

Local and Other Items.

On Saturday last over twelve hundred excursionists from Moncton and other places visited the ruins of St. John.

EARLY SHIPMENT.—Messrs. Wadman & Son, of Crapaud, shipped on the 1st inst., per schooner "Springfield," Capt. Strang, 1,200 bushels oats (this year's growth) to Pictou.

TALL WOMEN.—An exchange says that a woman's foot is one-sixth of her stature. If this be true, we have some tall women in this locality, judging by some of the tracks in the mud.—*Sackville Borderer.*

The St. John News reports that the body of a man named John Dugan was found in Courtenay Bay on Sunday morning. It is supposed he fell over the R. R. Wharf on Saturday night while in a state of intoxication.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—Yesterday forenoon the property of John Williams (red), corner of King and Prince Streets, was sold at auction by Wm. Dodd. Hon. W. W. Lord was the purchaser; price \$3,050.

At a meeting of the Marine Board in this City, on the 4th and 5th inst., Capt. P. A. Scott in the chair, Walter B. Reid of Summerside, passed a very satisfactory examination, and received a master's certificate. He was the only candidate before the Board, and was prepared by T. B. Reagh at Commercial College.

SOME RESULTS.—The regulation by which prisoners are compelled by the Stipendiary Magistrate to break stones, is yielding some good results. A quantity of very well broken stone has lately been placed on Lower Spring Park Road; and yesterday the Stipendiary Magistrate issued an order to the Mayor for a considerable quantity which will be laid on our streets.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.—Mr. J. G. Currie, M. P. P., Welland, and ex-Speaker of the Ontario "Reform" Assembly, has been committed for trial, on the charge of embezzling a client's money. It is almost useless to say that Mr. Currie is a distinguished elevator of the standard. His weakness is for "raspberry syrup."—*Belleuille Intelligencer.*

AN EQUITY DECISION.—On Saturday afternoon Judge Duff delivered judgement in the case of the Methodist Church et al, vs. Edward E. Lockhart, executor of the estate of Gilbert T. Ray. His judgement was that the Annual Conference of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island in connection with the Methodist Church of Canada and the N. B. Auxiliary Bible Society, are entitled to the whole residuary real and personal estate of the said Gilbert T. Ray, subject only to the payment of the legacy of \$400 given by the said will to Chas. Pritchard, son of James Pritchard, and to the payment of an annuity of £100 per annum to Elizabeth C. Hallett, Fanny Hallett, and Margaretta Ray Hallett, unmarried daughter of Rachel Hallett, deceased, for the term of eight years from the death of the said Rachel Hallett, further consideration and costs reserved.—*St. John News.*

In the Halifax Herald's article on finance and commerce the following paragraph appears: "We should judge that our sister city of St. John is somewhat overcrowded with idle people, and would not advise any of our Halifax mechanics to try that labor market at present. As a specimen brick of the condition of affairs in a social way, we notice that on Monday last no less than thirty-one drunken men were paraded before the Police Courts in that city, and the amount of fines in one day totted up \$240. This is a frightful picture of drunkenness and vice, and we trust it does not grow out of misapplied bounty of outsiders given to the needy in their trouble. We believe it would be a blessing to St. John if the Rink was shut up till December, as with few exceptions, the applicants for food and clothing could support themselves with the labor of their hands. The pinch is going to come with the snow and ice of next winter."

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

ENTERED.
Sept. 10.—Sch. Rising Dawn, Hughes, Pictou, coal; brig. Fleetwood, Gavin, Pictou, coal; sch. Columbia, Campbell, Cape George, 250 barrels mackerel; Elizabeth, Stewart, Crapaud, old iron, Minnie, Deagle, mackerel and sundries; Gipsy Bride, Steel, Pictou, coal; Phoenix, Chambers, Tatamagouche, sundries; Emma, Cook, Tatamagouche, lumber; Swallow, Gallant, Pictou, coal; Gazelle, Kennedy, Montague, bal.

CLEARED.
Sept. 10.—Sch. Minnie, Deagle, trading voyage, sundries; Olive, Gallant, Pictou, bal.; Phoenix, Chambers, Tatamagouche, furniture, flour, etc.; Liberty, Steel, Pictou, bal.

DESTINATION OF VESSELS IN PORT.

CONNOLLY'S WHARF.—Leonora, Wright, Pictou.
LORD'S WHARF.—Rising Dawn, Hughes, Pictou. Native, Hackett, Mt. Stewart. Phoenix, Nicholson, Orwell.
PEAKE'S No. 1 WHARF.—Brig Zinga, McLean, Cardiff. Brig. Fleetwood, Gillian, Newfoundland. Minnie, Deagle, Souris.
QUEEN'S WHARF.—Gazelle, Kennedy, Pictou. Jessie, Gillis, Pictou. Olive, Gallant, Rustico. Columbia, Campbell, Cape Breton. Emma, Stewart, Georgetown. Swallow, Gallant, Pictou.
PEAKE'S No. 2 WHARF.—Brig. Harry Davies, Yates, doubtful. Barque Jas. Peake, Bernard, doubtful.
PEAKE'S No. 3 WHARF.—Elizabeth, Stewart, Crapaud. Phenora, Chambers, Tatamagouche. Str. Hadji, McDonald, Pictou.

FREIGHTS.

Freights continue to be promising. The arrivals continue moderate, the tonnage supply is reduced to a low ebb and the market is in a stronger position than for a long period, the surplus products of the country, as a whole, never having been so large, while the prospect of a foreign demand has seldom been more promising. So far as freights to Europe are concerned, the market has ruled firm all the week, but business has been to some extent restricted by the scarcity of available vessels and the strong produce prices current. There has been little or no disposition manifested to speculate in tonnage, yet a considerable number of vessels have been taken up by exporters, to arrive during the autumn, both for grain and oil, at about the rates paid on the spot, including a number of steamships to come over from England chiefly at 8s. per quarter for grain, and 45s. per ton for provisions to the Continent, Dutch ports excluded. No business in new crop cotton has thus far transpired, but 7-16d. would be paid for suitable vessels from Wilmington and Charleston and 4d. from the Gulf to Liverpool and Havre, October and November loading. West India and South American freights are higher, small vessels being very scarce; but business has been light. The coastwise trade remains in an unsatisfactory position.

Hotel Arrivals.

ROCKLIN HOUSE.
Sept. 10.—Mrs. Bertram, Summerside; Miss Lynch, do; T. Crabbe, do; Thomas Ballins, Montreal; George Morris and son New London; Rev. F. W. George, Pictou; John Simpson, Cavendish; David Stewart, Strathgartney; Malcolm McFayden, Murray Harbor; John Cairns, do; Donald Limont, West River; Donald Palmer, Crapaud; J. H. Stewart, West Cape; Walter Simpson, Bayview; James A. McKie and wife, do; Norman McLeod and wife, Orwell; John Collins and wife, Murray Harbor; Mrs. Dr. Byrne, Mount Stewart; Miss Byrne, do; John M. Ho'd. Tryon; H. J. Montgomery, New London; Chester McNeill, Cavendish; Miss McNeill, do; R. N. Weeks, Alberton.
REVERE HOUSE.
Sept. 10th.—Mr. I. C. Hall, jun., Cape George; I. C. Hall, sen., and wife, Rustico, P. E. I.; Mr. John Jones, Shediac.
OSBORNE HOUSE.
Sept. 8.—W. B. Taylor, Montreal; L. G. McMillan, Cardigan; Chas. McLeilan, Rockport; T. W. Bell, Shediac. Sept. 10.—J. Rathedge, Boston; C. Fawcett, Sackville; J. White, Alberton.
RANKIN HOUSE.
Sept. 10.—H. H. Bell, Halifax; A. J. Bell, Halifax; Geo. Howatt, Crapaud; A. J. Badson, Gloucester; Mason Ward, Island Park Hotel; James Holman, Island Park Hotel; C. E. Lewis, Montreal.

Personal.

Rev. Benj. Chappell, B. A., arrived in his native town last evening. Mr. Chappell is now stationed in St. John, N. B.

TICKETS! TICKETS! TICKETS!

—FOR—
Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage's LECTURES
IN THE
Prince Street Methodist Church,
On **MONDAY, Sept. 10th** and **TUESDAY, Sept. 11th**
Tickets are now ready, and to be had at the Apothecaries' Hall, Harvie's Bookstore, and Watson's Drug Store.
Reserved Seats in body of the Church, 50 cents, Gallery, 25 cents.
As only a limited number of Reserved Seat Tickets will be issued, holders of the same will be guaranteed seats on the night stated on the tickets.
Doors open at 7 p. m.; chair taken at 8.
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WE will Sell by AUCTION at our SALES-ROOMS,
On Wednesday, 12th inst.

at 11 o'clock,
150 Bbls. Canada FLOUR,
50 Bbls. Howland's Choice FLOUR,
20 Chests TEA,
3 Casks English Refined SUGAR,
25 Bbls. Golden Yellow do,
10 Bbls. Crushed do,
15 Casks KEROSENE,—"Crystal Brand,"
5 Half Boxes Halifax Twist TOBACCO,
5 Kegs Island do,
10 Boxes Canada CHEESE,
150 " Layer and Valencia RAISINS,
7 Boxes Mott's Breakfast CHOCOLATE,
5 Tins Ground COFFEE,
25 Boxes Ground PEPPER, CASIA and ALLSPICE,
10 Boxes No. 1 Yellow SOAP, 1 lb. Bars,
40 Boxes No. 1 Pale do,
5 Nests TUBS,
Terms at Sale.
FENTON T. NEWBERY & CO.
Ch'town, Sept. 10, 1877—tillie

AUCTION

—OF THE—
BARKENTINE "W. D. STEWART,"

To be Sold by Public Auction, at Connolly's Wharf, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, on

TUESDAY,

the EIGHTEENTH day of SEPTEMBER, at the hour of TWELVE O'CLOCK, noon, under a power of sale vested in the undersigned, by virtue of a mortgage bearing date the thirtieth day of June last (1877), and made between John Gow Scrimgeour, of Cardigan River, in the said Island, merchant, of the one part, and Owen Connolly, of Charlottetown, in the said Island, merchant, of the other part—The Barkentine "W. D. STEWART," built at Cardigan Bridge, in the said Island, in the year 1876, measuring 438 18 100 tons register; tonnage of the official number 74,171, and registered at the Port of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, number 46, in the year 1876 together with all her Boats, Anchors, Chains, Tackle and appurtenances.
For further particulars apply at the office of Messrs. Sullivan, McLean & Morson, Solicitors, Charlottetown.

OWEN CONNOLLY,

Mortgagee.
Dated at Charlottetown, this 8th day of September, A. D. 1877. [sep10]

Rare Opportunity.

GLEN STEWART ESTATE FOR SALE.

I HAVE received instructions from Wm. Stewart, Esq., of Chester, England, to offer for Sale, by Public Auction, on

Thursday, 13th Sept.,

at 3 o'clock, p. m., at Southport, Lo 48, all of that valuable Estate known as the GLEN STEWART, situate on Lot 48, and within a few minutes' walk of the Southport Ferry.

This Estate is now held under short leases, in different plots, varying in size from one acre to sixty acres. It comprises that VALUABLE COTTAGE AND PREMISES, containing about thirty acres, known as the GLEN, now held by Mrs. Barker under lease, expiring 1st November, 1878, at the rental of £32, late currency. The cottage contains eight rooms and a kitchen, and on the premises there is a good barn. Both cottage and barn in good repair.

Those valuable Mills, with four acres attached, known as ACORN'S MILLS, now leased at the yearly rental of £12, late currency, are also part of this Estate.

This Estate will be offered for sale in plots suitable for purchasers. Each Lot, as now leased, will be offered separately.

Any tenant wishing to purchase by private sale can do so on application to Messrs. Davies & Sutherland, Solicitors, on or before the day of Sale.

Terms liberal, and made known at the time of Sale.
Good title guaranteed.
This Sale affords a rare opportunity to any person desirous of purchasing a comfortable cottage within easy distance of the City.

WILLIAM DODD, Auctioneer
Ch'town, Sept 5, 1877---till sale

WAR IN THE EAST!

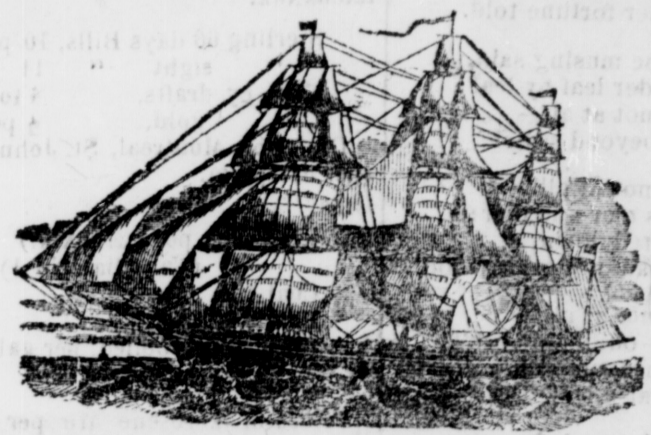
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Ch'town, Sept. 6, 1877—4in eod

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THE EXTREME CLIPPER SHIP

JAMES DUNCAN,

LAWRENCE KICKHAM, Commander,—699 tons, A1 at Lloyd's for 8 years, and coppered,—will be on the Berth at Liverpool about the 15th of September, and will sail for this Port about the 28th September.

THE WELL KNOWN BARKENTINE

WELLINGTON,

M. O'CALLAGHAN, Commandr,—350 ton A1 at Lloyd's for 7 years, and coppered,—now on the Berth at London, will sail for this Port about the 15th September.

THE WELL KNOWN CLIPPER SHIP

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WILLIAM TODD, Commander,—398 tons, A1 at Lloyd's for 7 years,—will be on the Berth at Glasgow about the 15th September, and will sail for this Port about the 28th September.

All the above Ships are well known to the trade as desirable conveyances for Goods and Passengers, and will carry Freight on through Bills of Lading, deliverable at Pictou, Summerside, Georgetown, and Shediac.
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Ch'town, Aug. 28, 1877—

SUN MUTUAL

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MONTREAL DIRECTORS.

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New Life and Accident Business submitted in 1876 \$1,856,598.35
Income 1189,576.8
Cash Assets 265,944.65
Security for protection of Assured 715,944.64
Net Surplus for Distribution, as at 1st January, 1877, after making reserves at 44 per cent. 55,299.51

Extract from the proof sheet of Government Report. Statement of increase in premiums received for 1876 over 1875:

Canada Life	\$15,870
Citizens	734
Confederation	17,819
Stadacona	2,658
Toronto	1,011
Sun Mutual	\$30,434

Decrease for 1876 in all American Companies in Canada, over \$114,000.
ECONOMY AND SECURITY is the motto of the Sun Mutual Company. How well the public appreciate these features is seen in the fact, as shown above from Government authority, that the new business for 1876 was sixty-seven per cent. more than that of 1875. The Charter and License embrace Life and Accident Business.

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Ch'town, July 18, 1877.