

The Daily Examiner

DECEMBER 9, 1885.

Two Lessons

We have now good grounds for the hope that the visitation of smallpox will soon be nothing more in Charlotetown than a sad remembrance of moral evil and civic apathy and neglect.

The other lesson to be drawn from the smallpox visitation is the importance of having all the children vaccinated.

The strength of the epidemic is now, we are rejoiced to say, almost completely spent.

The N. Y. World says that the Democratic House of Representatives is bound to abolish war taxes and to reduce the public burdens as much as possible.

The petrified skeleton of a whale, over 30 feet long, has been discovered by an officer of the California Coast Survey, on a range of mountains in Monterey County, over 9,000 feet above sea level.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH.

DEATHS AND CONDITIONS OF PATIENTS.

Dr. Jenkins, at noon to-day made the following report:

To the Chairman of the Board of Health:

SIR,—I report the death of Thomas Strathman, a German who was employed as cook. He suffered from asthma and chronic bronchitis. On Friday he showed symptoms of smallpox. The attack was severe, but acute bronchitis set in and he quickly succumbed.

Kinsman and Corney are very low. Christy Bell had a good night. Mrs. Waughan has metro-hemorrhage, which makes her case critical. There is no change to report in the convalescent.

I have, &c., J. T. JENKINS, Health Officer.

THE SITUATION.

Dr. Johnson this forenoon made the following report to the Board of Health:—

HEALTH OFFICE, Wednesday, Dec. 9, 1885.

To His Worship the Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Health.

SIR,—In order to allay all needless fears, and to reassure the public mind in so far as the facts of the case will warrant, I beg to present the following report for publication, should your Board deem it advisable:

Since the night of November 12th last, when information was first given to me of the disease being in the family of Mrs. Thompson, and it was recognized to be fully developed smallpox of the severest type, no efforts have been spared which could be put forth for the prompt suppression of the epidemic.

Whereas, A resolution was passed by this Board on the 30th ult., prohibiting the Captain of the steamer Heather Belle from landing any passenger or passengers, resident or residents of Charlotetown or any other infected district, or any passenger or passengers resident of any district not yet infected, who may have remained in Charlotetown over night, or any persons under the influence of intoxicating liquors, at either Halliday's or Brush wharves.

Whereas, It is evident that the said Captain of steamer Heather Belle has violated said order.

Resolved, That this Board notify the said Captain of steamer Heather Belle that any further violation of said order will be dealt with as the law in such cases directs.

In this connection, and as special evidence of the protective power of vaccination, it is to be noted that in many of the houses and small tenements in which the disease broke out, there were crowded families, in some instances to the number of eight or ten members, all of whom have escaped the disease thus far.

Table with columns: HOUSES, LOCATION, PATIENTS, RESULTS. Lists names like Dr. Cox, Mr. J. Wheat, C. Davy, Miss Callaghan, J. W. Mitchell, Capt. Walsh, Mrs. Cronan, Mr. Redmond, Mrs. Waters, Miss Hearty, Mr. Ryan, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. McMahon, Mr. Deady, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Long, Mr. Doan, Mrs. McNis, Mrs. McNis.

Since noon of Monday up to the present hour (11 a.m.) no new cases are known to have occurred.

The present indications are that with proper vigilance and care still to be observed, the city will soon be freed from the ravages of this dire pestilence, which may, God grant in answer to the earnest prayers of His people, and in reward of the patient, persevering and diligent efforts of those upon whom have devolved the dangerous exposures, the onerous duties and grave responsibilities of the occasion.

I am, Sir, Your obedient servant, RICHARD JOHNSON, Health Officer.

dollars for the benefit of the smallpox patients. The cash was mailed to-day. O. B. WADMAN, Secretary.

FROM BERMUDA.

The following subscriptions were made on board the brig. Zolca, at Bermuda, in aid of the smallpox patients in Charlotetown Smallpox Hospital:—Peter Murchison (Captain), \$2; Andrew Robertson (mate), \$1; Simon A. Murchison (2nd mate), \$1; Solomon Colly, cook and steward, \$1; Norman McLeod, A. B., \$1; Angus McLeod, A. B., \$1; John Neilson, A. B., \$1; Neil Neilson, A. B., \$1. Total, \$9.00.

The following acknowledgement was omitted last week:—A number of children, for their sick little brothers and sisters, a parcel of toys and picture books, collected by Miss Louisa Hales.

THE ELDON BOARD OF HEALTH SPEAKS OUT.

The Board of Health for Lots 57 and 58 met here again this afternoon, and began business by expressing great thankfulness to Almighty God that their precinct was so far free from the affliction of smallpox; and also expressing their disappointment and indignation at the action of Capt. Hugh McLean, of the steamer Heather Belle, in utterly disregarding and openly violating an order of this Board, made on the 30th ult., forbidding him to land any passenger or passengers, resident or non-resident of Charlotetown or any other infected district, at either Halliday's or Brush wharves, if being well known that several passengers, chiefly ladies residing in Charlotetown, were allowed on board the boat, and landed therefrom at Halliday's wharf on the 1st inst., after a copy of the said order had been delivered to him.

Resolved, That this Board notify the said Captain of steamer Heather Belle that any further violation of said order will be dealt with as the law in such cases directs.

Resolved, That Alexander McMillan and James St. G. Moore, Esqs., wait on and consult H. D. Johnson, on the propriety and justice of making the sum of sixteen cents a general charge for vaccination, when parties meet him on appointed days in the respective school houses.

D. A. McLEOD, Chairman. JOHN O'CONNELL, Secretary.

Eldon, Dec. 7, 1885.

NOTES.

No new cases to-day.

Wanted at Hospital:—Men's Underclothing, Linters, Drawers and Socks.

Mr. Bourke, of the bark Lucy Pope, at Quarantine Hospital, is convalescent. Dr. Warburton took the nurse from the Hospital this forenoon.

Mrs. Pickard and her two daughters, and Mrs. Way, would have been discharged from the smallpox hospital to-day had the weather been favorable.

The houses of William Murphy and Allan Stewart, Southport, have been flagged, because some of the inmates were reported as visiting the infected district in this city.

It is currently reported that Thomas Strathman, the cook at the smallpox hospital, died from the effects of drinking a quantity of medicine given to him to be applied externally for rheumatism. Such is not the case. It is true he drank the medicine, but he had fully recovered from its effects before he contracted smallpox.

Damage to Souris Breakwater.

The storm of Saturday and Monday last did considerable damage along our coast. The Souris Breakwater has been badly injured, the outer wall from the end of the slope to the shore—the part built by Taylor & Wilson under the late government—having been carried away. The outer section, though severely tested, withstood the storm. The work recently done by way of repairs is also uninjured.

Summerside Notes.

Up till to-day, the 8th December, the Princess of Wales has, with one or two exceptions, made her trips between here and Point duChene with strict regularity. Indeed we may say the service has been, this season, satisfactorily performed. At nine o'clock this morning she took her departure for Charlotetown, and we have seen the last of Captain Cameron and his steamer until next spring.

The ice is making around the wharves. It never found Summerside better prepared for winter. The vessels that were intended for sea have all been loaded and away.

The smallpox excitement appears to have subsided. The town is full of country people every day. On Saturday last we had a market that would have done no discredit to Charlotetown. Everything was bought up, either for local consumption or export. Business generally is good.

The revenue statement to 30th November shows the receipts to be \$12,453,074. This is a decrease of \$1,635,640, compared with the same five months last year. The chief decreases in outlays are owing to the great decreases in imports of breadstuffs and provisions. The receipts from excise are rapidly picking up. Of the decrease \$400,000 is accounted for by the fact that the payment of interest by the C. P. R. was last session changed from November to next January. The expenditure side for the five months just ended, shows a total ordinary expenditure of \$12,811,762, which is \$71,800 more than the corresponding months of the previous fiscal year. In addition to the ordinary expenditure, the war expenditure during the past five months has been \$1,918,000.

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Ch'town, Dec. 9, 1885.

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GOOD WORKMANSHIP.

CLOTH, by the yard or piece, Very Cheap. We have on hand a few Suits and Overcoats, made to order, not called for.

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Ch'town, Dec. 3, 1885.—and wky 2mos

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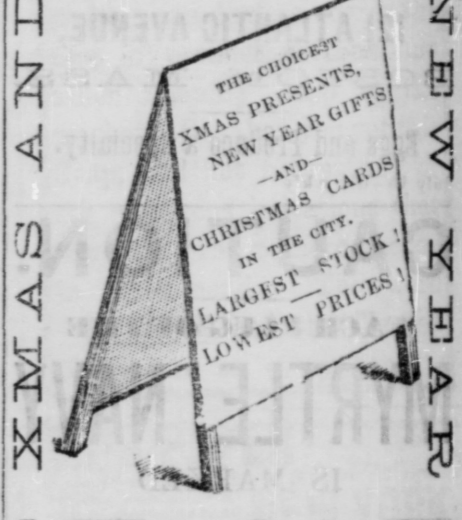
- MEN'S REEFERS, \$3.25, \$4.50, \$5 and up.
Men's Black Reefers and Overcoats, \$3.25, \$4, \$5 and up.
Men's Black Worsted Overcoats, neat and durable, \$8.50 to \$15.
Men's Black Worsted Suits (a wonderful bargain) only \$6.50, worth \$10.
Men's Heavy Winter Pants, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 and up.
Tryon Tweed Suits, made to measure, \$11, \$12, \$13 and up.
Tryon Tweed Ulsters, to measure, \$10, \$12 and up.
Tryon Tweed Pants, to measure, \$2.75, \$3.50 and up.
Men's Scotch Tweeds Suits, to measure, worth \$25, now only \$16.
Men's Scotch Tweed Pants, made to measure, \$4, worth \$6.
Men's Kid and Knit Gloves, in assorted patterns, 60cts, \$1 and up.
Men's Russia Papokin Caps, only \$2; Cloth Caps in all the Colors, 50cts, up.
Men's Heavy Napcloth Reefers, made to measure, with velvet collar, \$7.85.
Men's Heavy Napcloth and Worsted Overcoats, to measure, only \$10.
Child's Braided Suits, in the latest Paris fashion, \$1.75, \$3 and up.
Mouth's Suits, in Scotch and Canadian makes, very stylish, \$3, up.
Carlots of Shirts and Drawers, in lambswool and cashmere, 30cts to \$3 each.
A solid wall of Scotch and Island Tweeds at 40cts up.
Men's Heavy Top Shirts, in cloth, flannel and union, 30cts to \$2 each.
Ladies' Corsets, in the very newest makes, only 50cts for a heavy double busk.
Ladies' 4-lap Dent's Kid Gloves, every pair sold giving satisfaction, only 80cts.
Ladies' Cloth, Ringwood, and Jersey Gloves, 20cts up.
Ladies' Collars only 60cts, up; Neck Drilling 60cts up.
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Ladies' Jackets, made to measure and a perfect fit warranted, cheap.
Scotch, Cocoon, Canadian and Tryon Knitting Yarns.
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Cotton Flannels, All-wool Flannels and Tickling, all shades.
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Acres of Men's Mufflers and Scarfs, in silk and wool, 25cts up.
Real Saxony Wool Tweeds, winter weights, only 50cts, worth \$1.
Velvet Picture Frames, cabinet size, only 50cts, worth \$1.50.
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Ch'town, Dec. 9, 1885.

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