Local and Other Items.

THANKSGIVING DAY.—Thursday next is Thanksgiving Day in the United States.

BUSINESSLIKE.—Some of the stores are already making preparations for the holiday trade.

COLD.—The *Gazette* says that the thermometer registered two below zero at Amherst on Thursday night last.

LECTURE.—Rev. John Reid lectures on "Fashion," in St. James' Hall, to-morrow evening. He will likely have a full house.

THE DIFFERENCE.—In Denmark, says an exchange, the girls are trained to agriculture, but in America they take more to husbandry.

DELICIOUS FRUIT.—If you want the best table apple, get a barrel of choice Gravensteins at McNeill's Auction Room. no26 3i.

CONCERT.—The Concert in aid of St. Peter's Church will be given in Y. M. C. A. Hall to-morrow night. Admission to all parts of the Hall, 35 cents.

TEA AND FANCY SALE.—Tickets for the Tea and Fancy Sale, in aid of the Y. M. C. A., can be had from the committee and at G. H. Haszard's Bookstore.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.—The Concert in aid of St. Peter's Church, in Y. M. C. A Hall to-morrow night, will be well worth attending. The programme appears in another column.

FASHION.—The lecture on "Fashion," to be delivered in St. James' Hall, to-morrow evening, by Rev. John Reid, will be exceedingly interesting. Admission, only 15 cents.

THE HALIFAX.—The steamer Halifax, Capt. Hill, arrived from Boston via Halifax at eight o'clock yesterday morning. She brought the usual general cargo and a number of passengers.

FANCY WORK.—All interested in the Fancy Sale in aid of the Y. M. C. A., are requested to send donations of Fancy Work to Mrs. A. A. Bartlett. A generous assistance is asked for.

AT IT AGAIN.—Confidence Morgan, who, with his companion, played McNeill, the green Islander, to the tune of $60, is now working the same game at Bangor. His latest victim is a young man named Finton, belonging to Chatham, N. B.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—The St. John *Globe* reports that a 13-year-old lad named Pierce had his hand drawn between two cog wheels of the machinery in Connors' ropewalk, and as a result of the accident, half the hand will have to be amputated.

SCHOONER DAMAGED.—The North Sydney *Herald* says that on Saturday last the steamer Harlaw, when in St, Peter's inlet, ran into the schooner Tookolita, of P. E. I., breaki g her mainmast, mainboom, davits, rail, and otherwise damaging her.

A CHANGE.—Mr. Wylde who was appointed chief engineer of the S. S. Halifax when she first sailed from Glasgow, has resigned, and Mr. Dobbie, who has been in the Allan line service for some twenty years, and late of the steamer Newfoundland, has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

NOT BAD FOR A SCOTT ACT TOWN.—The steamer M. A. Starr arrived in Charlottetown last week from Halifax, bringing 120 hds., 46 halfhds. and 30 kegs Hop Beer, and 40 cases liquor. "Hop" beer appears to be one of the necessaries of life in Charlottetown.—*Moncton Times.*

DONATIONS.—Ladies willing to contribute to the Tea in aid of the Y. M. C. A., will kindly send their donations to the Market Hall, on Thursday, the 29th inst., as it has been impossible to call on all ladies, owing to the bad state of the roads. It is hoped that all will assist without further solicitation.

WEATHERWISE.—A Montreal weather prophet, who is said to possess considerable skill in forecasting the seasons, predicts that, as a consequence of the extra amount of wet weather this fall, the winter will be exceptionally cold. The winter of the Crimean war was one of the coldest that Canada experienced, and it was preceded by just such weather as we have had during the past three months.

FOUND DEAD.—Wm. McCarthy, an old man nearly 59 years of age, resided in an old tumble-down log hut in Pocologan, Charlotte Co., N. B. Last Saturday morning some persons visited the hut and found the old man lying dead. The stalwart form was stretched on the floor back down, and one foot was caught in the flooring. The sleeves were rolled up, one hand covered with blood, head reaching the wall in the corner of the room, money in a cigar box on the table; this is all that is known of his death. Mr. McCarthy has left a large family scattered over the world. He left $109 in money. When found he probably had been dead some three or four days.—*St. Croix Courier.*

Personal.

Rev. Mr. Spurgeon has gone to the south of France.

Mr. J. T. Hawke, editor of the Moncton *Transcript*, is rapidly recovering from his recent illness.

A despatch from Rome says that Signor Ingami, Roman Advocate, who died recently, left one million francs to the Pope.

Mr. Gladstone will start for Florence on December 18. He will visit Rome and Naples. At the latter place he will be a guest of Mr. Rendel, member of parliament.

The *Gleaner* says that Rev. Dr Lowrey's visit to Fredericton has resulted in a large increase in the holiness ranks there, and the adherents to the doctrine of entire sanctification are overjoyed at the success of his series of meetings.

The Summerside *Agriculturist* says that Mr. Roderick McKay, well known as a former teacher in the Eastern District school there, and at present principal of the Litchfield, Minn., school, was recently elected Superintendent of Schools for Meeker County in that State. He had two opponents, but was returned by the handsome majority of 262, receiving a total vote of 1681.

Our Advertisers To-day.

M. F. Ellis has a large stock of new books, cards, etc., suitable for holiday gifts, which will be sold low.

A. Hermans & Son are propared to give every attention to the fitting up of hot water heating apparatus, plumbing, etc., and guarantees satisfaction.

A. McNeill holds an auction of choice apples on Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Harper & Brothers advertise their *Weekly* and *Young People.*

Beer & Goff have completed their stock of fruit, confectionery, etc., and guarantee satisfaction to all those who will patronize them.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.

RAILWAY EXTENSION.

An Important Meeting.

MONTREAL, Nov. 25.

An adjourned meeting of the Canadian Pacific Railway shareholders was held yesterday evening, to consider the lease of the Detroit extension of the Ontario and Quebec Railway. The shares represented and voted (127,800) were unanimous to confirm the lease whereby the road will obtain an entrance into Detroit, and thence to Chicago by building from London to Windsor, and thence by ferry to Detriot. President VanHorne, during the meeting, submitted correspondence with the Grand Trunk Railway concercing a trackage lease between London, Ont., and the Detriot River, from which it appears that the Grand Trunk Railroad was approached on the subject three times with fruitless results. He referred to Sir Henry Tyler's statements concerning the Canadian Pacific Railroad in his speech at the recent half-yearly meeting of the Grand Trunk as unfair and misleading. He explained the relations of the Canadian Pacific with the Michigan Central, and pointed out that the connection with that line was rendered valueless through its control by the New York Central. Mr. VanHorne also pointed out that the Ontario and Quebec system, and the other eastern lines controlled by the Canadian Pacific Company, were practically debarred from participation in the heavy freights and passenger traffic between the Western and New England States, and from much other valuable business, and now that the Eastern connections of the Company were well established, the immediate completion of the Detroit extension seemed to be an absolute necessity. It would at once place the Company in an independent position and tend very largely to attaining power. President Van Horne spoke confidently of the future of the road and looked for an increased surplus this year. This action of the Company means that the C. P. Road has declared war against the Grand Trunk and New York Central and is determined to get its share of the vast traffic centering in Chicago.

An Important Decision.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Nov. 25.

The case of the Union Compress Co., of Little Rock vs. the Liverpool & London & Globe and 27 other insurance companies, growing out of the refusal of the insurance companies to pay insurance on cotton destroyed in the burning of the Cotton Compress building in November, 1887, was decided on Saturday. The amount sued for was $142,000. The jury returned a verdict for that amount in favor of the Compress Company.

O'Connor Easily Defeats Teemer.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25.

The three mile single scull race with a turn, between Wm. J. O'Connor, of Toronto, and John Teemer, of McKeesport, Pa., for the championship of America and $2,500 a side, was rowed on the Potomac yesterday afternoon, and resulted in an easy victory for the Canadian by 10 lengths. Time, 20 mins. 23 secs.

The Whitechapel Murders.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

A private person living near Nottingham has received a letter signed by "Jack the Ripper's Pal," stating that both the writer and Jack committed the recent murders in Whitechapel District. The writer says "Jack" is a Bavarian whom he first met on a ship returning from America, and who exercised mesmeric influences.

New Industrial School.

PHILEDELPHIA Pa., Nov. 25.

T. V. Williams, the aged philanthropist, has decided to round out a long career by devoting $12,000,000 of his enormous fortune to the establishing of a great Industrial School for boys. He has completed arrangements, and, on Saturday, took the first step in the direction of establishing the school, by selecting a board of seven trustees, all well-known business men.

Fire in Montreal.

MONTREAL, Nov. 25.

The furniture shops and lumber yards of Messrs. Roberts, together with all their contents were destroyed by fire last night—loss $40,000, insured for $5,000. Harles' soap works were badly gutted, damage to the amount of $6,000 being done.

Stormy Weather.

BOSTON, Nov. 25.

A heavy north-easterly gale and snow storm is raging over New England and the Middle States. The snow fall in New York City was one inch, in New York State three inches, and in the New England States five inches. Much damage to shipping is expected.

Frozen Over.

MONTREAL, Nov. 25.

Lake St. Peter is completely frozen over. Men are at work here breaking the ice on the canal so as to keep it open untill all the crafts on the way down have passed through.

The Pomeranian Icebound.

MONTREAL, Nov. 25.

A despatch from Sorel says the Allan line Steamer Pomeranian, the last ship to leave port, is icebound at that place, and may probably have to winter there.

Weather Bulletin.

TORONTO, Nov. 26.—11 a. m.

East to north gales; cloudy, with sleet and rain.

Fur Goods, all kinds, good and cheap, at Stanley Bros., Brown's Block. nov21 3i

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE.

Nov 24—M Willock, China Point; W Martin, North River; A L Macdonald, Gloucester, Mass; A J Macdonald, Glenwood; Percy H Palmer, Victoria. 26—D McLean, Crapaud; E A Robertson, Farmington; W A Logan, Mt Stewart.

HOTEL DAVIES.

Nov 24—J M McLeod, Montreal; A J Craig, Pictou; W Miller, Halifax; George W Partridge, do; W J McCordock, St John; T W Higgins, do; Geo R Montgomery, Cascumpec.

BIRTH.

At the Rectory, Springhill, N. S., November 15, the wife of Rev. W. Charles Wilson, of a son.

"Blood tells." We may not be able to infuse royal and noble blood into a man's veins; but we can do better; we can expel from them all impure and poisonous humors by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Pure blood is the best kind of royal blood.

The citizens of London, England, are to have the gas for 61 cents per thousand feet after 1st January. It costs from two to four times that figure in different towns and cities.

All those heating and itching humors of the scalp, so troublesome to many persons, are effectually cured by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. If not attended to in time, these diseases are very liable to result in loss of the hair.

Bessie (just home from boarding school)—I'm delighted to see you, mamma. (Kisses her.) Mamma (regarding her suspiciously)—Bessie, you didn't kiss with a burrowing mo ion when you went away from home. You've learned that from somebody with a long moustache.

Improve the nutritive functions of the scalp by using Hall's Vegetable Sicilan Hair Renewer, and thus keep the hair from falling and becoming gray.

Beer & Goff have just received some very fine Cooking Raisins. 3i—nov26

Wife (revisiting the scene of her betrothal)—I remember, Algernon—so well when you proposed to me, how painfully embarrassed you were. Algernon—Yes, dear; and I remember so well how kind and encouraging you were, and how very easy you made it for me after all.

New Citron, Lemon and Orange Peels, just opened at Beer & Goff's. 3i—nov26

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Remedy for all Throat and Lung Diseases.

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—AT THE—

OSBORNE HOUSE,

—ON—

Thursday, Nov. 29th,

AT 8 O'CLOCK, P. M.

TICKETS, - - $1.25.

The usual arrangements for the conveyance o visiting Clansmen have been made with the Railway authorities.

ROB'T J. CAMPBELL, Chairman. | J. McISAAC, Secy. Com.

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Furniture! Furniture!

I HAVE now on hand a large assortment of PARLOR AND BEDROOM SETS, in Walnut, Mahogany, Ash and Oak, Walnut Sideboards, Hair and Flock Mattrasses, etc.

Intending purchasers would do well to inspect this Furniture before going elsewhere.

G. M. HARRIS, Auctioneer.

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180 Barrels ONIONS,
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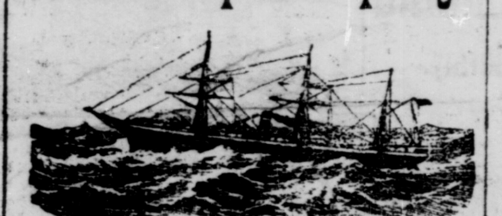

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WANTED.—A Girl accustomed to plain cooking. Good references required. Apply to Mrs. ARNAUD, Grafton Street. tf—nov21

TO LET.—The rooms lately in the occupation of Dr. S. R. Jenkins, in the City Hotel, on Great George Street. They are adapted for a lawyer's office, Surgery or Dentistry rooms. Possession can be given at once. For terms apply to Messrs Warburton & Sandwood, Solicitors. nov 8 tf

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