

LOCAL AND OTHER MATTERS.

SMALL POX is decreasing in Montreal.

WANTED.—A registry of births, marriages and deaths is wanted in this Island.

MORTUARY.—About one hundred bodies were interred in the Protestant Cemetery, Charlottetown, during the past year.

HARPER'S NEW MONTHLY MAGAZINE, for February, is at hand. It is well filled with highly interesting reading matter.

"NEW DOMINION MONTHLY" for January, has been received. It contains various well selected.

A LIMITED NUMBER of new subscribers may be supplied with back numbers of the EXAMINER from the 1st January, 1874.

DIPHTHERIA is very prevalent in several parts of the Island. It also prevails in some parts of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

POLITICAL.—Hon. Mr. Christie has been gazetted Speaker of the Senate, and Hon. R. W. Scott has been sworn in as Secretary of State, vice Hon. Mr. Christie.

CANADIAN WANTED.—Sir Garnet Wolseley writes to a friend in the Dominion, that he wishes greatly that he had two hundred Canadian volunteers with him in the West African bush.

A GOOD STROKE.—A good stroke of business was done by one of our merchants the other day when he bought a \$10,000 debt of one of our bankrupt mercantile firms for \$38, and a few days afterwards realized upwards of \$1,100 on it.—St. John Globe.

CO-EDUCATION OF THE SEXES.—We have lately been thinking over the question, whether or not it would be well to admit young women to Prince of Wales College. Their admittance might result in an influx of many young men, so that the empty rooms of the College building might be filled, and the grace of highly educated professors might have something to do!

REMEMBER MR. Young's lecture on "The Mineral Resources of Prince Edward Island," in Temperance Hall, to-morrow (Tuesday) evening. Tickets 12 cents; reserved seats 25 cents.—For sale at the stores of W. R. Watson's, H. A. Harvie's, Bremner Brothers, and at the door. Proceeds to be given to Charitable Institutions in the city.

TOTAL REVENUE OF CANADA.—The total revenue of the Dominion for the six months ending 31st December, 1873, was \$11,940,815.85, and during the corresponding period of the previous year \$10,394,394.19, showing an increase in 1873 of \$1,546,421.66. The revenue derived from customs in the same period of 1873 was \$6,811,664.64, and in 1872 \$6,533,322.21, showing an increase in 1873 of \$278,342.43. The above exhibit is very gratifying.

CUTTING SARCASTIC.—Great satirists often enclose their most cutting words in a parenthesis. The writer of the advertisement calling in tenders for the conveyance of mails between Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia during the winter—aimed a keen and well pointed dart of sarcasm at the Steam Navigation Company, when he wrote the following:—

"Tenders must specify rate per season, from closing at Charlottetown, until paddle-wheel steamers resume trips in spring (sailing generally from first December till May 7)."

If he written "from the first December till the first June," their wouldn't have been any sarcasm in it.

POOR LAWS.—We are indebted to Mr. D. Collins, of Clyman, Dodge County, Wisconsin, for a copy of the Poor Laws of that County. We are also indebted to Mr. Robert Harris, of this city, but now residing in Boston—for a copy of regulations respecting the Poor House of Massachusetts. Before the meeting of the Legislature, we hope to lay before our readers a scheme for the amelioration and improvement of the condition of the poor in this Island. Meanwhile, to those who may have thoughts about this important subject, we extend a cordial invitation to ventilate them through the columns of the EXAMINER. We trust that the benevolent movement commenced at Christmas, may not be allowed to stop until something worthy of a civilized—Christian community—be done for our poor.

A FORTUNE STORY.—The Halifax Reporter says: About six weeks ago, one of the city papers contained an advertisement, from a lawyer in Dublin, asking for information regarding the whereabouts of the male and female members of a family named Cody, and who were supposed to have settled in some part of the British American Provinces. As it happens one of the family resides in this city. Feeling assured that she was one of the persons inquired after, she placed herself in communication with the Dublin lawyer, and by the last English mail received a letter from home, containing the welcome intelligence that by the decease of a brother in Ireland, she was part heir to £50,000 sterling. There are only three direct heirs to this vast fortune, the woman in question, a brother who resides in Newfoundland, and another married sister who is also supposed to be living in some part of Newfoundland. The other members of the family are dead. The matter has been placed in the hands of a solicitor in this city, and such steps taken as to ensure the fortunate heir in question obtaining possession of her share of the fortune, which will be something like \$80,000.

FIRE IN OTTAWA.—An Ottawa Despatch, Jan. 17th, reports:—"The Offices of the Canada Pacific Railway were destroyed by fire last night. It is reported that the fire started in the building where the messenger living in the building had lately time to get his wife and eight children out of the room where they were, when the ceiling above fell. Several persons attempted to go to the office of Mr. Fleming, for the valuable documents it contained, but were driven back by the fire, and had a narrow escape from serious injury. Meantime the Government officials put forth strenuous efforts to save papers which were in the office above, but the flames had obtained such headway that they were only able to get out very few, consisting principally of charts and plans. An abundant supply of water was at hand, obtained from the tank of the buildings but the fire spread and the place was doomed, the loss is serious, but two fireproof safes, containing books and other valuable papers, resisted the flames. The contents were found to-day legible, but greatly damaged by heat. The documents can be copied. The most valuable contents of offices are destroyed, and cannot be replaced without new surveys. The loss is estimated at one million and a half dollars. The cause of the fire has not yet been ascertained."

A later despatch says the loss is not so great as at first reported.

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REMEMBER the "Penny Readings" at St. Peter's Schoolroom to-morrow (Tuesday) evening.

Daniel Green, Esq., who has been suffering lately from a severe attack of bronchitis, we are glad to learn is fast recovering.—Journal.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Donald Currie—the lately appointed Collector of Customs at Charlottetown—is, we learn, with regret, laboring under an attack of illness.

SUMMERSIDE is fast becoming the liveliest town in the British Provinces. A Magistrate's Court is held every day to settle run-sellers' rums. Who says we don't want a police force?—Journal.

"BOWTOWN RAIPANT."—Under this caption the Summerside Journal gives the details of a ruffianly attack, in Summerside, on Mr. Dimock Archibald, by a toper named Richard Baker.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The first Sunday School Convention for Prince County is summoned to meet in the Presbyterian Church, Summerside, on Friday evening, 20th inst., at 7 o'clock. The Convention is called by the County Secretary, Robert Gordon, Esq., who acts by authority of the General Convention for the Maritime Provinces.—Journal.

PROSPERITY OF QUEBEC.—The revenue of the Province of Quebec, during the past fiscal year reached \$1,999,942.57, some \$125,000 over the actual revenue of 1871. Including all annual receipts, the amount in the treasury was \$484,001.45 and \$1,200,000 has been granted as a subsidy to the Northern Colonization Railway, and all the land, excepting a block valued at \$1,800,000, has been surrendered. The estimate for the next fiscal year is \$1,762,934.03.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—At a meeting of the above Association on Monday evening last, presided over by R. A. Strong, Esq., a constitution for the government of the society was submitted and adopted. The following persons were elected officers for the ensuing year:—President, J. R. Calhoun, Esq.; Vice Presidents, Hon. James Muirhead, R. A. Strong, F. Collins, and Thomas Mackinlay, Esquires; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. N. McKay; Board of Directors, Messrs. Thomas, Brehaut, David Montgomery, Chas. W. Strong, Joseph Bertram, George Snelton, and D. Archibald.

D. STUART, Sec. pro tem. Summerside, Jan. 22 1874.

SUMMERSIDE GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—Yesterday we went into the Summerside Grammar School, taught by Mr. McKinnon. We were surprised to find so many in attendance. There were 65 on the roll and 60 present. The School, under the judicious management of Mr. McKinnon, has become a credit to our town. It is a matter of astonishment that no assistant has been appointed by the Government. The amount of work to be done is far too much for one teacher. Besides this, Mr. McKinnon's salary is inadequate to the amount and quality of the work done. Surely, if the Visitor and Treasurer were to make a proper representation of the case, there would be no difficulty in rectifying the matter.—Journal.

NEUTRALITY INTERRUPTED.—The North Sydney Herald says: a few days ago a youth, over whose head some eighteen summers have passed, concluded to enter the ranks of Hymen. His father forbade the marriage, and took the youth home. The friends of the intended bride assembled in force and demanded the would-be groom. In a most brutal manner they assaulted the house with clubs, bricksbats, and other warlike utensils, with hostile intent, and threatened to have the life of an older brother. The boy's father has complained to L. Robertson, J.P., of the outrage, and we hope the offenders will get their deserts in a most summary manner from the Court. Pretty hard lines that a young fellow is forced, at the sword's point, to marry.

LOSS OF VIT.—The following appears in the Liverpool Advertiser:—

Mr. Editor.—At an entertainment by Charles Cameron of this place, at his residence on New Year's Day, there were present among the guests and at the table, both for dinner and tea, five persons, whose united ages amounted to four hundred and sixteen years, and were able to partake heartily of the good cheer provided. Their separate ages run as follows:—

John Cameron, Esq., 90 years. Mrs. Lane, his wife, 94 " Mrs. McDonald, his sister, 82 " Miss Arinla McLeod, 74 " And your servant the writer, 74 " (No fractions of years added.) Yours, very respectfully, J. B. McLeon. Brookfield, Q. C., Jan. 5, 1874.

THE INSOLVENT LIST.—Our annual record of the "killed, wounded and missing" from the ranks of trade in 1873 is a long and grim tale of disaster. It is apparent that there has been no decrease in the rate of mercantile mortality; the causes often pointed out in these columns to which the bankruptcies of previous years were due are still at work, and as it will be seen, with similar results. In Ontario the total number of assignments last year was 430 against 427 in 1872, and in Quebec 273 against 292. In this way a large percentage of the profits of trade are wiped out as with a sponge every year; and so long as reckless crediting is indulged in, and men without business training, poor in capital and character, are encouraged to enter the ranks of trade, matters will not mend. Our annual list will continue to spread over several pages to the exclusion of other topics to which we should much prefer to see them devoted.—The Monetary Times.

SEVERE COURT.—Quite a number of cases were tried during the past week; but only a few interest the public. Charles McKenna and Francis Carroll—indicted for larceny—stealing goods from the store of A. B. Smith—were acquitted. For the prisoners, E. J. Hodgson, for the Crown, the Attorney General and Solicitor General. In the case of Catherine A. Stamp, vs. Geo. E. Full, an action of trespass, verdict was rendered for the plaintiff. The suit was brought to recover damages for injury done to the plaintiff's horse, by pulling down the wall of partition between the plaintiff's and defendant's premises. Damages awarded, \$30. For the Plaintiff Palmer & McLeod; for the defendant, Alley & Davies. In the suit, Henry G. Douse, vs. Joseph Pollard, to recover damages for an assault committed on the person of the plaintiff, damages were awarded by the jury to the amount of \$100. For the plaintiff, Alley & Davies; for the defendant, Bayfield & Hodgson. The case, James McIntyre and another, vs. John McIntyre—an action for trespass—has occupied the Court for the past two days, and is now proceeding.

DEATHS.—The residence of John Shore, Lot 65, on Wednesday, 21st inst., Mr. Michael Hennessy in the 80th year of his age. May he rest in peace. Maritime Catholic and Boston Pilot please copy.

CORRESPONDENCE.

MASONIC FESTIVAL.

To the Editor of the Examiner.

DEAR SIR:—You will remember asking me to attend the Masonic Festival, and give you a report.

I was disappointed in not being able to attend the Tea, but all hands agree it was Kennedy's best. On entering the Hall, I was quite struck by the gay and brilliant appearance of everything. Never yet was the Market Hall so handsomely decorated, and never, surely, did the ancient Fraternity maintain in this place their prestige so ably. There was such an immense crowd in the Hall, that I had to take a back seat. Principal Anderson was in the chair, after cracking some joke about an earnest, which had been found,—at which we all laughed immensely, although we did not see the point—he announced the commencement of the programme, which is as follows:—

PROGRAMME. 1. Opening Ode, "We meet upon the level," Masonic. 2. Blessing, Bro. Rev. Dr. Reade. 3. Instrumental, String Band. 4. Song, "Dublin Bay," Mr. Kinnear. 5. Piano & Violin Duets, Messrs. Earle and Vinnicombe. 6. Song, "Caller Herring," Bro. A. McKinnon. 7. Quartette, "Hail Smiling Morn'g." 8. Reading, George Peake, Esq. 9. Song, Mr. Parker.

INTERMISSION. 10. Instrumental, String Band. 11. Song, "The Newfoundland Dog," Bro. A. Hermans. 12. Trio, Messrs. Kinnear, Beer & DesRivaz. 13. Address, Rev. D. D. Currie. 14. Piano & Violin Duets, Earle & Vinnicombe. 15. Song, "My Daddy's only Son." 16. Recitation, Bro. Thomas A. McLean. 17. Song, Mr. Parker.

1. Song by Fraternity on platform. The appearance of the craft on the stage, with their white aprons, had quite a novel effect. Singing fair.

2. Instead of the Blessing, Mr. B. Davies, junr., sang an Irish song in an irresistibly comic way.

3. This is really an excellent Band, performing in a style never before equalled by any local institution of this kind.

4. Mr. Kinnear sang "Dublin Bay," very nicely, and in good taste, although I could not hear him.

5. Miserere from Trovatore. This exquisite gem was superbly rendered by Messrs. Earle and Montgomery—aided by the appropriate gestures of the latter.

6. With spirit, and in good taste. Encored.

7. A very different piece, sung by four excellent voices, Messrs. Earle, Kinnear, Beer and Davy, but execution defective for want of an accompaniment.

8. Mr. Peake, as usual, held the audience spell-bound, though perhaps he might have made a better selection.

9. A nigger of Mr. Parker's abilities ought to be encouraged. We scarcely think the chairman sympathized with the encore.

INTERMISSION.—Here the usual rush of the male portion of the audience, to see their friends across the street, was interrupted by an announcement from the chair, that a sword dance was to be performed. The cardrop joke was then repeated, but didn't take as well as the first time. Mr. Philip McLean, junr., now appeared in a tasty and appropriate get up, and executed this popular dance in a masterly and graceful manner, accompanied by the martial strains of the Bagpipes, by our venerable piper, Mr. Donald McFadyen. The introduction of the bagpipes caused tremendous enthusiasm—particularly when starting the drone.

10. Coquette Waltzes. Performance excellent. I wished that more than two pieces for the Band had been in the programme.

11. Mr. Hermans is always welcome when he appears before the public, and was loudly applauded on entering the stage, but I think he knew how to sing the "Newfoundland Dog" better. He appeared to pay too much attention to turning over the leaves of his music. Loudly encored.

12. From the well known abilities of these gentlemen, the audience perhaps expected too much, and were rather disappointed.

13. Rev. D. D. Currie's address was postponed on account of the absence of that gentleman.

14. Sylvan Waltzes, by Messrs. Earle, Montgomery and Vinnicombe. Execution, as may be expected, was capital. I believe that Mr. Montgomery is the better violinist, but Mr. Vinnicombe's attitude and style on the stage are preferable to Mr. Montgomery's.

15. Instead of "My Daddy's only Son," Mr. McKinnon sang—"what he has sung so very often—something about a 'saddle on a cow,' and was encored. I think it high time Mr. McKinnon had a new song.

16. "The Letter G." Mr. McLean rendered this really excellent and appropriate piece in a graphic style; and on being encored, brought down the house by badly selling them on "Mary, I've found that old sea."

17. Our colored friend again appeared, accompanying his song this time on the Banjo, capitally, and was loudly encored, after which the Rev. D. D. Currie, having just inquired, delivered the most eloquent impromptu Masonic address I ever had the pleasure of listening to. The Brethren then remounted the platform, and sang the closing ode, a great deal better than "Meet upon the level. The National Anthem finished the proceedings.

Yours, SPECTATOR.

THE MAYOR, with thanks, acknowledges the receipt of \$4.33, from the Juvenile Reading Club, for the benefit of the poor.

THE LAND QUESTION.—Public meetings, for the discussion of the Land Question, were, on Tuesday evening last, held at Springton, Lot 67, and at Kelly's Cross, Lot 29, respectively. Both pronounced in favor of a compulsory measure.

BANK DEPOSITS.—The deposits in the Banks of Ontario and Quebec, have increased from a monthly average of \$9,918,631 in the year 1856, to \$20,977,877 in the year 1873—and discounts from \$32,554,412 in October, 1856, to \$123,186,059 in October, 1873.

BOARD OF TRADE.—The Patriot reports from W. H. Shanks, Esq., that a meeting of those favorable to the formation of a permanent local Board of Trade, or Chamber of Commerce, will be held in the Athenaeum, on the evening of Monday, the 9th of February next, at 8 o'clock, at which also the invitation of the President and Executive Council of the Dominion Board of Trade, "to become affiliated with it," by sending one or more delegates from the Local Board to represent the Island at the next Annual Convention, to be held at Ottawa, on the 24th proximo, will be considered.

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STABBING AFFRAY.

TWO YOUTHS QUARREL ABOUT A BOTTLE OF RUM

—THE KNIFE FREELY USED—ONE OF THE COMBATANTS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED—THE OTHER IN THE POLICE STATION—DEATH THE PROBABLE RESULT.

A notorious house in "West Bog," of this city, known as "Noonan's"—was, on Saturday evening, the scene of a bloody tragedy. Thomas Noonan, son of the woman who keeps the house, stabbed John McLaughlin, a young man of not very exemplary habits—a frequenter of tap-rooms and street-corners—and McLaughlin now lies at the brink of death. The affray was the result of a quarrel about a bottle of liquor. It appears, that not long since, Noonan circulated a report among his "pals" to the effect that McLaughlin had stolen a bottle of rum from him. McLaughlin was, of course, somewhat incensed at, and on Saturday evening, about tea time—having first primed himself with alcohol—he made his way to "Noonan's" and demanded an explanation. Noonan, it appears, was prepared for him—with a hatchet in one hand—a knife (concealed) in the other. After a short altercation, the disputants commenced the fight. Noonan struck McLaughlin on the left arm with the hatchet. McLaughlin retorted by a blow of his fist, and the weapon fell to the floor. Noonan thereupon resorted to his knife. He aimed a blow at McLaughlin's left side, and the knife, it appears, entered between his ribs, passed close to the heart, into his left lung. It was then withdrawn and, both men having fallen to the floor, Noonan inflicted two or three cuts upon the legs of McLaughlin. This is the version given by the friends of the wounded man. Noonan declares that McLaughlin had knocked him down, and was beating him while down, when he used the knife. After the fray, Dr. Dawson was called. He examined the wounds, and had McLaughlin removed to his home. We learn that his hopes for the recovery of his patient are very slight. Noonan is twenty-one years of age—although his appearance would indicate that he is not more than seventeen. He is a hardened young ruffian. It is said that he has several times used the knife in quarrels. He is now in custody of the police, and awaits the examination of the case.

THE ST. PATRICK'S TOTAL ABSTINENCE SOCIETY swelled its ranks last night by the addition of one hundred and three new members. A constitution was adopted, with the exception of a few trifling amendments, which were left in the hands of a Committee. The admission fee is 25 cents, with a membership contribution of one dollar a year. Meetings will be held weekly, on Sunday evenings, till St. Patrick's Day, and after that, fortnightly, till the organization of the Society is completed. When a certain amount of funds are contributed, to a fair allowance for maintenance during the continuation of such sickness or destitution.

SUR NEWS.—The Ontario, owned by Messrs. Hyndman Brothers, arrived at Swansea, in fourteen days from Canso.

MISCELLANEOUS. Boston only owes within a fraction \$29,000,000.

Six hundred Swedes have settled at New Sweden, Me.

John Smith has 206 residences in Chicago. The town of Perth, Ont., is \$3,000,000 in debt.

A recently published work states that men bored for oil 500 years B. C.

It is said that the United States pays nearly three times as much in pensions as Great Britain.

The Spanish Government has thanked France for her conduct in the case of the iron-clad *Nemesis*.

Chicago is even worse to do than New York. Thousands of labouring classes are lacking employment and bread. The city is in a state of bankruptcy. The multitude cry for food, and their wails can be met out of an empty treasury. Communism and all sorts of evil doctrines are being vented by the unruly crowd. There cannot be much improvement until spring.

Among the ancient Greeks and Romans in their best days, honor was more sought than wealth. Times are changed. Now wealth is the surest passport to honor, and respectability is engendered by poverty.

The sublime Cortes wants to borrow \$5,000,000 from English capitalists on the security of its portable property.

It is said that the Central Pacific Railroad has received from the United States, California, Nevada, Utah, and the counties of Columbia, \$1,532,000 in gold.

The report that the Pope would hold another Consistory next month is erroneous; it was held yesterday, when the final ceremonies of instalment of the recently appointed Cardinals were celebrated, and a number of Bishops appointed.

HER MAJESTY as a PIANIST.—For a long time after the death of the late Queen, Her Majesty could not bear to touch a piano, nor did she even allow one to be opened in her presence. Now she has recovered her old accomplishment, and plays duets with her late remaining daughter, the Princess Beatrice. By royal command, M. Gouand has arranged some of the music of "Jeanne d'Arc," as a duet for two Consistories on the piano, for the Queen and her daughter.

Tobacco is probably one of the most profitable crops that can be cultivated. From information gathered in the Southern States, we find that in one instance three acres yielded \$12,120 worth, or \$4,040 per acre. In another, four acres produced \$29,000 worth, or \$7,250 per acre. In another, nine acres produced \$70,000 worth, or \$7,777 per acre. In a fourth, one acre produced \$139,500 worth, or \$139,500 per acre. The average cost of working was \$28.16; hence the net profit per acre was \$90.86. Comparing this yield in money with the two principal crops of the country, corn and wheat, we find: the average yield of corn thirty bushels per acre, at 41 cents; the average price now, equals \$21.30; the average yield of wheat, the United States over, twenty-four bushels, \$1.61, (average between east and west), equals \$38.64. From this must be deducted the cost of production. It is unnecessary to go into other crops, as these are the more remunerative. Thus it will be seen that where tobacco can be produced at all, it is the most paying of all crops.

There were 227 ships built on the Clyde in 1872. Last year there were only 194.

The Steamer China brought a full outfit of Chinese idols, for the new temple at San Francisco.

The trade of the United States for the last fiscal year, compared with that of the previous one, is subjoined below. The values are given in gold:—

Year ended. June 30, 1872. June 30, 1873. Imports, merchandise, \$18,743,689. \$21,580,397. Exports, merchandise, 62,595,077. 64,929,666. Exports, specie, 2,735,419. 7,595,546. Exports, merchandise, 428,457,120. 509,303,439. Exports, Am. vessels, 177,286,202. 174,536,454. Exports, For. vessels, 44,416,783. 47,903,268. Imports, by Land, 17,659,891. 17,070,948.

THE DECK OF EDINBURGH'S WEDDING CAKE.—The plateau for the wedding cake of the Duke of Edinburgh is made of silver gilt, designed in the Florentine style, and is very massive. At the right it has the appearance of a model of Colossus. There are three fluted tiers, divided by the Greek pattern, and at frequent intervals upon the apex there are four pinnacles, or towers, of pinnacles. At different angles at the base, there are eight projections; four of them are surmounted with substantial bouquets; the other four, with burlap fruit stands;

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