

Local and Other Items.

To Night—Bargains at McEachen's Shoe Store to-night.

Scott Act.—One offender went to jail last evening for two months.

Old-Weather Bargains.—If you want a pair of boots cheap and good, call and see McEachen, the shoe man.

St. Paul's.—The social in St. Paul's Schoolroom last evening was well attended, and was a very pleasant affair.

To Correspondents.—"Witness" must state his proper name to his communication as he deals with a personal matter.

Make a Note of It.—St. Joseph's Bazaar takes place in the Market Hall on Wednesday and Thursday, November 26th and 27th.

Scott Act.—An Asa Cummings, St. Peter's Bay, was, at the prosecution of William Nicholson, Inspector of Licenses, convicted and fined \$50 and costs for violation of Canada Temperance Act.

Notice to Taxpayers.—All persons who have not paid their real property and poll tax for 1890 had better do so at once and save expenses of collection.—Robert Van der Stine, City Collector. nov14 2t

Epidemic.—The epidemic of scarlet fever has closed the A'berton public schools for a fortnight. The type is so malignant that the health officer deemed it his duty to advise the board of health to this effect.

Lecture at Georgetown.—Rev. Mr. Sutherland, of Zion Church, Charlottetown, will lecture in the Court House at Georgetown on Tuesday, the 25th inst. Subject: "Scottish Characteristics."

Monster Turnips.—H. Landry, of St. Louis, Kent Co., N. B., raised a turnip that measured 37 inches in circumference and weighed 19 1/2 pounds, and another that measured 35 inches and weighed 18 pounds.

Special Services.—The special services which have been held during the past few weeks in the basement of the Methodist Brick Church are growing in interest and will be continued during the coming week.

Cotton Factory Sale.—A Halifax despatch says: It is said that a definite arrangement has been made for the sale of the Halifax cotton factory at 55 cents on the dollar, 24 cents in cash, the rest in stock.

In Distress.—The Halifax Herald says: A despatch received yesterday says: The schooner Charles E. Finley, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., from London, Oct. 12, for Philadelphia, has put into Queenstown leaking with the loss of all sails.

The P. E. Island Hospital has received the following amounts: \$29.25 from Murray Harbor South Methodist Church, Thanksgiving collection; \$31.22 from Zion Church, city, Thanksgiving collection; \$3.21, collection on Montague Methodist circuit.

The Halifax.—The steamer Halifax still continues to do a large business between Halifax and Boston. On her last trip she had a full cargo and 200 passengers. She will continue to leave Halifax for Boston every Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock.

Legal.—The well-known law firm of Davies & Sutherland has been dissolved, and Mr. Davies has taken into partnership Messrs. F. L. Hazard and Oliver Rattenbury. The new firm will be known as Davies and Hazard. THE EXAMINER wishes the firm success in business.

Lecture.—The second lecture of the course in connection with the Young Men's Literary Society, of St. James' church, will be given in St. James' Hall, on Tuesday evening next, 18th inst. The subject will be "John Bright," and the lecturer Rev. W. P. Archibald. There should be a large attendance.

Want Canned Goods.—An Ottawa despatch says that the minister of agriculture has received a letter from a prominent commission merchant in London, stating that there is a great demand there for canned fruit and vegetables. These have hitherto been procured from the United States, but the merchants would prefer dealing with Canada. Canned apples in gallon cans is especially in demand now.

To Shippers.—As will be seen on reference to our advertising columns, the steamship Landa, of Pickford & Black's West India Line, will sail from Halifax on the 11th December next for Demerara, calling at Bermuda, St. Thomas, St. Kitt's, Antigua, Gaudaloupe, Martinique, St. Lucia, Barbados, and Trinidad, returning via the same ports and St. John, N. B. This steamer has excellent passenger and freight accommodation. Mr. W. W. Clarke is the agent at Charlottetown, and he will be happy to furnish any further information that may be desired.

Schooner in Danger.—The schr. Willie Macgowan, arrived at Souris this morning, reports a schooner of about ninety to a hundred tons on her beam ends, water-logged off Cape George. It is evident that the damaged vessel has been in collision. There is a large hole near her fore-chains, and she is in a very dangerous position. It is thought that she is loaded with potatoes. The schr. Scylla left Crapaud on Friday last, with a load of potatoes, and was run into by a steamer near Picou. It is thought that it was this steamer that the Captain of the Willie Macgowan saw off Cape George. The name of the steamer that collided with the Scylla is not known. The crew had left the vessel.

A Salvationist Assaulted.—During the progress of a holiness meeting at the Salvation Army Barracks last evening, the janitor, Albert Allin, who was in charge of the door, deemed it necessary to go outside the building and inform some young men who were on the platform that they had better stop making a noise, as they were disturbing the meeting. The young men evidently did not take kindly to Allin's advice, and one of them stepped forward, and telling Allin not to shove him, struck him a violent blow over the left eye, cutting and blacking it. Allin says he was struck with a steel knuckle. After being struck, Allin started for the doctor's to have his injured eye dressed, but had not proceeded far when he was overtaken by the same young man and again beaten. When picked up by a fellow Salvationist and a friend later on Allin was insensible. His assailants will probably figure at the Police Court in the course of a few days.

BIRCHALL'S EXECUTION.

NO BUNGLING.

Death in Six Minutes.

Wonderful Coolness and Fortitude.

THE UNFORTUNATE WIFE.

[The following telegram was received too late for insertion in THE EXAMINER of last evening.]

WOODSTOCK, Ont., Nov. 14.

John Reginald Birchall was hanged at 8.30 this morning.

There was no bungling, and the condemned man behaved with the same marvellous coolness that has characterized him throughout.

The parting between husband and wife last night was terrible in its effects upon her, but he, though badly unnerved, bore it well.

He slept none last night.

At six o'clock he rose and dressed. The morning was fine and sunny.

About two hundred persons gained admittance to the jail yard, and curiously watched hangman Rattley making the final preparations.

At 25 minutes past eight the procession started for the gallows, the Rev. Mr. Wade reading the service for the dead.

Birchall walked between his Oxford friend (Arthur Leatham) and Cameron, the day guard. He was firm and erect, dressed in tight-fitting Prince Albert coat, with his mustache daintily curled and his hair parted in the middle.

He raised his eyes to the gallows and looked steadily thereon, while the clergyman continued the services. His fortitude was marvellous. The clergyman and Leatham in turn placed their arms around him and kissed him. Not a muscle of his face moved as the rope was finally adjusted, and he shook the hangman by the hand with strong grasp.

At 8.27, as the words "forgive us our trespasses," fell from the Chaplain's lips, the drop fell. In six minutes life was pronounced extinct, and ten minutes later the body was cut down.

The writhing of the body continued three minutes after the drop fell. The neck was dislocated.

Three minutes after the execution took place it was bulletined in London and all over Canada and the United States, through enterprise of the C. P. R. who had instruments within twenty feet of the scaffold.

Mrs. Birchall is sleeping under the influence of opiates, and the news has not been broken to her.

ANOTHER DESPATCH.

WOODSTOCK, Nov. 14.

John Reginald Birchall was hanged this morning. He retained his jaunty, callous air to the end. He did not sleep any last night, and although looking a little tired, when his barber arrived at 7 o'clock to shave him, he was as unconcerned as possible, and playfully alluded to the executioner as the "Professor."

Rev. Canon Wade passed a good part of the night in the cell, but no confession came from Birchall.

Birchall was accompanied to the scaffold by his old college chum, Leatham, of Montreal, and before the noose was adjusted he kissed Rev. Mr. Wade and Mr. Leatham on the lips, with a soft good bye to each. These were his only words.

Redcliffe, the hangman from behind, seized the noose and passed it about Birchall's neck, adjusting the knot under the left ear, then he produced a black cap and dropped it over Birchall's head.

The supreme moment was at hand, but there was no tremor through the body, nothing whatever to indicate fear.

The cap being adjusted, Redcliffe seized Birchall's right hand in his hand, and it was seen that he warmly grasped the hand of the hangman.

John Perry, son of Sheriff Perry, gave the signal, and at 8.29 the weight dropped and Birchall was shot into the air.

It was evident that he was dying hard, and to all appearances was dying not from a broken neck, but from strangulation.

Dr. Chamberlain, the prison inspector stepped forward and put his finger on the pulse. "He's dead!" said the hangman two minutes after the weight fell.

Mrs. Birchall was asleep when her husband died. When she awoke the main facts of the execution were related to her by her sister and Mr. Leatham. She bore up much more bravely than was expected.

Anti-Lottery Law Again.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.

The board of managers of the Adam's Express Company, yesterday held their first meeting since the passage of the United States anti-lottery act. The board was unanimously of the opinion that the provisions of the law were so morally obligatory upon the company as they were legally binding upon the postal authorities. The attention of the board was called to the fact that the post office department had issued regulations to its subordinates as to the manner in which they should observe the provisions and intent of the act, and the board adopted a resolution making such regulations applicable to the employees of the Company just as if the employees had been specially named.

Canadian Eggs Abroad.

OTTAWA, Nov. 14.

A cablegram to the Acting Minister of Finance from Sir Charles Tupper states that a consignment of Canadian eggs has recently been received by a Liverpool firm of long experience, who state that for size, quality, condition, and style of packing, they are superior to any others on the Liverpool market. Dealers state that prospects are most hopeful.

K. D. C. Cures Dyspepsia.

Granite Cutters Demand.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 14.

A meeting of the Granite Cutters and Sharpeners unanimously adopted a resolution that the men at the New England works should not return to work until their demand for payment on Company's time be complied with.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Nov. 15.—10 a. m.

Moderate winds, fair weather, with a little lower temperature.

Local Notices.

New pearl barley and fresh-ground Graham flour, just received at Beer & Goff's. nov15 3t wky1

Hanging lamps and stand lamps of various patterns and designs, selling very cheap; at the cheapest crockery store.—W. P. Colwill. Nov. 5 6wdw.

Ex Damara from London, 100 half-chests and boxes tea, selling low, wholesale and retail at J. B. Macdonald's. nov13 6t

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil.—Fresh stock received to-day, direct from the manufacturers. Sold wholesale and retail by Geo. E. Hughes, Apothecaries' Hall. nov11 3t

Eggs.—Don't kill your hens, the consumer pays the duty. R. K. Brace is giving a cent more this week for eggs, which is within one cent of what he was giving before the McKinley bill came into effect.—R. K. Brace. Nov. 12.

A splendid show of crockery and glassware in plain and fancy patterns. Something worth seeing; at the cheapest crockery store.—W. P. Colwill. Nov. 5 6wdw.

Call and see the choice lot of fall and winter goods, in dinner sets, tea sets, and chamber sets; at the cheapest crockery store.—W. P. Colwill. Nov. 5 6wdw.

DIED.

At the residence of her son, Mr. Michael Quigley, Kildare River, on the 10th inst., Ann, relict of the late John Fitzgerald, aged 71 years. May she rest in peace.

THE LATEST BIRCHALL STORY.

A Buffalo paper prints a letter signed J. B. Litchfield, which states that the writer and two others, members of the Murder League, killed Birchall, though it is admitted that Birchall had cognizance of and aided in the crime. Judge McMahon and seven of the jurors at the trial are to suffer death at the hands of the league if Birchall is hanged. The letter says that prior to Birchall's arrest the league had offices in London and carried on the business of enticing young Englishmen of means to this country and robbing them. The letter is post-marked Buffalo, Nov. 10, 2 p. m.

THE LOSS OF THE SERPENT.

A London despatch says: The official statement regarding the loss of the Serpent has been issued. It shows that the vessel had 176 men on board, and that only three seamen were saved. The Spanish Government have been asked to assist in recovering the bodies of the lost. The British Government are offering a reward for each body. Advice from Corunna state the bodies of twenty-one sailors have been washed ashore.

Big Demand.

We learn that the railway cannot half supply the demand for cars for potato shipments just now.

Good set of Artificial teeth for \$8.

at Murray's Dental Parlors, Queen Street. wky 11 dy 3t eod.

SCOTLAND FOR EVER.

THE ANNUAL DINNER in honor of St. Andrew's Day, under the auspices of the Caledonian Club, will be held at the

OSBORNE HOUSE,

—ON—

Monday Evening, Dec. 1st,

AT 8.30 O'CLOCK.

Railway return tickets, at one first-class fare, will be issued from all points on Monday, Dec. 1st, good to return on the 2nd, to parties attending this celebration.

TICKETS, ONE DOLLAR. For sale at W. R. Watson's, Reddin Bros., and C. D. Rankin's Drug Stores, and from the Committee.

CHAS. WEBSTER, W. McNEILL, Chairman Com. Secy. Com.

LAST TRIP THIS SEASON!

For St. John's, Newfoundland.

THE S. S. "BONAVISTA," for St. John's, Newfoundland, will be due at Charlottetown on SATURDAY, the 22nd inst., and will carry Cattle and Sheep on deck.

For Freight or Passage apply to PEAKE BROS. & CO., Agents. nov13

WANTS, LOST, FOUND &c

DYEING.—Mrs. Stair wishes to inform her customers that she has removed across the street to the new house opposite the one previously occupied by her, where she will continue Cleaning and Dyeing Gentlemen's Clothes as heretofore in the usual first-class style. nov15—3t eod

TO LET.—A House on Douglas Street, containing five rooms, with garden attached. For particulars apply at this office. nov15

HORSE FOR SALE.—Any person in need of a good general purpose horse would do well to apply at once to P. O. Box 169. 2t pd—nov15

WANTED.—A Girl for general housework, to whom good wages will be given. Apply at this office. 3t—nov15

WANTED.—By a young man of steady habits, from the country, a situation as apprentice. Apply at this office. 2t pd—nov15

WANTED.—A good plain Cook, Highest wages and no washing. Apply to Mrs. NEIL McLEOD, Hillside, uzh square. nov15

FOR SALE.—A Hall Stove—Sultana Base Burner—in good condition.—R. K. JOST. nov10—4t

WINTER CLOTHING!

Reefers and Overcoats.

JAS. PATON & CO. are selling cheap, and the public are taking advantage of it. We hold a very large and complete stock of Readymade Clothing for Boys, Youths and Men.

Fur Goods! Fur Goods!

This season we have taken great pains in selecting our stock of Furs. Never before have we offered such inducements in this department. Our Astracan Jackets are wonderful value. Muffs, Capes, Boas, Collars and Caps. Goat Robes very cheap.

JAMES PATON & CO., MARKET SQUARE.

\$10,000 WORTH READY-MADE CLOTHING FOR SALE CHEAP at J. B. MACDONALD'S.

Table listing various clothing items and prices, including Overcoats, Reefers, and Suits.

Men's Suits! Men's Suits! Boys' Overcoats! Boys' Reefers! Boys' Suits! Boys' Suits! The largest and cheapest stock of Ready-made Clothing in the city.

J. B. MACDONALD.

Dominion Boot and Shoe Store.

345 Cases of Boots and Shoes. 140 Cases Men's Women's and Children's Rubbers

We claim to have the best selected stock of Boots in P. E. Island, and can sell at least 10 PER CENT. cheaper than any other house. Just try and see for yourselves, at THE DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

Charlottetown, Oct. 9, 1890—eod & wky

Telephone Company of P. E. Island.

TOLL LINE STATIONS.

- List of Western and Eastern Stations for the Telephone Company, including Charlottetown, Hunter River, New Glasgow, etc.

ROB ANGUS, Manager. Charlotte town, Oct. 14, 1890.

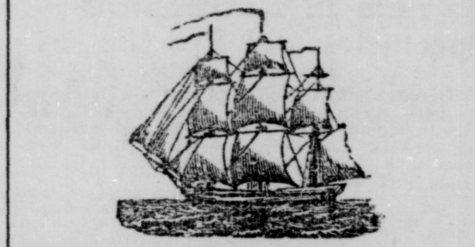
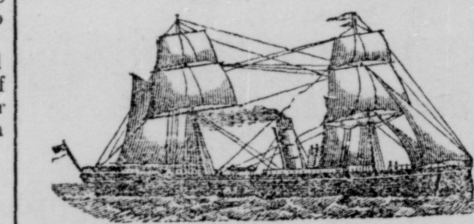
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Account Books of Every Description Made to Order. BOOKBINDING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

WORK DONE WHEN PROMISED. Parties attending the Exhibition will do well to call on us while in Town.

TAYLOR & GILLESPIE, Sign of the Big Book, J. D. McLeod's Corner, Queen Street. Charlottetown, Sept. 29, 1890.



For Charter.

BARBENTINE "EREMA," 300 Tons Register, A1 at Lloyds, now at Peake's No. 1 Wharf landing cargo from Liverpool, is open for Charter either to United States ports or West Indies, or would carry Starch to Liverpool, England. Apply to PEAKE BROS. & CO. nov8—4t



MOURNING GOODS.

In calling your attention to our stock of BLACK GOODS, we desire you to note the Excellent Values given in French and India Serges, Cashmeres, French Merinos and Henrietta Cloths, Dalgoa Stripes and German Diagonals, new and rich, Courtald's and Priestly's Crapes, Mourning Millinery, Crape Bonnets and Hats.

STANLEY BROS.,

BROWN'S BLOCK. nov7

TO LET.—A Dwelling House on Upper Euston Street, in good order. Apply to CHARLES McCREGOR. 2w—nov1