

**MISSIONARY MEETING.**

The Missionary Meeting held in the Prince Street Methodist Church last night was one of the most interesting meetings of the kind which we have attended. The Chair was occupied by William McKeechie, Esq., who briefly addressed the audience upon the propagation of the Christian faith. William Heard, Esq., read a brief, but succinct, and interesting report, showing that the sum of \$146 00 had been collected during the past year by the Methodist Missionary Society of the Dominion of Canada, about \$2 000 of which had been subscribed in Charlottetown. The Rev. E. Ryerson Young, one of the deputation from the headquarters of the Methodist Missionary Society to the Lower Provinces, addressed the large assembly upon his labors in the Great North West among the Indians. Mr. Young is a pleasing speaker, his voice is good, he speaks deliberately, distinctly, and has the power of making a lengthy speech without wearying his hearers. His speech, last night, occupied one hour and a half in the delivery, and was full of anecdotes and incidents connected with his life in the far west and on the prairie for the last ten years. We have not space to give any more than an incomplete summary of the address.

Mr. Young says that Manitoba is one of the finest Provinces in the Dominion, containing some of the best lands for agricultural purposes, to be found on the continent. The soil is rich, and in many places going to the depth of four and five feet. No fertilizers are needed, and a man has not to spend a lifetime in clearing the land of trees and stumps. To his knowledge, farmers have reaped over seventy bushels of oats to the acre. Potatoes grow to an enormous size. The only drawback to the farmers is the visits of grasshoppers which descend upon the land like hail, and devour every green herb and plant, not being so fastidious to tackle the Canada thistle and other weeds in their onward march of destruction. The speaker next gave a graphic account of his travels from Manitoba to Norway House, where now is one of the largest missions in the world. On his way there, he was compelled to take his place in the stern sheets of a skiff, with an ox boxed up amidship. The head of the ox hung over one side of the boat and his tail over the other. In the forward part of the boat were the Indians who guided it through the perilous rapids. The graphic account of his travels from Norway House to the far North, where no white man had ever preached the gospel to the red man till his arrival, was interesting in the extreme. The hardships which pioneers have to endure, are exceedingly trying while travelling over stretches of snow, for three, four, and even five hundred miles. The mercury in the thermometer being thirty and forty degrees below zero with no trees at times to shelter them from the cold blasts that sweep with intense keenness over the prairie. The means of travel are by dog trains, four dogs being harnessed in tandem in a sled made of oak boards, about eighteen inches in width, and ten feet long. The speaker vividly described the councils which are held by the Indians. The principal, Chief occupying the centre of the gathering, those next in rank are seated near him, while the hunters arrange themselves at the back of them, the women and girls being crouched at the outskirts of the circle. Here the speaker alluded to the difference between the treatment of women among Christians and their treatment among pagans. Much as men owe to Christianity women are under greater obligations to it for their social position. The Indian pagan treats his squaw like a dog, and he had seen a strong, stalwart brave brutally abuse his mother for a simple murmur in one of their councils. The Indian women are very fond of imitating their white sisters. The audience was amused with the account given of this propensity to imitate in dress. On one occasion a lady, the wife of an officer of the Hudson Bay Company, had returned from Ontario to her home, and wore the fashionable veil that came just to the point of the nose. The Christianized Indian girls who wore hair nets, drew them over their heads, down part of the face and hooked them on the points of their noses in imitation of the fashionable veil. The only instance which he knew of stealing among them was when they robbed his ash barrel of its hoops to have crinoline like the white lady. The audience listened with attention during the whole of the address, and doubtless many will, of their abundance give to support a work which seems to require the most heroic and self-sacrificing men to undertake. The Indians are anxious to have Missionaries to civilize them and to teach the gospel. The Rev. Mr. Lotherne briefly addressed the meeting in his fervid and eloquent style. One thing

we regret is that a number of young people disturbed the speaking by retiring during the delivery of the speeches. It was exceedingly annoying to the speakers and very unbecoming in a place of worship, particularly so when no one who has the least intelligence could fail to be interested.

**THE ADDITIONAL POLICE FORCE.**

We notice that some of our contemporaries are finding fault with the late addition to the Police force, on the ground that the number is too large in proportion to the population. Now, this is a most fallacious way of reasoning. The Police force required for a city depends chiefly upon the population, but, to some extent, upon the area of the city. To patrol a city, covering the ground that Charlottetown does, a certain force is required, whether the population in that area is larger or smaller. The present force will be sufficient, even when our town is much more thickly peopled than it now is. But that does not imply that it is too large at present.

People often talk very unfairly about the Police force. When there were only eight men, if anything happened in any part of the town, the city was at once made. "Where was the Police?" Not more than half the force could be on duty at once; two of these had to be in the Station. That would leave two to patrol the whole town, and they were blamed if they did not always happen to be just where the disturbance occurred. This was most unfair.

If, with the increased force, loafers are kept off the corners, cows off the squares, trotting matches and drunken men off the streets, if the town is well patrolled, and if, upon the outbreak of a row, an efficient force is soon upon the spot, the citizens ought not—and will not—grudge the increased expense. The force before was not sufficient for a city of this area, even if it had only half the population.

**Local and Other Items.**

REMEMBER D. Banks McKenzie's lecture in the Market Hall this evening.

CITY COUNCIL.—A meeting of the City Council will be held this evening at 7 1/2 o'clock.

THE Sheriff of King's County is after Keesan, who escaped from Georgetown jail last week.

A FEW Hyacinths & Crocuses, at clearing out prices, at Hazard's Seed and Book Store.

MASONIC.—Regular communication of St. John's Lodge of A. F. and A. M. will be held in their Lodge Room, Queen street, this evening at 8 o'clock.

ON Saturday last Francis Gallant and Ronald Gillis took passage in the steamer, on their way to Rome, to complete their studies. Both of these young gentlemen were students of St. Dunstan's College. We wish them every success.

STIPENDIARY MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—Nov. 10.—Donald McDonald, drunk and incapable, \$2 or eight days. Ellen McKenna, drunk and incapable, \$2 or eight days. Thomas Logan, drunk and incapable, \$2 or eight days. Desmond Murphy, drunk, \$1 or four days. Michael Rush, drunk and disorderly, \$1 or four days. John McLeod, drunk and incapable, \$2 or eight days. Thomas Ladner, stealing clothes from Henry Green, one month. Nov. 12.—John Higgins, drunk and disorderly, \$4 or 20 days. Arthur O'Neill, jr., drunk and incapable, \$1 or four days. James Welsh, drunk and incapable, \$1 or four days. Michael Rush, drunk and incapable, \$2 or eight days. Robert Welch, drunk and disorderly, \$3 or 14 days. Daniel McDonald, drunk and incapable, \$2 or eight days. John Kavagnah, drunk and incapable, \$2 or eight days.

**Correspondence.**

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions or statements of Correspondents.

To the Editor of the Daily Examiner:  
DEAR SIR.—The present Government has done enough for the Island—and for themselves. The handwriting is on the wall. Any amount of "Teke!" in it. The Government must be shewn this. The pent-up feelings of an angry people must now burst forth. Now for the meeting.  
VOTER.

To the Editor of the Daily Examiner:  
SIR.—Dr. Jenkin's has struck the right note. Let a meeting be called at once. Patent Government combinations are a failure; it is scarcely too much to say that, in the present case, the combination is a curse. Our little Island is being laughed at by outsiders. Even the "cute" Patriot man begins to feel that under the combination regime we are drifting from "the bounds of civilization." Let us have a meeting by all means—A MONSTER INDIGNATION ONE.  
VOX.

**Shipping Intelligence.**

**PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.**

CLEARED.  
Nov. 12—Sch. Two Sisters, Perrie, Arthur, 1,601 bush. potatoes, 95 do turnips, 1,022 do oats; Albatross, Scott, Pictou, bal.; Nina Galt, Goodrich, Halifax, 1,439 bush. potatoes, 160 do oats, 106 do turnips, brig. Sirius, McDonald, Georgetown; Trio, Snow, Crapaud, misc.; G. A. Bell, Bell, Cape Traverse, bal.; S. G. Lewis, Griffin, Halifax, 2,500 bush. potatoes, 530 do turnips, 1,009 do oats; Maria Addie, LeBlanc, Cascompee, bal.; Louisa, Gallant, Pictou, bal.

**ENTERED.**

Nov. 12—Sch. Bounty, Doucette, Rustico, oats; Confederate, McKay, Pictou, coal; City Point, Bell, New London, oats; Lizzie Tupper, Pyle, Shediac, lumber; Catharine, McIsaac, Glace Bay, coal; C. A. Bell, Bell, Cape Traverse, oats.

SUMMERSIDE, Nov. 10—old, barque Katie Evans, Mumbles, 30,000 bush.; oats, 700 pieces deal, by John LeFargy.

Souris, Nov. 10—old, Pathfinder, Kennedy, Harbor Grace, 1,800 bush. potatoes, 700 do oats, 350 do turnips, by George H. Campion.

**Notice to Procrastinators!**

All Accounts furnished before and at last Xmas, and Midsummer of this year, that remain unpaid after this month, will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection, without distinction of persons.

MARK BUTCHER.

Oct. 31—

**Administrator's Sale**

—OF—

**FOUR PLOTS OF LAND**

IN KING'S COUNTY.

1st. A FREETOLD FARM of one hundred acres, in Lot 47.

2nd. FREE TOLD LAND (Woodland), 11 acres, in Lot 47.

3rd. A BUILDING LOT, with House and Premises, in Souris East.

4th. A LEASEHOLD FARM (woodland—no improvements), of about two hundred and four acres, in Lot 46.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Subscriber—Administrator cum testamento annexo de bonis non of the Estate of the late Emanuel McEachern, of Lot Number Forty-seven, deceased—will sell, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on THURSDAY, the TWENTIETH Day of DECEMBER next, 1877, at the hour of TWELVE o'clock, noon, at Souris, by virtue of a license therefor, granted by the Honorable Charles Young, L.L.D., Surrogate and Judge of Probate of this Island, dated the twenty-fourth day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven:

ALL that Tract, Piece and Parcel of Land, described as follows, that is to say: Commencing on the north side of a line of road surveyed by Joseph Ball in the western boundary of land marked Farm No. 9, in the possession of Donald McDonald, and running from thence by the magnetic meridian of 1764, for the distance of ninety-nine (99) chains; thence north 76 degrees, west till it gives the distance of ten (10) chains on an east and west line; thence south to line of road aforesaid; thence east to place of commencement, containing one hundred acres of land, more or less, and being part of said Lot Forty-seven. ALSO, all that Tract of Land situate on said Lot Number Forty-seven, bounded as follows: On the south by the rear boundary line of the homestead of deceased, on the west by the farms known as the Portage Farms; on the north by lands owned by the McDonalds of Prospect Hill; and on the east by the east line of the said homestead, containing eleven acres, more or less. AND, ALSO, all that Building Lot in Souris East, in said Island, with the House and Buildings thereon, described as follows: Commencing at the eastern boundary of Building Lot No. One, and running thence south 54 degrees, along said boundary for the distance of one hundred and six (106) feet; thence north eastwardly parallel to the Souris Road, for the distance of sixty-eight (68) feet, or to the southern angle of Building Lot No. 3, thence north 45 degrees; west along the south west boundary of said Lot to Souris Road; thence along said road for the distance of eighty feet, to the place of commencement, with all and singular the premises and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and of which the said deceased doth appear to have been seized and possessed. AND I hereby also give notice that I will put up and sell, by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the time and place aforesaid, ONE CERTAIN LEASEHOLD FARM of the said late Emanuel McEachern, deceased, being all that Tract, Piece and Parcel of Land, situate, lying and being on Township Number Forty-six, in King's County, bounded as follows, that is to say: On the east and south by land formerly the property of the late Honorable Samuel Cunard; on the west by land leased unto Roderick McDonald; and on the north by land leased to Angus McPherson, Neil McPherson and John McKenzie, containing an area of about two hundred and four acres of land, a little more or less.

Terms and conditions of sale made known on day of sale, or on application to the undersigned, or at the office of Messrs Brecken & Fitzgerald.

CHARLES McEACHERN,

Administrator.

Charlottetown, Oct. 30, 1877—kca 41 nov 6

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**NOTICE.**

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Diocesan Church Society will be held in St. Paul's Schoolroom on WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant, at 7.30 p.m.

D. FITZGERALD, Secretary.

Ch'town, Nov. 8—61

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