

Local and Other Items.

COMING.—Zera Semon will give a series of performances in this city shortly.

RISE IN SUGAR.—It is stated that the price of sugar has been increased one-half cent per pound.

SMALL DEBT COURT.—The City Small Debt Court was in session this forenoon, and several cases were disposed of.

QUEEN SQUARE.—List of contributors towards Queen Square Gardens will appear to-morrow. What about that fence?

PAINTING UP.—Mr. John Griffith has been engaged to paint the saloons of the steamer Carroll, and is now hard at work.

HEAVY BEEF.—Mr. Robert Bridges, Hillsborough Street, to-day slaughtered an ox, three years old, fed by G. W. Bentley, which weighed 1475 lbs.

SALVAGE CORPS.—The regular monthly meeting of the Royal Salvage Corps will be held in their room this evening at 8 o'clock sharp.—H. C. Wilson, Secretary.

POTATO SHIPMENTS.—The St. John Gazette says: Potatoes are being shipped in bags in large lots to the United States, via the American boat. The potatoes come by Inter-colonial Railway, chiefly from Prince Edward Island.

PHOTOGRAPHY.—A large and very striking photographic likeness of Judge Peters is shown at Mr. Lewis'. There are also a number of family groups, which go to prove that marriage is not a failure.

DRIVING PARK.—The Charlottetown Driving Park Directors call for tenders for building fences, etc., in to-day's issue. We understand that tenders for building grand stands, etc., will be called for in a few days.

THE COBAN.—The steamer Coban arrived here shortly before three o'clock this afternoon. She had a cargo of general merchandise and one passenger for this port. She will leave for Sydney, C. B., and St. John's, Newfoundland this evening.

PARNELL'S CORRESPONDENCE.—It is said that the counsel for the Times and for the Parnellites, in the Parnell Commission investigation, have begun an inspection of Parnell's letters, written during the past six years. The letters number over five thousand.

AQUATIC.—Mr. Peter Carroll, of Pictou, is out with a challenge to any oarsman on the Island for a single scull race (three miles with turn) for \$25, to take place either at Charlottetown on the 26th inst.; or at Pictou on the 16th July. Here's a chance for the Charlottetown champion.—Mr. Joy.

PUGILISTIC.—The 20-round glove fight between Jack Havlin and Johnny Griffin, the well known feather-weights, came off before a New York athletic club, last Friday night. Griffin had the fight all his own way, and succeeded in knocking his opponent out in the fourth round.

ANOTHER THEFT.—Police-Sergeant Cameron went to Summerside this afternoon to arrest a young man named Polley, detained there on suspicion of having stolen a silver watch and about 27 dollars in cash from Captain Boudreaux of the schooner Lizzie May. The Sergeant with his prisoner will return to town on the express this evening.

KANSAS CITY AFFAIRS.—The Chicago Herald remarks in a cynical tone: "There are five towns in Kansas that have women in the mayor's chair. The result is that the streets are well swept and the glass in the corridors of the various city halls is glittering like the Kohanor, but there is rarely any money in the hands of the comptrollers in the early spring or during the annual autumn bargain sales."

SUMMER RESORT.—That popular summer resort, "The Seaside Hotel," re-opens for the season on the 1st July next, as will be seen on reference to our advertising columns. Of the many advantages of the "Seaside," it is unnecessary for us to say much. Its boating, fishing, bathing and other facilities need not be enumerated here, as they are already well known to the travelling public. We bespeak for the "Seaside" a big share of patronage this spring.

A HALIFAX DIVORCE CASE.—In the divorce court at Halifax, on Saturday last, Judge James granted an absolute divorce, with costs, to Mrs. Elia M. Pyke. The evidence was decidedly emphatic, and the respondent did not defend the application. Elia M. Pyke is 39 years old, and the divorced man, C. M. Pyke, is two years her senior. He is at present living in San Francisco with Miss Mabel Kearns, a pretty girl, 21 years old. Pyke is an opera singer, and visited Charlottetown with a Pinafore company some seven or eight years ago.

THE SUMMER TIME TABLE.—For the convenience of the public we condense the hours of departure and arrival of trains (local time):

FOR THE WEST. 7 and 9.45 a. m.; 4.30 p. m. FROM THE WEST. 10.35 a. m.; 4 and 8.10 p. m. FOR THE EAST. 7.30 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. FROM THE EAST. 10.20 a. m. and 7.15 p. m.

THE HERRING CATCH.—Advices from Bay St. George per S. S. Harlaw, say the herring season has passed without any actual conflict having occurred between French and Newfoundland fishermen. But through the obstinacy of the captain of the English warship in prohibiting the natives from catching fish while the French were there, the Newfoundlanders only got half the catch of last year. Herring were there in abundance, but the people were not allowed to take them until after the French fleet had gone. By the time the French fleet had obtained their supplies of bait, the herring had taken their departure for other resorts.

GRAND FEATURE.—We are glad to notice that the managers of the grand tea party to be held at Alberton on the 18th prox., are about to make their gathering a matter of importance to the whole Province. It is of the greatest importance that Islanders know something about their own province, and here is an opportunity of seeing the whole Island, from the East to the West, and spending a few hours enjoyably in a thriving and beautifully situated centre. The object, too, is a good one, and we are sure the excursion will be of mammoth proportions.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

THE JOHNSTOWN DISASTER.

Late Reports of the Damage

GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

Pneumonia Breaks Out.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 4. Pneumonia has broken out on Prospect Hill, to which several hundred people had fled from the flood of Friday. Every house on the hill to the number of a hundred or two, had their doors open to receive the bruised and half-clad fugitives on the day of the deluge, and every one is now a crude hospital. The unfeebled condition of the patients, the unhealthy atmosphere pervading the valley, and the necessarily close quarters in which these people are crowded render the spread of pneumonia almost certain. To-day came a carload of provisions and another from Columbus, O., containing clean mattresses and bedding all specially for the Prospect Hill sufferers.

Superintendent Morgan, of the Cambria Iron Co., returned to-day from a tour of the entire flooded district. He declared that but about 15,000 persons were now alive where 29,500 lived before the flood. Adjutant-General Hastings maintains that the death list may not exceed 6,000. Of this number, he thinks 3,000 bodies will never be recovered. Mr. Connaughey, chief of the burial registration, said to-day he was convinced that the number who perished was fully 10,000.

Heartily Welcomed. SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., June 4. The first through St. Paul, Minn., express arrived here at 9.45 this morning, sharp on time. The train consisted of baggage car, colonist sleeper, first-class coach and elegant dining and sleeping cars. Fifty passengers arrived. The train was met at the station by a large crowd, and given a hearty welcome. The first through train from St. Paul and Minneapolis arrived sharp on time, and left for Boston at 2.15 p. m.

Two Assignments. MONTREAL, June 4. The well-known firm of J. & H. Taylor, railway supply dealers, made an assignment yesterday. The liabilities are said to be large. John Ogilvy, merchant, of St. Paul's Street, also assigned with liabilities reaching \$15,000.

About Incorporation. OTTAWA, June 4. It is stated that companies seeking Dominion incorporation have hitherto been habitually asking powers outside of the particular business which they profess to carry on, and that these irregularities will be checked in the issue of letters patent in future.

The [Polynesian-Cynthia Disaster. MONTREAL, June 4. An investigation into the recent collision on the St. Lawrence between the Polynesian and Cynthia was opened here yesterday and postponed until Monday to give the pilots time to prepare for examination.

Out Again. OTTAWA, June 4. Mr. Chisholm, M. P. for New Westminster, B. C., whose life was recently despaired of, delighted his friends by appearing out again to-day. He leaves for home in about ten days.

Life Imprisonment. MONTREAL, June 4. Francis Lamont, who fired at his wife on the 13th May, while drunk, was sent to St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary for life to-day by Judge Dugas.

Board of Trade. MONTREAL, June 5. Sir Donald Smith and Hon. George Drummond were re-elected to-day President and Vice-President of the Bank of Montreal.

The Contract Awarded. OTTAWA, June 4. Rhodes & Curry, of Amherst, have been awarded the contract for the erection of the Dominion public building at Amherst.

Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, June 5.—10 a. m. Fresh south-east to south-west winds, mostly cloudy with showers, not much change in temperature.

DIED. In this city, on the 5th inst., Mrs. Theo. Nelson, in the 29th year of her age. [Funeral to-morrow, at 2.30 o'clock, to People's Cemetery.]

HAWKER'S TOLU AND CHERRY, A Favorite and Most Valuable Remedy for all Throat and Lung Diseases.

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Abundant and Glossy, but it has given my rather stunted mustache a respectable length and appearance."—R. Britton, Oakland, Ohio.

"My hair was coming out (without any assistance from my wife, either). I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor, using only one bottle, and I now have as fine a head of hair as any one could wish for."—R. T. Schmittou, Dickson, Tenn.

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor in my family for a number of years, and regard it as the best hair preparation I know of. It keeps the scalp clean, the hair soft and lively, and preserves the original color. My wife has used it for a long time with most satisfactory results."—Benjamin M. Johnson, M. D., Thomas Hill, Mo.

"My hair was becoming harsh and dry, but after using half a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor it grew black and glossy. I cannot express the joy and gratitude I feel."—Mabel C. Hardy, Delavan, Ill.

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May 27-2w. TO LET! TO LET! A NICE HOUSE on Pleasant Street. Also a Double Tenement on King Street. Possession immediate. Apply to WILLIAM DODD. ap11

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c BOY WANTED.—A Boy to learn the Book-binding business. Apply at once to JAMES D. TAYLOR, north side Queen Square. tf-jub

WANTED.—Two Coat and two Vest Makers.—The highest prices to competent workmen. Apply at once to Mr. Keith, at B. S. Davies & Co's., Merchant Tailors, Cameron Block. ju4

WANTED.—A good Cook. Apply to MRS. INGS, Dundas Esplanade. ju3-3i eod pd

WANTED.—A Boy to attend to a cow and garden, and make himself generally useful. Apply at once at this office. tf-jub

CABBAGE PLANTS.—Prime Cabbage Plants at Melroy's Garden, Sidney Street East. ju3-1w pd

WANTED.—Permanent and transient Boarders. Charges moderate. Apply at RAVERTY HOUSE. ju3-3i eod pd

FOR SALE.—At a bargain, easy terms, a top Buggy (new). Apply at A. McNeill's auction room. m97 tf.

WANTED.—Two respectable Girls, for a private family in St. John, N. B.—A Cook and a Nurse. Good wages. Must have good references. Apply to Mrs. DAVIES, Hotel Davies. may2-2i

TO BE LET.—The Dwelling House formerly occupied by the undersigned, situated on King Street, containing 9 Rooms, with large Garden and Stables. Apply to H. J. CUNDALL. may14

WANTED.—An experienced Accountant, who is otherwise employed during the day, would like to get a set of books to keep in the evenings for a moderate consideration. Apply at EXAMINER'S office. tf eod-may14

WANTED.—A first-class Milliner.—McLEAN, HEARTZ & Co., Sours. may2

TO LET.—"Inkerman House," property of the late Colonel Grey. The property is well situated, with about 25 acres of land. Apply to F. PETERS, Cameron Block. tf-ap20

TO LET.—A comfortable Dwelling House on Euston Street. Enquire of DAVID R. M. HOOPER. may1

TO LET.—That very fine new two-story (Dwelling House on Fownal Street, nearly opposite Murray's Bakery. For further particulars apply at this office. tf-may17

WANTED.—A situation in a Factory, by a steady and capable man. Apply at this office. may6

TO LET.—The House on Orlebar Street recently occupied by Mr. Leslie McNutt, warm and convenient, containing seven comfortable rooms. Rent moderate. Possession at once. Apply to Mrs. BLATCH, corner Great George and Fitzroy Streets. pd 2w-may18

FOR SALE.—An Iron Pump, cheap. Apply at this office. may16

PASTURE TO LET, at "Belvidere." Apply to WILLIAM HARPER, Sr., Fitzroy Street. may15

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