

Local and Other Items.

The circulation of The Daily Examiner having more than doubled, the price per line of advertisements in the Local Column will, from this date, be doubled, but the price of other advertisements will not be advanced.

THE Supreme Court meets in this city to-morrow.

Good Ice and good music at the Rink to-night.

No business at the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court to-day.

THERE were 50,365 cattle and 102,825 sheep exported from Montreal during the past year.

THE Canadian Illustrated News after an existence of thirteen years, has ceased publication.

WE understand that Mr. Reid will have a Benefit Concert in the Market Hall on the 30th January.

DURING the past year 2,322 patents were issued in the Dominion, an increase of 185 over the previous year.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL cures Colds, Coughs, and Consumption; an unequalled anodyne expectorant. [Jan 7 lw wky]

ACCIDENT.—Mrs. J. J. O'Reilly had her arm broken above the wrist, by falling on the icy sidewalk, on yesterday (Sunday) morning.

J. H. FLETCHER, Esq., will read a paper to-morrow evening before the Scientific and Literary Society in Y. M. C. A. Hall, entitled "American Humor."

REV. W. B. McDONALD, Parish Priest, Stellarton, N. S., was on Christmas Day presented by the members of his congregation with a valuable fur coat.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—A noon-day Prayer Meeting will be held each day during the Week of Prayer in the Y. M. C. A. Parlor from 12.30 to 1.30 o'clock.

TELEGRAPHY.—If a sufficient number of pupils apply at once, a class in Telegraphy will be opened about the 20th January. Address A. M., Lock Box 48, City. [Jan 23 eod pd]

DIED, in her cage, on the 4th instant, at the residence of D. McKinnon, Polly Skinner, the parrot, aged twenty-three years. She was brought to this island by the late Michael Skinner, druggist, of this city.

WE are pleased to learn that the report circulated by the Patriot, regarding the death of Mr. James J. Corcoran, in Sacramento, is incorrect. Mr. Corcoran is still in the flesh as correspondence with his friends in the city will show.

WE learn that His Worship the Mayor intends calling a meeting of the citizens, on Tuesday, the 15th instant, after the regular monthly meeting of Council, when the accounts for the past year will be presented and discussed.

THE Halifax Herald is to be credited with a capital review of the past year in about twenty columns. Yet the Herald is not a backwoods paper. It is, in point of fact, about the live, best and most enterprising journal in the Maritime Provinces.

MR. EARLE returns his sincere thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who so kindly assisted him at his concert on Friday evening last, and also to the large and appreciative audience who by their presence encouraged his efforts to improve the musical taste of the community.

THE "Northern Light" left Georgetown for Picton this morning at 8 o'clock. The ice was heavy in the harbor and the steamer was two hours breaking through it. She reached Picton at 3 o'clock, p. m., and will return to Georgetown to-morrow morning.

MRS. FORTISQUE complained to us of being brutally ill-treated, on Saturday afternoon, by a man named George Fogarty. She was kicked, pounded and bruised, and is suffering dreadfully from her wounds. As Mrs. Fortisque is a poor woman and is herself unable to prosecute, we direct the attention of the police to the assault.

THE Mayor's Meeting to-night, at the Market Hall, to consider the expediency of aiding the holding of the Dominion Exhibition of 1884 at Charlottetown, is one of the most important meetings of citizens possible. If we are to have a Dominion Exhibition, a prompt, hearty and generous co-operation of all citizens of every class is indispensable. Let all pull together and the desired object will be accomplished.

REV. T. B. REAGH, Rector of St. Thomas' Church, New London, was presented with a very fine fur coat, on the 27th ult., the gift of the people of Kensington. On the 2nd inst. a social gathering took place at the Parsonage, consisting of friends of all denominations. A very pleasant evening was spent and the Rector and his family were the recipients of many substantial tokens of the good will of their friends.

THE large lamps in front of the Post Office illuminate the square beautifully. This is owing to the attention paid them by the assistant engineer of the building. That officer besides lighting, keeps them clean and in good order, thus adding considerably to the brightness of the light. Why cannot our city gas lamps be kept in the same order? If a little more attention would be given them, the light from them would be twice as great as at present.

THE barkentine "W. L. J.," Capt. Owen, sailed from Pernambuco for Halifax on November 9th, laden with sugar for the St. Lawrence Refinery, Montreal. She was brought into Halifax harbor on Friday morning last with the assistance of six men belonging to the Gloucester schooner "Oressa," Captain Hodgson. Nearly all her crew were disabled from exposure to intense cold during a tempestuous and perilous voyage. The W. L. J. was built at Summerside, and is owned in Swansea.

On the evening of the 28th ult., there was a very interesting social gathering in the school-room of the Bible Christian Church. A very kindly worded address signed by the Circuit Stewards, Messrs. J. Henry and R. Pickard, on behalf of the church and congregation, was read to the Pastor, accompanied by a number of presents suitable for the occasion. Short and fraternal addresses were delivered by the brethren, W. Sabine, G. Rackham, J. Henry, R. Pickard, H. Rackham and B. Pickard, and the meeting terminated under the happiest influences. "Behold how good and how pleasant a thing it is for brethren to dwell together in unity."

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

England and the Egyptian Difficulty.

LONDON, Jan. 6. The correspondent to Reuters Telegram Company, at Cairo, denies that a British fleet is to be sent to the Red Sea, and says that beyond her previous orders to protect Egyptian interests, England had taken no further measures. The correspondent adds the Khedive received Sir Evelyn Baring to-day. The latter read the reply of Great Britain to the recent Egyptian note. England insists upon the withdrawal of troops at Khartoum to the second cataract of the Nile. Great Britain does not object to the cession of Eastern Soudan to Turkey, or to a Turkish conquest of the Soudan, provided the Porte pays the expenses. Egypt is unable to re-conquer the Soudan alone.

A Terrible Fire.

HELLEVILLE, ILL., Jan. 6. St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Convent was burned early this morning. Five nuns jumped from a fifth story window. One of them was killed and the others are likely to die. There were some eighty pupils at the institution, all girls from ten years to adult ages, twenty-two of whom are missing.

Reprisals in Ireland.

PARIS, Jan. 6. Deputy Lalandier's paper, *Republique Democratique et Sociale*, states that it knows that in a few days numerous reprisals against the English will occur in Ireland to avenge the execution of O'Donnell, and it adds that Irish revolutionists will burn London, and that the American Fenians have studied minutely the operations to be carried on by them.

Egyptian Affairs.

LONDON, Jan. 5. It is stated that Sir Samuel Baker is about to proceed to Egypt. The *Standard's* correspondent at Cairo says he hears that Chinese Gordon, who is now on his way to Congo River to succeed Henry M. Stanley, has received proposals which may induce him to accept an appointment in Egypt.

Nihilist Execution and Threats.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 5. A Nihilist proclamation circulated here announces that Lieut.-Col. Sudeikin was condemned to be executed by the Nihilist executive committee. The proclamation also contains a terrorist article directed against the Czar personally.

The New License Act.

MONTREAL, Jan. 5. Ex-Judge Loranger, of this Province, gives it as his opinion that the license act of the Dominion Parliament is *ultra vires*, and that the Provincial Act is in force.

Cold Down South.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 6. The thermometer, at four o'clock this morning, registered thirteen degrees above zero, the coldest known for two hundred years.

The Coldest Yet.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5. Reports from Dakota make the temperature forty-eight below zero and a stiff breeze blowing. This is the coldest ever known in Dakota.

A Denial.

LONDON, Jan. 5. The telegraph correspondent at Cairo says he has the highest authority for denying that the Khedive intends to abdicate the throne.

A Special Mission.

PARIS, Jan. 6. The *Justice* newspapers says that Tonno Bey, the Khedive's Master of Ceremonies, has arrived in Paris, instructed with a special mission.

El Medhi Pushing Forward.

VIENNA, Jan. 5. A despatch to *Allegremia*, dating from Alexandria, says the vanguard of El Medhi's army has arrived at Elain, on the Blue Nile.

The Cold Wave.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6. The thermometer at 5 o'clock this morning registered twenty-seven degrees below zero. It is now standing at twenty-four below.

Dyke Destroyed.

VIENNA, Jan. 5. The populace of the Island of Messowah, on the Red Sea coast, have destroyed the dyke uniting the Island with the mainland.

Serious Railway Collision.

MONTREAL, Jan. 5. A collision occurred on Thursday evening on the Canada Pacific Railway whereby two persons were seriously injured.

Dufferin to go to Egypt Again.

LONDON, Jan. 6. It is reported that Lord Dufferin will be sent to Egypt to remain so long as existing difficulties continue.

Sardinian Arrived.

HALIFAX, Jan. 6. The "Sardinian" has arrived.

The York Election.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 6. Mr. Temples chances for election are splendid.

Twenty Below Zero.

TORONTO, Jan. 6. The thermometer ranges from fifteen to twenty below zero.

A Strike Ended.

MARSEILLES, Jan. 5. The strike of seamen and stokers is virtually ended. Mail boats are now leaving regularly.

Snowshoeing Extraordinary.

OTTAWA, Jan. 6. *Le Canadien* says one of Montreal's Snowshoe Clubs invaded Ontario on Saturday in fullmarching trim. Coming in at dead of night they waited on Sir Hector Langevin and Hon. Mr. Caron, the former of whom addressed them in pleasant style and promised a cup to be competed for. Mr. Caron promised a gold medal. After marching through the capital at the sound of drums, they started for the Governor-General's. The officers of the club were presented to His Excellency, to whom an address was read, and by whom a reply was made in French, much to the delight of the Club. A beautiful floral tribute was presented to Lady Landsdowne, who with the children and the aides were all dressed in appropriate snow shoe costume, and were present at the speech making. The flowers were arranged in the shape of a snow shoe. To-day the choir of the club chanted Mass at St. Jean Baptist Church, and to-night they went back to Montreal. Ontario can stand a good many of such invasions.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces. TORONTO, January 7—10 a. m. Moderate to fresh west to southwest wind; fair continued very cold weather.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE.

Charlottetown, 7th Jan., 1884. Highest temperature yesterday... 10.3 Lowest temperature (read at midnight)... 6.9 Lowest temperature this morning... 10.1 Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock... 7.8 Temperature this afternoon, at 1 o'clock... 3.0

The number of arrivals and shipments of coal from the port of Sydney, C. B., show a considerable increase. The excellent shipping facilities of the colliers enable steamers to be loaded with the greatest despatch. The number of arrivals during the year were 670. Of these 280 were steamers. The tonnage of shipping was 230,159. 90,000 tons of coal were shipped from that port alone.

JACK FROST IN THE WEST.—A Chicago despatch of the 4th says:—This has been the coldest day of the winter, the thermometer standing fourteen degrees below zero at one p. m. At Omaha it is seventeen below; at Dubuque, twenty-one below, and at Minneapolis, thirty below and the lowest in twenty-five years. All trains arriving at Chicago are greatly delayed.

FROZEN TO DEATH.—During a fit of temporary insanity Mrs. Charles Huntington left her home, at Campbellton, on the night of the 28th December, and wandering away on the ice, was frozen to death. The body was found next morning, and an inquest held at which a verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts.

T. M. KING, of Antigonish, and C. R. King of Sydney, C. B., doing a general business in Sydney, under the style of King Bros., made an assignment to C. B. Whidden, of Antigonish, in trust for their creditors, who will sign such deed within six weeks. The liabilities are about \$40,000; assets to a like amount.

MADE'S MAGNETIC MEDICINE is a positive remedy for nervous exhaustion and all weakness of the generative organs in both sex. Sold in Charlottetown at Apothecaries Hall. See advertisement in another column. [Jan 7 lw wky]

LOST AN EYE.—Murtle Gillis, a Prince Edward Islander, who has been employed at a slate quarry in Bromfield, Me., was struck in the right eye on December 22nd, by a piece of stone which flew up from the hammer. The injury grew so painful that the optic had to be removed.

A LONDON scientific paper says that a shoulder of mutton contains one-third more bone than a leg, and considerably more fat and connective tissue and that, consequently, a shoulder at 20 cents a pound is dearer than a leg at 25 cents.

COTTON MILL BURNED.—The Thorndike Company's new cotton mill at Thorndike, Palmer, Mass., was burned to the ground on the 1st inst. C. Wilson, the Company's agent, fell dead from heart disease while fighting the flames on the roof.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. Imitations and counterfeits have again appeared. Be sure that the word "Horsford's" is on the wrapper. None genuine without it.

SHIP NEWS. Halifax, Dec 4, ar sch Elizabeth W Smith, Blak, of Soudis, bound to Portland. New York, Jan 2, ar brig Nora (new), from Georgetown. Cardinas, Dec 22, ar brig Plymouth, McDonald, Havana. Sharpness, Dec 17, ar barque Min-Hong, Richardson, Fort Hill. Lisbon, Dec 31, ar barque Ralph B Peake, Trainor, New York.

DIED. At Mont, on the 1st instant, in the 45th year of her age, Matilda, younger daughter of the Hon. Sir Francis Hincks, K. C. M. G., C. B. and relict of Captain Henry Clement of the 1st Bn Grenadier, of the British Army.

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Winter Goods, of every description, Good and Cheap, at

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CHOICE FRUIT AND CROGERIES.

Tea (good), 28c; better, 32c; best, 36c. Sugar, good and cheap. Coffee (superior), 25c, 30c, and 40c per lb. Molasses and Golden Syrup. Extra choice Table Raisins, in finest DeHess, Black Basket & London Layers. Choice Sultana and Valencia Cooking Raisins. Currants, fresh and almonds. Green Grapes, Almonds, Nuts, Elemie Figs, Confectionery, Candied Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel. Spices, Cream Tartar, Pickles, Flavoring Extracts, Apples, Cheeses, Onions, Mustard, Vinegar, Catsup, Capers, Sauces, Manioca, Sage, Tapioca, Prepared Cocoanut, Macaroni, Vermicelli, Broma, Chocolate, Cocoa, Potato Farina, Gelatine.

CANNED GOODS,

In Peach, Pear, Pine Apple, Strawberry, Cherry, Tomato, Green Peas, Baked Beans, Salmon, Mackerel, Lobsters, etc. Syrups, Lime Juice, Ess. Coffee, Tea and Bean Meal, Split Peas, Beans, Rice, Barley, Wax Candles, Cracked Wheat, Graham and Buckwheat Flour.

LOOKING GLASSES,

A large assortment. Choice Family Flour, Oat and Cornmeal.

BEER & COFF'S.

OUR TEA is giving splendid satisfaction. Prices, retail 24cts., 30cts., and 36cts. Prices, wholesale, very low.

FIVE POUND TINS, (screw top), excludes the air, preserving the flavor and strength of the Tea. Just what is wanted.

Half chests very cheap to the trade.

BEER & GOFF.

Wholesale and Retail, Cheap.

ON HAND:

230 boxes very choice Valencia and Layer RAISINS, 30 half-boxes choice LAYERS, 3,000 pounds CURRANTS, 200 boxes prime FIGS, 5 cases choice PRUNES, 200 barrels hard WINTER APPLES, No. 1, 20 kegs GRAPES,

AND MORE TO ARRIVE.

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China Tea and Moustache Cups, Flower Vases, in great variety, China and Glass Toilet Sets, Children's Tea Sets, Glass Table Sets, Pitchers, Tumblers, Goblets, Nappies, Cakes, Pickle and Preserve Dishes, Syrup Jugs, Celery Glasses, a few sets Covered Jugs.

LAMPS,

In Hand, Table, Hall, Dining Room and Library Lamps, Glasses & Shades.

EARTHEN AND CROCKERYWARE,

In Teapots, Cups and Saucers, Side and Vegetable Dishes, Plates, Tea Sets, Baking Dishes, Jugs, Toilet Sets, Bowls, Brooms, Whisks, Baskets, Buckets, Tubs, Washboards, Rolling Pins, Pouncers.

Best American Kerosene, in casks and 1, 2 and 5-gal. cans.

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In Buffalo, and Japanese Wolf.

Sleigh Bells, Whips, Harness Oil.

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This offer to remain good only a short time before we move back the balance of our Stock into the Old Stand.

BREMNER BROS.

Ch'town, Dec. 29, 1883.—1f.

FOR SALE.

THE Church Property, corner of Prince and Euston Streets, consisting of Church and Dwelling House, with Land. Terms may be known on application to the undersigned. D. McNEILL, Secy of Trustees. Ch'town, Nov. 7, 1883.

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