

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

SACRED CONCERT at Vernon River to-night.

CITY COURT—The City Court will meet to-morrow.

C. M. B. A.—Branch 216 meets to-night at 8 o'clock, (sharp).

OPERA—Ladies' Opera practices at 7.15, sharp, at Oddfellows' Hall.

AT THE CAPES—Crossing from Cape Tormentine to-day. No boats at this side.

CONCERT—Remember the concert in the Lyceum on Wednesday evening. The choice programme is sufficient to ensure a full house.

THE STANLEY left Pictou this morning, but up to three this afternoon there was no word of her having reached Georgetown.

MESSING—A special communication of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., will be held at Lodge Rooms, Masonic Temple this evening at 8 o'clock.

CIVIC ELECTIONS.—Tomorrow will be Nomination Day. Nominations will be received at the office of the City Clerk from noon until four o'clock.

SCOTT ACT—At the police court this forenoon John Carroll, King Street, was sentenced to two months imprisonment for a third violation of the Scott Act.

TO-NIGHT—Mr. Woodworth, late of the Guardian, will give a paper at the Yvonneza entertainment and social, Baptist Church, to-night. Admission 15 cents.

P. R. A.—The annual business meeting of the Provincial Rifle Association will be held this (Tuesday) evening in the Stipendiary's Court Room at 7.30 o'clock.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.—Mr. Justice Fitzgerald delivered his lecture on "Abraham Lincoln" at Emerald last night. The audience was large and the discourse was greatly appreciated.

MARKET PRICES—There was a good attendance at the market today, and sales were lively. The prices inside were about the same as last week. Outside, pig sold at from 35 to 42c; oats, 29c; pork, 5 to 5 1/2c; turkeys, 12c.

WARD FIVE.—Mr. C. Lyons desires us to say that he declines to be a candidate for the representation of Ward Five in the City Council. He also desires to say that he is thankful to the electors who so urgently requested him to allow himself to be put in nomination.

CARNIVAL.—At the request of a large number of skaters there will be a fancy dress carnival in the rink on Friday evening, Feb. 14th. The management intend to spare no expense to make this a carnival long to be remembered. A handsome gold medal will be given to the best representative costume on the ice.

THE HOCKEY MATCH between the rival teams of St. Dunstan's and Prince of Wales' Colleges on Friday night promises to be the hardest fought game ever played in the city. Both teams are in the pink of condition. The St. Dunstons were victorious at football. Who will be the winners at hockey? That is the question.

ARTILLERY ATTENTION.—The members of No. 1 and 2 Companies, 4th Regiment, P. E. I. Canadian Artillery, are specially requested to meet in the Stipendiary Magistrate's Room City Hall, to-morrow (Wednesday) evening at 7.15 o'clock, to make final arrangements for the performance of "Our Regiment." A full attendance is particularly requested. Feb. 4th.

THE REGULAR monthly meeting of the School Board was held yesterday afternoon. The total enrollment of pupils for the past month, was 1312, and the percentage of attendance, 87. The department having the highest percentage of attendance in Prince Street School, was Principal Seaman's, 97; Queen Square, Mr. Cullen's, 94; West Kent, Mr. Duncan's, and Mr. McLean's, 93. The estimate of expenditure, \$10,750, for the current year, were unanimously adopted.

A MANLY UNDERTAKING.—The malpractice of the First Methodist Church have resolved not to be outdone by the ladies, and have decided to hold a social in the basement of the Church on Monday evening next, Feb. 10th, to which they invite all the members and friends of the congregation. The most unique feature of the social will be that it is entirely devoid of female assistance, the men furnishing everything in the shape of refreshments, entertainment, etc., and, no doubt, a pleasant time is in store for those who avail themselves of the opportunity to be present.

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RELIEVED TO BE ISLANDERS.

Sophia McLeod's Brutal Murder in Charlotte.

The following telegram was published in THE EXAMINER last evening:

Boston, Feb. 3. Mrs. Sophia McLeod, about 20 years of age, who kept a lodging house on Brighton Street, Charlestown, was found lying dead in the kitchen last night, with three bullet wounds in her head and her head terribly bruised and cut as with an axe.

There is no clue to the murderer. Mrs. Ida Quinlan, sister of the dead woman, has been arrested on suspicion.

It is believed that the Mrs. McLeod referred to above and her sister are both natives of Charlottetown, and were for several years employed at the Rankin House, while it was under the management of Mr. J. J. Davies. They left Charlottetown about seven years ago.

At latest accounts Sophia kept a lodging house on Brighton Street, Charlestown, and her sister Ida, who married a man named Quinlan, a conductor on the Boston and Maine Railway, lived near by.

The foregoing particulars were obtained from a young man at present residing in Charlottetown, who, about two years ago, boarded at the house kept by the deceased Mrs. McLeod, he says, kept four or five boarders at the time he was there. Mrs. McLeod is somewhat older than is stated in the despatch.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

As we anticipated, the Epworth League had, last evening, taken to the large lecture room of the First Methodist Church.

To hear the Rev. Mr. Fullerton discourse on the poet Burns was a literary treat not to be missed by citizens of literary tastes.

We believe that the anticipations of all present were fully realized, except upon one point the address was much too short.

Mrs. Rourke's interpretation of the songs of Burns was capital and her singing, as well as that of Mr. Davidson, was greatly appreciated. In the absence of some of those whose names were on the programme, Mr. Henry Smith read Burns' touching and highly poetical address to "A Mountain Daisy." The discussion invited by the chairman, Rev. Mr. Campbell, was participated in by Mr. Welsh, Dr. McLeod, Mr. McPherson, Mr. W. W. Beer and Dr. Beer. Votes of thanks were given to Mr. Fullerton and Mrs. Rourke.

Do not dally with rheumatism. Get rid of it once by purifying the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Be sure to get Hood's.

DIED.

At San Francisco, Cal., on the 8th of December, 1895, Thomas J. Lebel, husband of Mary Bertram, and father of Joseph D. and John T. Bertram, Mrs. Charles D'Arcy and Mrs. Maurice Ross, a native of Prince Edward Island, aged 65 years 1 month and 8 days.

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DEPORTATION OF THE ACADIANS.

In Walsh's magazine for January there is an article on "A New History of Acadia," by J. A. J. McKenna.

This article worthily occupies the place of honor in the magazine. It is a review of "Missing Links on a Lost Chapter of American History by Edmund Richards," an Acadian, ex-member of the House of Commons, and it goes to confirm the conclusions reached by Parkman, Kingsford, Hannay, and other historians in respect to the deportation of the Acadians.

The testimony of Winslow who superintended the deportation of the Acadians, "Ma is quoted: "I found" said Winslow, "a fine country and full of inhabitants, a beautiful church, abundance of the goods of the world and provisions of all kinds in great plenty. Mr. McKenna declares that the Acadians "loved liberty while prizeing peace."

The great deportation took place in 1755, but says Mr. McKenna, "the work continued until 1763." It is estimated that out of a population of eighteen thousand, scattered over Nova Scotia, Cape Breton, Prince Edward Island and that part of New Brunswick about Shediac, only four thousand escaped; and that of the fourteen thousand dispersed, eight thousand perished.

Mr. Richards exonerates the home authorities and lays the whole blame on Governor Lawrence and his Council. "The designers and perpetrators of the outrage," remarks Mr. McKenna, "aggravated their crime by prostituting the royal name and the royal authority."

Mr. McKenna's friends in this City will be pleased to learn that he is steadily progressing in the path of literature.

BELOINGING TO CANADA.

The Montreal Star's cable says: Lord Salisbury and the Right Hon. Mr. Chamberlain have been considering the result of the enquiries into records here made on behalf of British Columbia, which show that the United States has no right under the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825 to three million acres of land opposite Prince of Wales Island on the Pacific coast, which is of high strategic commercial value, and which the United States has usurped since buying Alaska.

The records of despatches of Mr. Bagot to Lord Cananish show that Clarence Strait and not Portland Inlet is the correct boundary. It is suggested that the Canadian members of the Alaska boundary commission have been misled into assuming the correctness of the United States assumption.

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A LADY'S LETTER!

From the Columns of the "Ladies' Journal."

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MORAL.—Always use the Fast Diamond Dyes for home-dyeing; they are the only dyes that give perfect results.

THE coronation of the Czar, it is reported, has been fixed for May 12.

It was announced that by the terms of a treaty signed January 18, the island of Madagascar is declared a French possession.

Potter Palmer, a life long Democrat, will, it is said, probably be named by President Cleveland as the successor of Theodore Bunyon, United States' Ambassador to Germany.

The Abyssinians have cut off the hands of some reporters who were with the Italian forces, now shut up in Makalle. It is not said what the scribe's offence was. It is possible, however, that they interviewed the Abyssinian General, or misquoted his remarks on the prospects of the war. There are some public men in Canada who will think the punishment fitted the crime.

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