

Local and Other Items.

PERJURY.—Some of the Halifax papers are discussing the prevalence of perjury in that city.

LECTURE.—"Gough in Humor and Eloquence," will be given in the Y. M. C. A. Hall by John R. Clarke, on Monday evening next. Admission only 25 cents.

BIBLE CLASS.—The Young Men's Bible Class, held in the Y. M. C. A. parlor, will not meet to-night on account of the prayer meeting held in the Association at 9 o'clock.

PARSONS DEFENCE FUND.—The meeting to collect subscriptions for the above fund to have been held in the Lyceum, on Wednesday evening, has been postponed until Wednesday evening next, 21st inst.

PRAYER MEETING.—Union prayer meeting in the Basement Parlor of the Y. M. C. A. this evening at 9 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited. Subject: A Wise Merchant—Matt. xiii: 45, 46. Luke xiv: 33.

PARADE.—The Band of the 82nd Battalion paraded through the principal streets, yesterday afternoon, discoursing choice music; and wound up by proceeding to the new rink building, where they serenaded the popular contractors, Messrs. Taylor Bros.

POLICE COURT.—Two Scott Act cases and an abusive language case occupied the attention of His Honor this forenoon. The Scott Act cases were dismissed, and Allen McGinnis, truckman, was fined \$1 and costs for using the language above referred to.

JUST THE THING.—William Byee, the Toronto publisher, has in the press a beautifully illustrated booklet entitled "Gems from Canadian Authors." The design for the cover was drawn by a Canadian artist; it is printed and lithographed in Canada on Canadian paper; the selections are by a Canadian author; and it will, we feel sure, commend itself to Canadian readers.

CLYDESDALE HORSES.—The London Farming World, commenting upon the demand in America for Clydesdale horses, says that 20 or 30 years ago £100 would have bought the best brood mare, but during recent years £300, £400, £500, and in some cases larger prices have been realized for such; while prize winning fillies of one and two years old have brought from £150 to £200, and animals no so successful from £80 to £120.

THANKSGIVING TEA.—The Ladies Band of Earnest Workers in connection with the Second Methodist Church, are to be congratulated on the very successful results which attended their Tea last evening. The patronage was larger than usual, and the amount realized much in advance of recent efforts. Preparations are well advanced for a bazaar to be held about Christmas, under the same management. We predict another success for those well-directed and commendable efforts.

MUSICAL.—The music at the Thanksgiving service in St. James Church, was, as we are informed, excellent. The beautiful hymn, "Come ye thankful people, come," and the grand Te Deum, were magnificently rendered. This choir has not only improved of late, under the tuition of Mr. Earle, but has been strengthened as well. We give the names of the members: Sopranos—Misses Katie Brown, Hyndman, Earle, Harris, Martin, Altos—Misses Minnie Hyndman, Large, Jessie Bell, Mrs. William Brown. Tenors—Messrs. Herbert Wilson, Geo. Dixon, Martin Lowden. Basses—Mr. Lord, Capt. Stewart, Mr. Slackford. Organist, John E. Bell.

A VALUABLE CARGO.—The bark Eliza Bars, Captain Young, sailed for Hamilton, Bermuda, yesterday, with a cargo made up of 565 sacks oats, 125 bbls. potatoes, 20 bbls. turnips, 10 bags cracked grain, 5 boxes codfish, 10 tubs butter, 2 cheese, 1 case eggs, 7 tons hay, 7 horses, 5 cows, 2 oxen, 25 sheep, and 2 coops fowls, shipped by Horace Haszard; 237 bbls. potatoes, 15 bbls. turnips, and 212 bags oats, by B. Wilson Higgin; and 1200 bush. potatoes shipped from Shediac. In addition to the foregoing there were 11 horses shipped by another party. The total deck load consisted of 18 horses, 5 cows, 2 oxen, 25 sheep and 2 coops fowls. We wish the Eliza Bars a pleasant passage and safe arrival at her destination.

THE ISLANDER WINS.—The shot-putting contest, at Toronto, between McPherson and Currie, came off, as previously announced, a few days ago. The weights used were 22, 20, 18, 16 and 14 pounds. All the weights, with the exception of the 20 pound, were several ounces short, so that the record breaking goes for nothing. The best throws were: 22 pound weight, Currie, 35 feet 7 inches; 20 pound, McPherson, 40 feet 11 inches; 18 pound, McPherson, 43 feet 4 inches; 16 pound, McPherson, 46 feet 10 inches. The 14 pound shot was not thrown, McPherson being the winner without it. All the weights were short as above stated, except the 20 pound weight, which was 3 drachms over weight. The 22 pound weight was 7 ounces short, the 18 3 ounces short, and the 16 8 ounces short.

FOOTBALL.—A match game of football between St. Dunstan's second fifteen and the Prince Edwards, took place at Victoria Park yesterday afternoon. The play was lively throughout, and quite a number of spectators were present. During the first half a touch-down was secured by Mellish for the Prince Edwards, from which, however, no goal was kicked. Shortly afterwards Rankin gained another touch-down for the same team, from which a goal was secured. In the second half, the St. Dunstan's compelled their opponents to touch several times, and one touch-down was claimed, but not allowed. For the St. Dunstan's team, John McDonald (quarter-back) Walsh, Doyle and Winters (half-backs) did some effective work. Rankin, Mellish, Reynolds and McNally played well for the Prince Edwards. Reginald McDonald and William Burke acted as umpires.

HYMENEAL.—In another column is announced the wedding at St. George's Church, in this city, by the Rev. P. Owen-Jones, M. D., of Mr. A. J. McNeill, of the Indian Office, Duck Lake, N. W. T., to Miss McNatt, daughter of Mr. Francis L. McNatt, of Charlottetown, P. E. I. The happy couple, immediately after the ceremony, left on a visit to some of the principal cities in the State of New York, and will return to Ottawa before proceeding on their long journey of ten days to their home at Duck Lake. The bridegroom, who is a brother of Mr. A. N. McNeill, of the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, is deservedly popular in the North-West Territory, where he is widely known, and has held positions of trust under the Hudson's Bay Company and the Government. During the rebellion he did good service, having been engaged among other services in carrying despatches, on one occasion riding over 200 miles day and night in less than thirty hours.—Ottawa Citizen. THE EXAMINER extends its hearty congratulations to the happy pair, and wishes them every success in their journey through life.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

The Queensland Difficulty.

TORONTO, Nov. 15. An Empire London special says: "The Queensland Government continues to create widespread interest in Colonial circles. A discussion is expected to-morrow in the Commons, on a motion from the front opposing benches. There is a strong feeling, even among Conservatives, that though Governor Blake has shown himself a capable Governor in the Bahamas and Newfoundland the Colonial Office would be ill-advised to attempt to force him upon Queensland. The Canadian Gazette to-day, while admitting that the colonies cannot claim it as a right, says prudence suggests a private understanding between the Colonial Office and the Colonial Governments to ensure that the nominee of the Crown would be acceptable in the colony. It says that treatment of self-governing colonies more as partners in a common concern than as children to be seen, not heard. It is currently believed in the House of Commons that seeing the feeling among the friends of the colonies here, that the Government should meet what is reasonable in the Queensland demand it has already been decided to cancel Blake's appointment.

Strange Suicide.

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Nov. 15. An inquest was held at St. George yesterday on the body of an old farmer named James Troke, which was found in a coffin covered with brush in the woods some distance from where he lived, near Lake Utopia. Troke had been missing about a fortnight, and the coffin was only discovered on Tuesday. When Troke left home he took with him an axe and bottle of poison. The bottle was not full when found, and it is supposed Troke drank some of it and getting into the coffin pulled the lid. Some brush was attached to the lid which almost completely concealed it. Troke, who was about 80 years of age, had been regarded as a fit inmate for the asylum for a number of years. On the discovery of the body, the coroner was notified and an inquest held. The verdict returned was in accordance with the facts.

Another Papal Rescript.

DUBLIN, Nov. 15. The Irish Bishops have received another Papal rescript. It orders them to actively execute the former rescript which instructs them to denounce the Plan of Campaign and boycotting. It also orders them to direct the priests to preach against agitation, and forbids them to take part in boycotting or Plan of Campaign movements which they must oppose with all the means in their power.

Rioting in Brooklyn.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Nov. 15. Several attempts to run cars on lines where men had struck were made to-day, but in every case the tracks were loaded with obstructions by the strikers, and cars were stopped. Mounted and foot-police attacked the strikers, clubbing and trampling them under foot, and were stoned in return. Many men and officers were injured, but none fatally.

Telegraphic Improvements.

FREDERICTON, Nov. 15. The superintendent of construction on the C. P. R. telegraph line was here yesterday making arrangements for the introduction of the system here. He expects to open an office in Fredericton before Christmas, and promises an all night and Sunday service.

They Had a Wet Day.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, of England, and Miss Mary Endicott, daughter of the U. S. Secretary of War, were married in St. John's Episcopal Church at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The rain prevented a large gathering.

Killed by a Fall.

FREDERICTON, Nov. 15. A farmer named William Price, belonging to Upper Hainsville, while on his way to the city last night, was thrown from his carriage and killed.

John Bright Ill.

BIRMINGHAM, Nov. 15. Mr. Bright has a serious relapse. His sons have arrived from London. A doctor summoned from Liverpool takes a hopeful view of his case.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Nov. 16.—10 a. m. Strong winds and gales from the eastward, shifting to the westward; cloudy and rainy.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.—Neither Janushech nor Camilla Urso, nor any of the other great performers that have come to St. John in recent years, had an audience one-fourth the size of that in the Institute last evening when Peck & Fursman's company played "Uncle Tom's Cabin." The house was packed in every part, and the performance was heartily enjoyed by all—even by those who had to stand for over two hours. The company is a good one, and the characters were in all excellent personation—better than usual in deed. The scenery was first-class and everything else as good as possible.—St. John, N. B., Daily Globe, Oct. 17.

Hall's Hair Renewer is free from alcohol and dyes that injure the skin. It is scientifically prepared, and will restore gray hair to its original color and vigor.

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Civil Service Examinations.

The civil service examinations were held in this city on Wednesday and Thursday. There were three candidates for the qualifying or higher grade examinations, viz.: S. B. Enman, Charlottetown; John O'Brien, Monticello; and James F. Cullen, Millvale. The applicants were examined in penmanship, English composition, orthography, grammar, geography, arithmetic, history and transcription. Mr. O'Brien took precise writing, one of the honor subjects, in addition to the foregoing. The examinations were conducted by Donald Montgomery, Esq., Superintendent of Education. The results will not be known for several weeks. Following is a copy of the exercises in composition, which will give the public an idea of a portion of the work done by the candidates:—

- 1. Criticize and show how the following sentences may be improved: a. Oswald not only communicated a copy of his commission but part of his instructions from the Secretary of State. b. What pen can describe the tears, the lamentations, the agonies, the animated remonstrances of the unfortunate prisoners. c. Being content with deserving a triumph, he refused to receive the honor that was offered him. d. A tremendous fall of snow rendered his departure impossible for ten days, when the roads began to become a little practicable, they successively received news of the retreat of the Chevalier into Scotland. 2. How do you distinguish between apparently and evidently, to learn and teach, sensibly and sensitively, verbal and oral, the whole and all, sit and set. 3. Change the following quotation into prose:—

As wreath of snow, on mountain breast, Slides from the rock that gave it rest, Poor Ellen glided from her stay, And at the monarch's feet she lay. 4. Punctuate and supply the capitals in the following extract:—First then surprise is an essential ingredient in wit no saying is ever received as witty unless it discloses some unexpected relation between ideas; hence witticisms seldom bear repetition or if reported they lose much of their sparkle. 5. Give a description of a boating excursion containing not less than 250 words.

Thanksgiving Day.

YESTERDAY being the day set apart for offering up thanks to Almighty God for the bountiful harvest and other blessings vouchsafed during the year, was generally observed throughout the Dominion. In Charlottetown there were the usual special services in the churches, and most of the stores and public offices were closed. We certainly have much to be thankful for. The season has, on the whole, been a prosperous one. The crops throughout the Dominion are reported good. Although the wet weather retarded harvesting operations here as well as elsewhere, it is pleasing to learn that the different crops have been gathered without any very material loss to the husbandman. In Ontario, it is said that notwithstanding previous reports to the contrary the crop is even better than in the last few years, and throughout Nova Scotia, according to the official reports, the returns are very satisfactory. From New Brunswick also comes the pleasing news of a bountiful yield. "Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

Our Advertisers To-day.

A. McNeill holds sales of apples to-morrow and Wednesday next. Thos. Morris wants to let the dwelling house on the Esplanade lately occupied by himself. William McLean, Cashier of the Merchants Bank of P. E. Island, announces a dividend of eight per cent. Peake Bros. & Co. inform shippers that the Bonavista, en route to St. John, will be due here on the 19th inst., and will take cattle and sheep on deck. The annual St. Andrew's dinner will be held at the Osborne House on the evening of the 29th inst. H. B. McKay, of Clifton, has a few words to say to all persons indebted to Emanuel F. Pillman. Peer Bros. announce rare bargains in seasonable novelties.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

HOTEL DAVIES. Nov 15—J F Van Deventer, J B Shaffner, Halifax; A B Macklin, Toronto; F L Foster, Montreal; John McLean, Souris; Wm Richards, Bidford; Newton Lee, Truro.

OSBORNE HOUSE. Nov 15—L M Delhenie, Quebec; John King, W. Easton, Georgetown; Thos King, Brockton; D A McLeod, Eldon; John West, Mrs A. Ching, Kensington; J B Allen, St John; F Eastman, St. Stephen, N. B.; J Agnew, Allen Forsyth, Alberton; Jas McCormack, B. McLaughlin, Souris; Jos Munro, Pictou; Thos McAlister, Alberton.

MARRIED.

On Thursday, 8th November, at St. George's Church, Ottawa, by the Rev. P. Owen-Jones, M. D., A. J. McNeill, Esq., of the Indian Office, Duck Lake, N. W. T., to Mary Agnes, eldest daughter of Francis L. McNutt, Esq., of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island. At the residence of Fred. W. Hughes, Esq., Upper Great George Street, on the 14th November, 1888, by the Rev. E. Whitman, Frederick W. Hughes, jr., of Granville, Lot 23, to Flora J. McLean, of West River, Lot 31.

DIED. In this city, on Thursday morning, Nov. 15th, of Bright's disease, Elizabeth Carruthers, a native of Dumfriesshire, Scotland, and relict of the late Francis McCarron, aged 72 years. May her soul rest in peace. [Funeral on Saturday morning, at 8.45, from her residence Richmond St., to St. Dunstan's Cathedral.]

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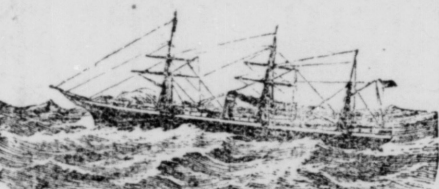
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Many of the leading Musicians of the city have kindly promised to assist, and ROMBERG'S TOY SYMPHONY, never before performed in this city, will be given. Tickets 35 cents each, to be obtained at the Drug Stores. nov9

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