

Local and Other Items.

The City Small Debt Court was in session today.

Mr. GALLOWAY lectures in Zion Church this evening. Subject: "Prayer."

ESTRINE STRAW HATS, autumn shapes, just opened at the London House.

PERSONAL—Lieut.-Col. D. M. Grant, Chief of Police, Ottawa, is in this city on a pleasure trip.

Six thousand packages of impure and adulterated tea were seized within four weeks at the port of New York.

At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court this forenoon, three cases of drunkenness and one case of nuisance were disposed of.

MOORE STEWART.—There will be divine service in the Episcopal Church at Mount Stewart on Sunday next, the 7th inst.

THE Summerside Freemasons held a picnic at E. Cook Grove, Freetown, yesterday. It was highly attended and quite successful.

THE oyster shippers of Summerside began the season promptly. On the 1st instant, 369 barrels were shipped by the steamer Princess of Wales.

NOVA SCOTIA apples have made their appearance in this market. The crop promises to be abundant, and low prices will likely prevail.

EXCURSION TO MONTREAL.—The Intercolonial Railway authorities advertise excursion rates to Montreal on the occasion of the Dominion Exhibition, which opens in that city on Sept. 5, continuing to Sept. 13.

REMEMBER the Concert in aid of the Prince Edward Island Hospital, to be held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, to-morrow evening. Doors open at half past seven. Concert to commence at eight o'clock. Admission only 25 cents. Let us have a crowded house.

A DESTRUCTIVE fire occurred at Richibucto on the night of the 1st inst., by which two stores owned by Alexander Kosberg and destroyed by himself and Geo. McLean, were destroyed. The law office of Robert Hutchinson and the dwelling, owned by Moses Wether, and occupied by James Marshall, were entirely destroyed.

PICTOU'S ANNIVERSARY.—The Pictou Lacrosse Club are out with a splendid programme for the celebration of the anniversary of Pictou's settlement to be held on Tuesday, the 10th inst. The sports, open to all comers, include throwing the hammer, high jump, wide jump, pole vaulting, hundred yards race, quarter mile race, etc.

ZION CHURCH was, this morning, the scene of an interesting event—the marriage of Mr. E. B. Norton, of the catering firm of Norton Bros., to a popular young lady of this city—Miss Maggie Lawson MacCallum. The happy couple left immediately after the ceremony for their bridal tour of the Upper Provinces, followed by the congratulations of a host of friends.

A MANGANESE deposit at East Mountain, N. S., owned by three Halifax gentlemen and Alex. Carter, of Truro, is being worked with good profit. About twenty tons have already been mined, five and a half tons of which were recently shipped to Boston, the profit amounting to \$342. The ore sells at from \$70 to \$100 a ton. A large deposit in the neighborhood is already under control.

SCOTT ACT CONVICTION.—At Mount Stewart, on the 30th ult., before James Ross and W. J. Logan, Esqs., Justices of the Peace, Susan Coffin, of Mount Stewart, at the suit of Thomas Dodglass, was convicted and fined fifty dollars and costs, on two months imprisonment, for selling spirituous and intoxicating liquors contrary to, and in violation of Canada Temperance Act, 1878.

JAMES KIRBY, of Covehead, was tried, yesterday, before William Heard and Jas. Curtis, Esquires, (1) for a trespass in the orchard of Cornelia Higgins, Esq., and (2) for an indecent assault on the person of a young woman. For the first offence he was convicted and fined five dollars or one month's imprisonment, and for the second he was convicted and sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labor.

THE sale of Lord Wilton's herd of polled cattle, which has just taken place at Hereford, England, has caused a great sensation in farming circles. The herd was the best in England, and its dispersion leaves to Lord Ray the honor of owning the choicest lot of the famous black bulls of Herefordshire. The best animal of Lord Wilton's herd, the well-known bull named Lora Wilton, was bought by Mr. Vaughan, an American breeder, for \$19,950.

THE steamer Coban, Capt. Robert Fraser, of the Black Diamond Line, arrived here this morning from Montreal, en route to St. John's. Newfoundland, with freight and the following passengers: Mrs. Caven, D. M. Grant, G. A. McPherson, T. B. Brown, for St. John's; Wm. Hodge, Jas. Kaplan, for Halifax. She sailed at three o'clock, with a quantity of produce and the following passengers: Mrs. John Dougan and son, Mrs. Carl Neilson and child, M. E. Grant and Mr. Laurance.

WHAT is described by the Yarmouth Times as being the finest steamer ever built in that country has just been launched by the Barrill-Johnson Iron Company. The new vessel is owned by the Anglo-French Steamship Company and is to ply between Halifax and St. Pierre et Miquelon via Cape Breton ports. Her dimensions are 154 feet keel, 27 feet beam, 17 feet depth of hold and about 428 tons register. She will be classed A1 for eleven years in English Lloyd's.

SAD CONSEQUENCE.—Mr. McDougall, Bridge street, received a telegram yesterday, informing him of a sad accident at Boston, Mass. While a party of four were out boating a squall came up and the boat was upset. Among the party were Alex. McDougall, formerly of Moncton and his wife. Mrs. McDougall was drowned and with her a man who attempted her rescue. Mr. and Mrs. McDougall had been married but two months. The man who attempted Mrs. McDougall's rescue leaves a wife and five children.—Moncton Times.

MINISTERIAL MOVEMENTS.—Rev. William Grant will preach on Sabbath, 14th inst., in Carleton at 11 o'clock, and in Dundas at 2:30. Rev. John McLeod will preach in Valleyfield in Gaelic and English on Sabbath, 7th inst. Mr. Robert Stewart will preach in Brookfield on Sabbath, 14th inst. Rev. Mr. Gunn, of Nova Scotia, will preach in Murray Harbor North and South on Sabbath, 7th September.

CURRENT NOTES.

An outbreak of hydrophobia, caused by negroes eating an infected hog, is reported at Entala, Ala.

A successful attempt to photograph the interior of a coal mine has been made at Shenandoah, Pa.

The Canadian Government has refused the request of the Wyoming ranchmen to ship their cattle through the Dominion.

Some Paris papers seem to fear that the British troops in Egypt may be used to prevent the passage of French reinforcements for China through the Suez Canal.

Every one knows the story of the small boy, who, when asked if his grandmother was glad to see him, replied, "Yes, she was twice glad—glad when I came and glad when I left."

Wooden block pavements seem to be gaining friends. They are cheaper if not so durable as some other kinds, but their strong point is their noiselessness. This class of pavement has recently been laid to considerable extent in Toronto, and now the Montreal Witness advocates it for that city. The city of Winnipeg, also, is about to lay down cedar block pavement, an appropriation of \$60,000 having been made for that purpose.

Australia, until a comparatively few years ago, looked upon as a dark continent, a fit place of punishment for convicted felons, is now, by immigration and a fine climate, a wealthy and formidable nation of Anglo-Saxons. It has a population of nearly 4,000,000. The value of the trade between the mother country and Australasia amounts to 45,000,000 sterling, and the total imports and exports to 115,000,000. The several Colonies are now passing into a Confederate States on the lines of the Dominion of Canada.

The Canadian Gazette of the 14th inst., says:—"Mr. Irving has not waited long to fulfill his promise to revisit Canada. Rooms have, we learn, been secured on the Allan Line steamer Parisian, sailing on Sept. 18th, for the distinguished actor, as well as for Miss Ellen Terry and the Lyceum Company, numbering some fifty in all. The company will appear in Montreal and Toronto, afterwards proceeding south to the United States; and it is not too much to say that their reception in Eastern Canada will be no whit less enthusiastic or sincere than that they are sure to receive in the States."

Six men and women were arrested the other day in Chicago and held to bail on a charge of cruelty to children. They profess to be leaders of a religious sect. Twelve children were found in their possession, the older of whom claim to have been cruelly treated and kept without sufficient food. The prisoners claim to be caring for God's orphans, and say they have no means of support except faith in the Lord. Neighbors say there have been deaths frequently among the little ones. Four of the children related in court that a large number of babies had died in the asylum, apparently through want of care, and that the children were subjected at all times to rigorous treatment by being locked up in dark rooms and given very little food. The prisoners appear to belong to a dangerous class of religious fanatics.

While news comes from England that sheep are at a discount there, it will cheer our sheep farmers to know that the demand for mutton is an agreeable and cheap food steadily increasing on this side the Atlantic. The markets of New York alone require more than a million sheep annually. Farmers, too, who once used only bacon and pork, are now becoming mutton eaters. The convenience of a few sheep on every farm to furnish the family with good, wholesome food, is now appreciated more than a few years since. Maritime farmers find a ready cash market for all the surplus mutton and wool they have to sell, and it is a fact, which is now only becoming generally known, that these Provinces are admirably adapted to sheep raising, while the quality of the meat is unsurpassed.

In a Berlin despatch of the 31st ult., the object of the interview of the three Emperors is said to be—

First—Drastic measures to suppress anarchists.

Second—The solution of the Egyptian question.

Third—The settlement of the Congo question.

There can no longer be the slightest doubt as to this programme. France has already given a declaration of satisfaction with the interview. A general congress, in which the three Imperial Powers will act as one, will probably be held in the course of the autumn to regulate all pending questions. Contrary to general belief, the matters now being discussed at Berlin by Prince Bismarck and French Ambassador Baron Courcel have no concern whatever with China, but relate exclusively to Egypt, which is here deemed to be the great question of an immediate nature.

Mr. Van Horne has returned from the Rockies, and in conversation with a representative of the Toronto Globe, a few days ago, he stated that the crops along the line of the road were everywhere looking well, and the probabilities he had outlined of a seven million bushel surplus for exportation would be fully realized, and possible the surplus might be greater than that. The experimental farms had proved a much greater success than had been anticipated, and the ten farms of from forty to fifty acres each, had proved of greater value than even the most sanguine had expected, and had already sufficiently disproved the statements which had been made about the aridity of the region through which the line passed. Harvesting throughout the Northwest was nearly completed, and in every case the crops had been collected in good shape and the grain was in all cases of excellent quality. A large number of visitors had traversed the line and had all expressed themselves as delighted with the country through which they had passed, and with the wonderful progress which had been made. The Company had found that the Rocky Mountain section was not nearly so difficult of construction as had been expected, and the probability was that the estimates made would be found to be much in excess of the actual cost, and at the present time there is on a distance of 271 miles, between Stephen and Kamloops, on which track has not been laid, the line having been completed ten miles west of the former place, and construction gangs are now working east and west from both points.

Sir John Macdonald.

THE PREMIER'S FORTIETH YEAR IN PUBLIC LIFE—HOW IT MIGHT BE COMMEMORATED.

(From the Irish Canadian)

Sir John Macdonald has now been forty years in public life, during the greater part of which he has swayed the destinies of this country. It is proposed that a career so eventful—so big with the fortunes and fate of Canada—shall not be permitted to close without a suitable acknowledgment of the great and lasting services rendered by Sir John to the Canadian people; and that the testimonial should be so shaped that all-irrespective of politics, should share in its development and success. We hope that this intention will be carried into effect. No man deserves better than Sir John such a manifestation of national appreciation and gratitude, as no man has labored so unselfishly for the public weal; and the history of this great country will do him justice long after all that is mortal of him has mingled with its mother earth. Sir John Macdonald, like all men, has his faults; but his desire to advance the interests and promote the prosperity of Canada has never been questioned. While others were accused of an itching palm, Sir John's purity in this respect has never been doubted; and this singular freedom from sordid and corrupt motives it is which commands the respect of even his political opponents. Let the fortieth year of his public life, then be marked by such an outpouring of heartfelt regard and respect as will convince Sir John Macdonald that the sacrifices he has made for his country, have not been unnoticed, but are remembered and appreciated by Canadians, ever willing, ever anxious, to give honor to whom honor is due.

An Atlanta, Ga., paper, speculating upon the fact that the patent upon paper collars and shirt bosoms has expired, is of the opinion that we may soon expect to see paper garments of every variety manufactured and sold. But it fears opposition to the general use of such material for clothing on the ground that no man would care to wear a suit of clothes liable at any moment to melt away if he is caught in a shower, or to be torn into shreds when he is passing through a crowd. Nobody would risk going to a picnic in a paper suit, as the accident of a sudden shower might leave him entirely unprotected, and compel him to take shelter in the woods.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

AS AN APPETIZER.

Dr. Morris Gibbs, Howard City, Mich., says: "I am greatly pleased with it as a tonic it is an agreeable and a good appetizer."

Summerside Exports.

SUMMERSIDE, Sept. 2.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes 1 bbl plover, 23 bbls mackerel, 1300 lbs cheese, 343 bbls oysters, 18 cases eggs, 67 lbs butter, 1 horse.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN.

ENTERED.

Sept. 3—Spy, Farrell, Horse Head, lobsters; ss Coban, Fraser, Montreal.

CLEARED.

Sept. 2—Morning Star, Power, Pictou, bal; John Thomas, LeBlanc, Cocagne, do. Sept. 3—Lavinia Jane, Anderson, Pictou, bal; Charles Frederick, Rhude, Pictou, 124 bags starch; ss Coban, Fraser, Pictou.

OTHER PORTS.

Summerside, Sept. 2—Entered schrs Sylvanus McDonald, Paoli, Shediac, bricks; Soud, Graham, Richibucto, lumber; ss Miramichi, Baquet, Pictou, stores. Cleared—ss Miramichi, Baquet, Montreal, 27 bbls oysters, \$54; 16,000 lbs starch, \$340; 136 cases lobsters, \$680—total value \$1,374.

MARRIED.

In Zion church, on the 3rd inst., by Rev. J. M. McLeod, Mr. Rupert Boyver Norton, merchant, to Miss Maggie Lawson, third daughter of Mr. Stephen McCallum, both of this city.

DIED.

In Charlottetown, on Wednesday, August 20, Florence May Colwill, aged 13 months and 9 days, daughter of Thomas and Catherine Colwill.

The time is short, the season near, When we shall dwell above, And be forever happy there, With Jesus, whom we love.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ROCKLIN HOUSE.

Sept. 2—R McMillan, Will Vale; Geo Bagnall, Hazel Grove; N McMillan, New Haven; M Rowe, Montague; D Henderson, North Wilshire; B Henderson, do; L Scutiner and wife, Mill View; James Huggan, Cherry Valley; Geo McKenzie, New London; John Gunn, do; James J Gray, Pownall; D Hyde, Cornwall; M Ross and wife, Senor; Senator Haythorne, Marshfield; Mrs McKenzie, Springton; Mrs Turner, Suffolk; John Tierney, Geo Cheverie, do; R McDonald, do; Mrs A McDonald, do; Miss A McDonald, do; Miss M Campbell, Fairfield; James James, Lowrie, Kittery, Maine; Miss Egge Lowrie, do; John Lowrie, do; James Lowrie, do; Mrs Lew Lemau, Boston, Mass; Eddie Lemau, do; James Webster, Shediac, N B; James Simpson, Bay Vie; James O'Neill, Halifax, N S; Bernard McKinnon, Souris.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

Sept. 2—William McDonald, Panmure Island; Rev John McLeod, Strathalbyn; David Ross, Orwell; M McMillan, St Peters Bay; Miss Jane Conrail, New Mexico, U S; Miss Maggie McMillan, Mill Cove; Joseph McDonald, Lowell, Mass; George M Leard, Alberton; Thomas Hetherall, Cape Wolf. 3—Chas W Martin, Caledonia, Rev Thomas Johnston, Caledonia; James McBride, Souris.

RANKIN HOUSE.

Sept. 2—A B Wyeloffe, Shonbury, Ont; Charles D Wallace, do; Wm Cook, Pictou; John J Fairbairn, Montreal; Capt G W Macdon, St John, N B; Mrs Martin, do; Miss Bradshaw, do.

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Ch'town, May 27, 1884.

IN THE SUPREME COURT.

The Peters Combination Lock Company,

IN LIQUIDATION.

TENDERS will be received until noon of Thursday, September 18th, for the Real Estate, Plant, Stores and unfinished Goods belonging to the Estate of the

Peters Combination Lock Company.

DESCRIPTION.

The Property is situated on the line of Railway, about one quarter of a mile from Moncton Station, and includes four acres of land, upon which is erected a three-story Brick Factory, 40x160 feet, a Brass Foundry and Boiler House (of brick), an Iron Foundry (accommodating twenty moulders), a Japanning House, Outbuildings, etc.

The entire works are very conveniently situated and well equipped with Engines, Lathes and other machinery, for the purposes of a Brass Foundry and the manufacture of Sheet Hardware of the very finest description, including Nickel, Silver and Gold Plating.

The Liquidators do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender. Tenders must be enclosed in envelopes, marked "Tender," and addressed to the Liquidators of The Peters Combination Lock Company, Moncton, N. B.

The property can be viewed upon application at the Works, upon any day between the hours of ten a. m. and three p. m.

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