

DIED.

In San Francisco, on September 17, James, beloved husband of Mary A. Reardon and a brother of Chas. A. Reardon, of San Francisco, Michael Reardon, of Arizona, Daniel Reardon, of Charlottetown, P. E. Island and Mrs. M. McGrath, of Mexico, a native of Prince Edward Island, aged 58 years.

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THE DAILY EXAMINER

DECEMBER 15, 1900.

THE REMOVAL OF SNOW.

THE problem of the removal of snow from our sidewalks is one that we have with us every winter. After every storm the sidewalks are in a bad way. It is true that many citizens are entitled to credit for effective and prompt work in this regard. But "the great majority" are slow to take action. In some places, especially in front of vacant lots, the only track is that made by the feet of the citizens who have occasion to pass that way; and, after a soft snap, there are "hummocks" here and there that make walking dangerous. Hitherto there has been no effective remedy. The policemen notify the offending citizens or their representatives to remove the snow—but little or no heed is paid to the officers' warning. There is a bye-law which bears upon this point; but it is only applicable to certain streets in and about the middle of the city. The law being manifestly unfair, it is not to be wondered that its enforcement is the exception rather than the rule.

In view of these conditions, the City Surveyor, Mr. Nicholson, has formulated a scheme which furnishes a solution of the problem. His plan is to divide the city into sections, each section being in charge of a foreman who will have a number of men under him. After a snow storm it will be the duty of each foreman to order his men out promptly and clean the sidewalks and crossings, thoroughly, and he is also to see that the drains are kept open in soft weather.

This work would, of course, cost the city something, and to meet it the proposition is that a frontage tax of one cent per foot be imposed, the amount to be added to the tax of each owner or householder as the case may be. The burden would fall lightly upon each citizen;—indeed it would be much less than many pay now. For instance, the cost of removing the snow from the front of a property having a frontage of forty feet would be only forty cents for the whole winter, and the crossing would be kept clean, and the drains opened up as well. No citizen would, we feel sure oppose this small expenditure, or even a greater for having the work well done. Besides many poor people would be given employment, which they would greatly appreciate. The idea is one well worthy the favorable consideration of every citizen.

The only objection to its adoption that we see is that the new tax will be sure—while, as on the country roads, the work may not be done. But it is to be remembered that conditions in the town are different from those of the country, and that many men in the city may be relied upon to come out promptly, shovel in hand, for money in hand at the end of the day.

At any rate, no harm and but little expense can result from the adoption of the City Surveyor's plan. Let us see how it will be worked out under the superintendence of its author.

Salt rheum, with its burning, stinging sensation, is due to poor blood, and is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

LATE advices show that the Boers are still strong in tactics. The little successes of their recent guerilla warfare will but incense their conquerors and make their conditions harder in the end.

GENERAL O'GRADY-HALEY refused to permit a military band to play for Le Soliel on the evening of election, applying the rule which forbids regimental bands to play at political demonstrations. Le Soliel refers to the fact and says: "He will leave like the other major-general." Of course he will!

OUR neighbors across the line have a weakness for big things. The town of Bath, Maine, has just been building the largest sailing ship in the world. This time it is a steel ship of 320 feet keel, registering 3,285 tons. The ship is one of three of the same size and style to be built for the Standard Oil Company. The Sun asks: "If Bath can be a great place for steel shipbuilding, why should not St. John?"

THE EXAMINER'S advices from the Tignish district state that on the part of the Government in the recent contest "whiskey flowed like water, and boodle was as plentiful as snow;" and the writer adds: "How is that for the great apostle of temperance and the knight of the prayer meetings?" The reply to this is "very much as in the other districts." Messrs Birch and Buote fought a clean and honest battle; their opponents, it appears, resorted to all the devices. So it was as between the Opposition and Government candidates throughout the Province. Our correspondent remarks that "purity and honesty are poor weapons to fight the devil with." This saying has lately been proved true. But "wait a wee." The words of the psalmist in connection with the "green bay tree" are usually borne out. The triumph of the unjust is short-lived.

We are in receipt this morning of the Canadian Trade Review—the "Prince Edward Island Illustrated Edition." It is a grand advertisement for the tight little island and its men of business. The leading article by Mr. W. F. Tidmarsh is, from the public point of view, a really valuable one, for it gives a comprehensive description and a good idea of our various resources, industries, social institutions, etc. The other articles though not so numerous as we were led to expect, are also good, and the "puffs" are well written. As for the illustrations they are so artistically done, that, though reproductions of photographs, they are apt to give the stranger an almost too favorable opinion concerning the beauty of this Province and its institutions; and concerning the wealth and comfort of our men of business and their homes.

THE Halifax Chronicle desires to know whether or not public opinion in Nova Scotia is in favor of the disfranchisement of members of the civil service. But its efforts to obtain information have not been entirely satisfactory. After some vigorous writing it called for a ballot of its readers on the question. Ballot papers were printed for weeks, but only 1,080 were returned. Of these, 702 agreed with the Chronicle and 378 were opposed to disfranchisement. The civil servants who voted numbered 376, of whom 222 were in favor of disfranchisement and 156 against it. There appears to be much good strong prejudice against taking away from a man, or class of men, the freeman's right to vote. But if persons in the employ of the government lose their political independence on that account the prejudice must weaken in time and fade away. The possession of the right to vote implies sufficient independence to vote as reason and conscience may dictate.

WHEN YOU are feeling tired and out of sorts you will find Hood's Sarsaparilla will do you wonderful good. Be sure to GET HOOD'S

IN GERMANY.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The German government has not taken official notice of Gen. Chaffee's letter to Count Von Waldersee, complaining of the removal of the astronomical instruments from the wall of Pekin and the return of the letter to the American commander "on account of its tone." Only a few of the papers print the incident in their columns. The Vossische remarks: "Whatever the cause, Gen Chaffee had in no case a right to use such rough language in a letter to the commander-in-chief." The Berliner Tageblatt observes: "We must, of course, reserve a definite judgement until reliable German reports have been received. Whoever knows, however, of the generally acknowledged diplomatic tact of Count Von Waldersee will not doubt that he will not have employed such a brusque procedure without the strongest kind of provocation."

SHIP NEWS.

Port of Summerside. ENTERED.

Dec. 13.—Rosemary, Allen, Sydney, coal.

Entered at Alberton on 11th, A. J. McKean, Perry, Shediac, mdse. Cleared from Alberton on same date. schr T. W. Langill, Moulton, for St. John's Nfld., with following cargo:

3,000 bush oats.....	\$ 900
200 bus potatoes.....	34
2,000 lbs turkeys.....	240
2,000 lbs geese.....	180
150 lbs ducks.....	13
600 lbs chickens.....	42
500 lbs pork.....	35
275 lbs beef.....	14
150 lbs butter.....	30
300 lbs mutton.....	15
Sundries.....	9
	\$1,507

HOW TO STOP DRINKING.

(From Short Stories).

William Penn's keen understanding was often directed toward drunkenness. "All excess is ill," he wrote, "but drunkenness is the worst sort. In fine, he that is drunk is not a man, because he is so long void of reason, that distinguishes a man from a beast."

But if Penn was the living spirit of aphorism he also knew when and how to apply his maxims. Given a drunkard, he could treat his case in a characteristic yet plain and reasonable way.

He was once advising a man to leave off his habit of drinking intoxicating liquors.

"Can you tell me how to do it?" said the slave of the appetite.

"Yes," answered Penn. "It is just as easy as to open thy hand, friend."

"Convince me of that, and I will promise upon my honor to do as you tell me."

"Well, my friend," said the great Quaker, "when thou findest any vessel of intoxicating liquor in thy hand, open the hand that grasps it before it reaches thy mouth, and thou wilt never be drunk again."

—There will shortly be issued from THE EXAMINER Job Press a volume, entitled "War Sketches," descriptive of many interesting incidents in the field. It is written by Mr. H. V. McKinnon, one of P. E. Island's quota, and the sketches are very well put together. Apart from its merit, the style and the get-up of the book will make it most valuable as a seasonable present for Christmas and New Years. There will be a special edition of one thousand copies struck off on superior coated paper, the price of which will be 30c per copy. The price of the ordinary edition which will immediately follow the first thousand will be 25c per copy.

Christmas And the Men

IF you'd like to hit a man where he'll feel it, get him a smoking jacket or a long gown. If he has both of them let the gift be a dress suit case or umbrella, pair of gloves, or half a dozen fancy shirts. But the list of things we carry is a long one. You should come in and see the store while it's in holiday attire. No need of bringing much money.—James Paton & Co.

Yes, this big store is ready amid its bustle and hurry; we've been on the lookout for some months past, and a spic, span holiday stock of the useful for your friends awaits you here.—James Paton & Co.

13 large booths, loaded down with suitable Xmas gifts.—James Paton & Co.

SUMPTUOUS FURS

With cold weather ready to swoop down on us any day, the putter off will be apt to sigh because she didn't bestir herself when our full stock was practically unbroken. Yes, and our prices much less than other people's—but this last you'll always find here, full stocks or depleted stocks. Special orders taken for any kind of furs by wire. There is yet time to wire to Montreal or Quebec for any kind of fur at any price.—Jas Paton & Co.

A NICE SILK DRESS

A nice silk dress will never be refused by any woman. There's no lovelier texture in the world. Patons silks have a reputation second to none. The best are here and cost but little. Paton & Co.

You couldn't possibly walk through our Clothing department these holiday times without stumbling over just the thing you are looking for as a Xmas gift for father, brother, lover, husband or friend—because we've had this occasion in mind for several months past, and have been collecting up nice things to place in your way. The price will no stumbling block, however, when you come for silk mufflers at 75c to \$1.75. Jas Paton & Co.

Knee Pants for little Willie, worth \$1.35, for 95c. Suits, reefers, ulsters and storm coats. A nice lot of blanket coats, with flannel-ette hoods and tabs. J. Paton & Co.

To make a man happy buy his Christmas gift at Paton's. Here is a storeful of things that men want, things that men need and appreciate every day of their lives. How easy to find just what will make "his" Christmas happy if you come here. And the quality of a gift from here will never be questioned, as everyone knows this store is the one that does not stoop to inferior goods. Jas. Paton & Co.

Wearing real furs is something like wearing real diamonds. It all depends upon the ability of the wearer to wear real furs, to be able to wear imitation furs. Anybody can afford to wear the furs we offer this week, however, both from a standpoint of quality. Many fur collars discounted 20 p. c. off; a real seal collar, worth \$6.75, for \$4.50, and 20 to choose from.

Whether she's thinking of father, husband, son, brother, or somebody else's brother doesn't matter either. Our line is the great line and fits all purses. J. Paton & Co.

Our store is Charlottetown's great Xmas store. Open evenings. James Paton & Co.

When a man's best girl knows him to be deserving, she'll contribute her last dollar, if need be, to give him some little present at Christmas. Dollars go as far here as anywhere, then you have the advantage of the biggest variety of goods and the largest assortment of each kind. Visit us this p. m. Jas. Paton & Co.

There are countless attractions not to be overlooked by mothers who have regard for economy, for as here exemplified, economy stands for good goods at low fair prices, rather than trashy stuff at any price. We save you money on boys' and men's clothing. 50 prs boys' knee pants, good strong goods worth \$1.35, for 95c.

IT PAYS TO BUY AT PERKINS'

WHAT SHALL IT BE ?

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Abound here. Out of the many articles which are worthy of mention we quote the following as a sample:—

Fur Collar, Cap, Mitts, or Ruff, a dress length Silk or Satin waist, Fur or Cloths Jacket, Kid Glove Silk Ties, Fanny Goods, Doils, pretty Down Quits, Blankets, Battenberg work in centre pieces, Boleros, etc.

New Battenburg Patterns, Braids, Rings, etc.

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