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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

MASTERS & SPECIALTY.—Beer Bros. PREPARING AT HEARTY'S HALL.—Rev. Mr. Coxy will preach tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at Healy's Hall, Rosally.

DAMAGE BY STORM.—The late storm has done great damage to the lobster fishery this year. It is estimated that the lobstering fishermen at Cavendish have lost all their nets.

CHILD DROWNED.—At Amherst, on Tuesday afternoon, the eight-year-old child of Jude White was drowned through falling head first into a tub containing only about four inches of water. The child crawled into the tub, which was standing on the floor. Mrs. White had just left the kitchen a few moments before.

THE TRIP.—There will be a race meeting on the Driving Park at Summerside on Dominion Day. The programme will consist of a 2.40 trot and pace, 2.50 trot and 3-minute trot, the purse in each class being \$100.

SEA KING, driven by 10-year-old Ed. Lynn Davis, made a mile in 2:22; the half in 1:10.—EX.

CLAIMS THE BOUNTY.—The Richibucto Review says: Mr. Guimond, of St. Louis, was in town Saturday, to see the Clerk of the Peace. He understands it is the custom in the case of the birth of triplets to petition the Queen for a bounty of £25. His daughter recently gave birth to triplets, and Mr. Guimond thinks he claims to the bounty should not be overlooked.

MR. CARMEL LOTTERY.—The committee in charge of the lottery in connection with the church at Mount Carmel being desirous of getting their tickets out of the way of other organizations as soon as possible, offer the following prizes for sale of tickets in Charlotteville. For first returns made from the city after May 25th, a silver cream jug, for first after June 5th, a silver sugar bowl.

CAPTURED IN TIME.—The Summerside Agriculturist says: a man named Hiram Woodside, of O'Leary, was arrested by Policeman McCann, on the Northumberland, Wednesday last, on a capias. The arrest was made after leaving Summerside, and officer McCann brought Woodside back to Summerside that evening. Woodside was accompanied by a girl who was leaving the Island with him, although he and his partner will be discharged. Army officials are of the opinion that the Indian as a soldier is a failure.

HOW TO BETTER GLOVES.—When putting on gloves, begin by buttoning the second button; then, when buttoned to the top, you can easily fasten the first button without tearing the knit. Never remove the gloves by pulling the fingers, but by drawing the part covering the wrist over the hand, and leave them thus wrong side out for sometime before turning them to their proper shape. Always lay gloves lengthwise—never roll them.

BUSINESS RESUME.—The steam tug Lion, of River Philip, Cumberland Co., N. S., is having new tubes put in her boiler by McKinnon & McLean. The tug also put a new propeller on the Lion a short time ago, which is giving every satisfaction. During the past fortnight McKinnon & McLean have shipped four new boilers to as many dry stations throughout the Province, and are now ready for shipment to the stations at Hampton and Coleman.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.—The Florida left for Boston last evening about halfpast seven with a cargo of about 400 barrels, and the following passengers: Sadie Stewart, Annie Nicholson, Katie McDonald, Clara Llewellyn, Gilmore Jardine, Geo. W. Turner.

The Miramichi arrived from Montreal via Summerside about five o'clock yesterday afternoon, and left on return to Montreal via Pictou about midnight. She had a general cargo both ways.

The Fastnet arrived here from Summerside this morning, and leaves for Halifax this afternoon.

IMPORTATION OF CATTLE.—On Thursday last a cargo of cattle, fifteen in number, were brought over from Point du Chene in the Northumberland. There were fifteen on leaving Point du Chene, but sixteen on arrival at Summerside, the new-comer being promptly named "Northumberland." These cattle were imported from St. Philips, P. Q., by Patrick Manning, of Halls Bay, who was here Thursday night. They are called Quebec Jerseys, and are, we understand, registered. They are quite small in size, of Jersey formation, and black or nearly so in color. They are, it is claimed, a very superior class of dairy cattle, being extra good milkers and easily kept, and it is expected that they will prove a popular breed in King's County. Those imported by Mr. Manning were very thin, but no doubt they will quickly improve when they get on the rich pastures of King's.—Agriculturist.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.—The annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of this Province took place at Summerside on Thursday last, with a fairly good attendance of delegates from the unions at Charlotteville, Kensington and elsewhere. The first session was held in the morning in the W. C. T. U. rooms, and the second one in Market Hall, both of which were very interesting. The principal feature of the afternoon session was Miss Isabelle Macmillan's talk upon "Physical Culture and Dress Reform," which is well spoken of by those present. In the evening a public meeting was held in Market Hall. The programme included the reading of papers, vocal selections, recitations, &c. The address of welcome was given by Mrs. R. C. McLeod, of Summerside, and responded to by Mrs. Clara Matheson, Charlotteville. Mrs. J. J. Colter, Charlotteville, read an interesting paper on "Women's Franchise," and Miss Isabelle Macmillan and Miss Annie gave some exercises in physical culture.

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NEWS NOTES

Winnipeg's population increased 3,000 last year. Brandon, Man., is excited over the alleged discovery of gold.

Of every 1,000 sailors eighty-four have rheumatism every year. Of every 10,000 deaths in St. John's, Nfld., 2,250 are of bronchitis.

Shanghai, China, is almost free from cases of infantile convulsions. The first consignment of raw sugar from the Hawaiian Islands has just reached New York.

If some men were half as big as they think they are, the world would have to be enlarged.

New York city has already imported 40,000 tons of coal from Great Britain and Canada, and more has been ordered. All this is due to the coal strike.

The Great Northern railway strike trouble has at last been settled, and the men have gained all they asked for. The trouble was settled by arbitration.

In twenty years prior to 1886, the United Kingdom had 6,587 divorces; Russia, 21,976; France, 57,116; Germany, 93,814; Europe, 258,332; the United States, 328,716.

It is said by experts that practical event-temperament men usually write a plain, round hand, in which every letter is legible, and that more ambitious men write hastily and carelessly.

The use of electricity has made it necessary for sentries on British warships to discard side-arms while on duty. The arms become magnetized by the dynamos and affect the compasses.

The London Sportsman announces the sale this summer of Queen Victoria's famous stud farm, Hampton Court. Many famous winners, including Baron Hirsch's five-year-old brown mare, La Fleche, were bred there.

A handsome memorial has just been placed in the transept of Rochester (England) cathedral, in honor of Capt. Stairs, Capt. H. B. McKay and Capt. W. H. Robinson, three Canadian soldiers who died while on service for the motherland in Africa.

John T. Sullivan, the actor and husband and manager of Rose Coghlan, is confined to his residence in New York, dangerously ill from the effects of the Mall-Sans Theatre a few nights ago, by Leander Richardson.

The archbishops and bishops of England have issued a circular letter protesting against the proposed disestablishment of the Church in Wales, which they declare would endanger the unity of the Church of England. The Bishops particularly denounced the disestablishment proposals, which they say appropriate to secular purposes ancient gifts intended for the service of God.

All but two or three of the remaining members in two Indian companies, viz., Co. I, Sixteenth Infantry, and Co. Second Infantry United States, have been discharged from the United States' army, and the others will be released when they return from the front, and the companies will be disbanded. Army officials are of the opinion that the Indian as a soldier is a failure.

At Greenbush, Pa., the commonwealth army detachment only received six loaves of bread to keep it alive on Tuesday. In Montana, Leader Hogan has been sentenced to six months in jail for stealing a railroad train. At Bladensburg, near Washington, the original "army" is being run in by the police by two and three drunkenness. Coxeyism is finding its proper level.

Portugal has sent copies of the correspondence with Brazil concerning the refugees to the European powers, most of whom have been consulted as to the rupture. England's mediation has been solicited. The conduct of Brazil in severing her diplomatic relations with Portugal has aroused the indignation of all Lisbon, and especially that of the commercial classes. Public opinion is uniformly favorable to the government's taking steps to meet Brazil's so-called arrogant pretensions.

A lawsuit over Dr. Emin's papers has been begun at Berlin. One claimant is Ferida, Emin's daughter by an Abyssinian woman and generally regarded as his heir; the other is a woman living in Constantinople who asserts that she is Emin's legal wife and produces a certificate, signed apparently by Emin, to prove the legitimacy of their child Paulina. The proof in the latter case seems to be complete. In 1874 Dr. Emin was staying in Vienna, his birthplace, and this is the year from which the certificate dates. The woman says the marriage took place in Constantinople. It is suggested that the existence of this family had much to do with Emin's refusal to return with Stanley to Europe, for he had several families in Africa at the time.

Mr. Irving has brought back some curious experiences from America. In one city he was entertained by a club who provided him with a table cloth of gold. After dinner they conducted him to a darkened vault, where the most famous characters which he impersonates appeared before him in a ghostly fashion, and apostrophized him with startling directness. Finally, they danced round him with a wild chorus, and then the lights were turned up, disclosing the vivacious masqueraders. Mr. Irving appears to have entered into the spirit of this frolic with the utmost heartiness, and he afterwards sent to the members of the club five hundred morocco-bound passes for the Lyceum, signed with his autograph. No doubt the five hundred will charter a steamer and come over in a body.

After House Cleaning a tonic is sometimes necessary. Johnson's Quinine Wine is highly recommended. Large bottles \$1. We also have Fellows' Hypophosphates, Wampoles' Hypophosphates, Beef, Iron and Wine, in bottles and on draught, Quinine and Iron Tonic, Horsford's Acid Phosphates and many others.

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ODDS AND ENDS

Stockholm has the highest death rate from drink of any city in the world, ninety in one thousand.

The metals which have been proved to exist in the sun are iron, sodium, nickel, copper, zinc and marium.

A man never knows all his mother has been to him until it is too late to let her know that he sees it.—Howells.

A suburban paper, reporting a meeting of a Woman's Dress Reform League, says, "Thirty old women were present."—Philadelphia Record.

"What do you mean by saying you were once in the higher walks of life?" "I was in de mountains wad Coxy."—Detroit Tribune.

Coxey may not be much of a farmer, but it would take a long-headed agriculturist to excel him in raising beats.—Lowell Courier.

The Amer of Afghanistan has abandoned his proposed visit to England. His better half couldn't agree upon which one of them should go with him.

Some very ancient books are to be found in the sacred robes of Ceylon. They are formed of palm leaves, written upon with a metal pen, and are bound merely by a silken string.

During the past week in New York there were eight suicides, a dozen bodies of men were found in the river, and half a dozen dead bodies of men were picked up in dark hallways and alleysways.

A bridge possessing what will be the longest span in the world is now being erected across the Missouri River, between Omaha and Council Bluffs. The span will be 520 feet long, 15 feet longer than that of the great Thames Bridge at New London, Conn.

You are becoming round-shouldered—got a regular stoop. You don't ride a bicycle, do you?" "No, but my boys ride bicycles, and I am paying for them on instalments."—Good News.

A man's character always be the same everywhere. So perhaps it is excusable, after a man has delivered an eloquent plea for a more beautiful life, to go home and kick his dog and fault with the supper his wife has prepared for him.—Boston Transcript.

Watts—Do you always agree with your wife when she makes an assertion?" "Pots—Of course I don't. Do you suppose I want the poor woman to have no amusement at all?"—Indianapolis Journal.

An exhibition of relics and souvenirs of Queen Marie Antoinette will be opened soon in the Sedelmeyer Gallery, in London. Among the curiosities will be a gruesome object—a model of the heart of the ill-fated young Prince "whom the Royalists persist in calling Louis XVII, although he never reigned."

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Read Paton and Co's ad in this issue.

Great bargains tonight in summer underclothing, ties, straw and felt hats, at McKay Woolen Mills.

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Notice to Commercial Travellers.

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