Local and Other Items.

NOT PLEASANT.—Steam yachting outside the harbor was not pleasant during the night before last.

TO HAND.—The Century Magazine for August is at hand. This number is excellent in every respect.

Preaching in the Second Methodist Church to-morrow morning and evening by the Rev. W. W. Brewer.

ON PLEASURE BENT.—A large number of passengers crossed in the Pictou steamer to-day to attend the Halifax carnival.

TENNIS.—A general meeting of the Charlottetown Lawn Tennis Club will be held this evening in the Parlor of the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock.

POLICE COURT.—Daniel Steele and Thos. Brophy were before his honor this morning for being drunk. They were each fined $2 or eight days.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.—The evening of Wednesday next is for the annual moonlight excursion of the Artillery Band. Hope the weather will be fine.

DECIDEDLY HOT.—The hottest weather ever known in the United States was felt at Phœnix, Ari., in June, 1883, when the thermometer marked 119°.

MACKEREL.—The catches of this much sought-after fish have been very fair on the western coast of Prince County this week. Good catches are also reported from Kildare Capes.

ACCIDENT.—A man named Leard fell from a scaffold in the Methodist Church, Alberton, on Wednesday, and sustained serious injuries. He is, however, rapidly recovering from them.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Tourmaline has gone from the Carnival in St. John to the Carnival in Halifax.

The French flagship Arethuse and its consort, the Roland, will visit Halifax to take part in the naval display there next week.

CONCERT.—A promenade concert will be given in the Hillsboro Rink on Tuesday, 13th August. Miss Alexander, Winnipeg's leading soprano, will sing; and we understand that the band of H.M.S. Bellerophon will be in attendance. Advertisement with programme in a few days.

LATE LETTERS.—Many and strong were the complaints heard in the corridor of the Post Office last evening on account of the lateness and slowness of delivery at the wicket. Perhaps the Post Office Inspector will put a little more force into this department of the office.

HOLE IN THE SIDEWALK.—A citizen complains that there is a dangerous hole in front of the residence of John Higgins, Esq., on Prince Street—caused by the caving in of the trench lately made by the Water Commissioners. Perhaps the Commissioners will kindly look into the matter.

SERVICES TO-MORROW.—The Baptist Congregation will meet to-morrow at Y. M. C. A. Hall, Rev. J. A. Gordon pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and at 7 p. m. The hand of fellowship will be given to new members and the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the close of evening service. All are welcome. Seats free.

RAILWAY GOSPEL MEETING.—Don't forget this meeting, every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in McLeod's Hall. Strangers always welcome. Lesson 1 Cor. 13 chap. from the 1st verse. "Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass on a tinkling cymbal," etc.

DEATH OF A NUN.—We regret to hear of the death at the Montreal House, of the Congregation, Montreal, of Mary Elizabeth Grant, daughter of the late James Grant, and known in religion as Sister Margaret of Bavaria. Sister Margaret was only 23 years of age at the time of her death, and had made her profession as a Sister of the Congregation of Notre Dame about three years ago. To her mother and family, upon whom the hand of affliction has fallen often of late, we offer our deep sympathy.

A MADMAN'S TERRIBLE LEAP.—The St. John *Sun* of yesterday morning says: A man named Wm. Sullivan, about thirty years of age, who was taken to the almshouse on Saturday and is supposed to have been insane, jumped from the roof of the almshouse last evening, breaking one arm and thigh, besides receiving other serious injuries. Dr. James Christie was called to attend him. It was not thought that the man would live through the night. He was discovered getting on the roof of the building, but could not be reached before he had taken the fatal leap.

LECTURE.—Rev. F. M. Young, pastor of North Temple Baptist Church, Ohio, Yarmouth Co., N. S., and Grand Chaplain of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., is expected to deliver his popular lecture on "Optimism vs. Pessimism, or Smiles vs. Frowns," during the week of the Grand Lodge session in this city—probably on Friday evening, 16th inst. The theories of Optimism and Pessimism, as elaborated by philosophers, explained. The absurdity of Pessimism exposed. Causes of Pessimism given, and means suggested by which grim despair may be dethroned, and hope crowned as Queen. Amusing incidents related to drive away "the blues," Collection to be taken up to assist in payment of debt on church.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.—Str. Halifax will leave for Boston on Thursday, the 8th Aug., inst., instead of Wednesday as usual. This change is made for this week only to accommodate visitors to the Halifax carnival.

The Inman str. City of Paris, Capt. Watkins, arrived at New York July 32st, with 487 first class, 190 second class, and 430 steerage passengers, having made the passage from Queenstown to Sandy Hook in 5 days, 28 hours and 10 minutes. This is within three minutes of the fastest passage made across the Atlantic by the same steamer a short time ago. Several passengers, we understand, have been booked by the agent here, Mr. F. T. Newbery, to sail by this line of steamers this month.

The str. M. A Starr arrived this morning at nine o'clock. She had a cargo of general merchandise and a large number of passengers. She will sail sometime next Monday night.

The str. Miramimichi will be off the route between here and Montreal for a fortnight, on account of having to go on the dry dock at Quebec.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

WAR IN EGYPT.

SOME SKIRMISHES.

WILL FIGHT TO THE LAST.

CAIRO, Aug. 2.

A despatch from Toski says that Genera Grenfell to-day reconnoitred the Dervish camp. The Dervishes charged the Egyptian cavalry and killed 27 men. Lieut. Dallmar dislodged the Dervishes at Mosaas village and killed 15. Deserters report that Wad el Jumi intends to fight to the last.

More Unpleasantness.

OTTAWA, Aug. 3.

A special despatch from Washington announces that the United States Government will no longer grant a refund of duty upon box lumber imported into the United States from Canada and exported in the form of boxes. This is a serious blow to the box shook factories established here. Hitherto almost all the box shooks made in Ottawa have been purchased by the Standard Oil Co. of the United States for use in making up packages of oil for exportation. On showing to the satisfaction of the United States customs authorities that the shooks so imported from Canada have been made up into boxes exported, the Company have been able to secure a refund of nearly the whole of the duty paid upon shooks when brought in from Canada. This drawback has enabled them to pay better prices for Canada shooks than they could otherwise. Now that the full duty on an increased valuation must be paid, the Canadian manufacturers of shooks must suffer. They may be compelled to move their establishments across the international boundary, or go out of the business. The national policy has failed to provide any home market for Canadian box shooks.

Suddenly Ill.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.

Assistant Secretary Trichnor was taken suddenly ill in his office in the Treasury Department this morning and had to be conveyed to his home for treatment. He has been in bad health for a long time, and has worked a good deal harder than his friends think he should have done. Since his return from New York he has undertaken to dispose of all the tariff problems which have been presented since the change of administration. In his debilitated condition the task proved too much for him.

Behring Sea Seizures.

LONDON, Aug. 3.

In the House of Commons this afternoon Sir James Ferguson, Parliamentary Secretary for the foreign office, said that no authentic information had yet reached the Government regarding the seizure of British vessels in the Behring Sea by the United States Government. He also said that no understanding had been arrived at in regard to the jurisdiction of Behring Sea.

Strike Averted.

LONDON, Aug. 2.

The Durham mines have taken a vote on the question of accepting the ten per cent. advance offered by the owners. The result was in favor of accepting, with a majority of one. This decision averts a strike which would have proved the greatest on record. The short time movement in the cotton mills, at Manchester, has proved a failure.

Preparing For War.

BELGRADE, Aug. 2.

The War Ministry has ordered all three of the military classes of Servia to muster on Monday. The ostensible reason for the order is that the Bulgarian troops have been ordered to mass on the frontier on that day, and Servia desires to be prepared for any eventuality.

What Hanlan Says.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 2.

Ex-Champion Oarsmen Edward Hanlan reached this city yesterday. "I have no excuse to make for my defeat in Australia," he said. "I suppose if I were not defeated there I would have been beaten here. I am going to Toronto, and, after a short rest, will be ready to meet any man."

The Royal Grants Bill.

LONDON, Aug. 2.

The royal grants bill passed the committee stage in the House of Commons, last evening. All amendments were rejected by large majorities.

Persons wishing to improve their memories or strengthen their power of attention should send to Prof. Loisette, 237 Fifth Aveenue, N.Y. for his prospectus post free, as advertised in ano ther column. w4i

MARRIED.

On the 31st ult., by Rev. D. Davies Moore, at the house of the bride's father, Kingston, Lucy Rachael Smith, second daughter of Jonathan Smith, Esq., to Thomas J. Wigginton, of Dundas.

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Patronize McEachen, the cheap shoe man, if you want good value for your money. Special bargains to-night (Saturday.)

Men's and boy's ready-made clothing at auction prices during the month of August at J. B Macdonald's.

Cheap sale of boots and shoes this (Saturday) evening at the Dominion Boot and Shoe Store.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Aug. 3.—10 a. m.

Moderate to fresh south to south-west winds, fair warm weather.

DERATE.—The last issue of *Secular Thought* contains the opening of the discussion between the editor of the Halifax *Evening Mail* and Charles Watts. The proposition: "Secularism is based on human reason, and is sufficient to meet the needs of mankind." Mr. Watts affirms; the editor of the *Evening Mail* denies.

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WANTED AT ONCE.—A good Collector in this city. Good pay and steady situation. Apply by letter to JAMES P. COOKE, P. O. Box 666. tf—aug2

LOTTERY.—The date of the lottery for the Walnut Bedroom Set, at Frank Hughes' Shop, has been postponed until the 1st of November. pd 7i—aug2

FOUND.—Off Rock Barra, Lot 46, P. E. Island, on the 16th ult., two Mackerel Nets, buoys initialed. The owner can have the same by applying to the undersigned and paying expenses. If not called for before the 30th inst., they will be sold.—JOHN A. McDONALD, Rock Barra, Lot 46, P. E. I. dy 1i wky 1i—aug2

FOR SALE.—A well-finished Cottage, Mansard roof, fronting 84 feet on Fitzroy Street East. Apply at A. McNEILL'S Auction Room. aug2—4i

WANTED.—A good Servant for general work. Apply to REV. FRED E. J. LLOYD, Pownal Street. tf—aug1

BOARD.—Two young gentlemen can be accommodated with board. Apply at this office. jy30—3i pd

WANTED.—A young man who has had some experience in a grocery store, to act as clerk. Must have reference. Apply by letter to "P. J.," Post Office Box 108. tf—jy16

FOR SALE CHEAP—An eligible Building Lot near Upper Prince Street Church and School, and nearly opposite the new Dwelling House of Mr. Nicholas White.—GEORGE ALLEY. jy30—tu fri sat

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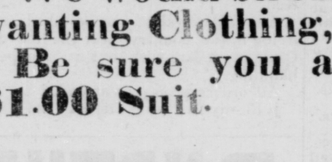

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