. Martin, do; Alex. Smith, do; John Martin, do.

JOHN FIGOTT, aged 28, sergeant in the Royal artillery, Halifax, blew his brains out at noon on the 26th inst. He came up with a relief from Jamaica three weeks ago and was stationed on McNab's island and has been drinking heavily. Being found drunk on duty he was removed from his position and another sergeant ordered to go down and relieve him. On the 26th inst. before his successor was to arrive, he told his wife to pack up and get ready to leave. She went to their bedroom for that purpose, when he put the muzzle of a carbine in his mouth, pulled the trigger and sent a bullet through his brains. He died instantly. Figott was only married a few months ago. He has been twelve years in the service.

ANOTHER STOCK HORSE.—The famous horse "Young Royal Tom," purchased a short time ago by Mr. E. L. Woodside, from his late owner, near Toronto, Ontario, arrived here on Tuesday's steamer. This handsome animal is a dark dapple bay, five years old, stands 16 1/2 hands high, weighs over eighteen hundred pounds, and has taken thirteen first prizes, including first prize and diploma at the Toronto Exhibition, for the best draught stallion of any age, competing against twenty-three first-class horses at the time. "Young Royal Tom" will be quite an addition to the stock of splendid stable horses in this County, and we wish his owner every success with him.

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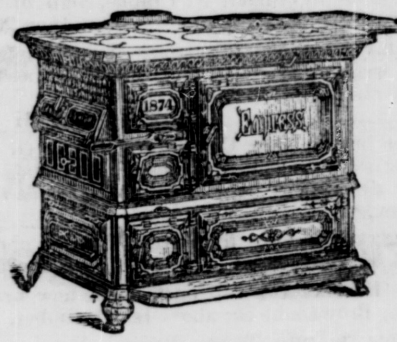
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Charlottetown, Oct. 23, 1884.

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