

Anniversary Items.

TUESDAY, Oct. 7.—Edgar Allen Poe, the American Poet and Novelist, was born January, 1811. Published "The Raven," 1844; "Eureka," a prose poem, 1848; and died 35 years ago to-day.

Local and Other Items.

**DOMINION ALLIANCE** to-night.  
**HON. JOHN LEFEBVRE** is in town.  
 SMALL attendances at the market to-day. Prices unchanged.  
 THE Supreme Court opens at Summers'ide to-day. There is no criminal business.  
**REV. W. H. SAMPTON**, of Trinity Church, Halifax, is on the Island visiting his relatives and friends.  
**REV. W. C. WILSON**, Curate of St. George's, Halifax, arrived last evening to visit his old friends in this city.  
 THE Temperance Alliance meets every Tuesday evening during the election campaign at 7.30 o'clock.  
 THE Teachers Provincial Institute meets in the hall of the Upper Prince Street School on Thursday the 9th inst., at 10 o'clock, a.m.  
 HIS HONOR the Lieutenant Governor and Lady attended the performance of the Boston Comedy Company, in Market Hall, last evening.  
 Be sure you call at R. K. Brace's during exhibition week, if you want bargains in crockery, glassware, or good groceries. Call early and call often. [Oct 7  
**CHARLESTOWN** has but six policemen to keep order day and night among its ten thousand people. This speaks volumes for the Island capital.—*St. John Telegraph.*  
**LOST**—On Fowal or Water Streets, on the 20th September, a Black-Brown Fur Tippet with two steel clasps. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the EXAMINER OFFICE. Oct 7 3i  
 His Lordship Chief Justice Palmer, accompanied by James D. Irving, Esq., Clerk of the Peace and the leading counsel of Charlottetown, went to Summerside this morning by the early train.  
 We would call the attention of our City Surveyor to the dilapidated condition of the sidewalk on the east side of Great George Street, between Kent and Fitzroy Streets. It is certainly very dangerous for pedestrians.  
 ALL our druggists now heartily endorse the amazing success of Mack's Magnetic Medicine, and recommends it for both sexes in all cases of sexual weakness. See advertisement in another column. Sold at Apothecaries Hall.  
**SIGNS OF A HARD WINTER.**—We may look for an extraordinary severe winter if there is any virtue in the old Indian hornet sign. All the nests we have found this year in the woods are built on the ground. When they are suspended from trees and high up it is a sign of a mild winter. Our old prognosticators say that they have never known this sign to fail.—*Middlebury Post.*  
 A PUBLIC MEETING of the Dairymen's Association is to be held in the hall of the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow night. The President, Col. Haviland, will open the Association with an address, after which papers will be read by the following gentlemen: Hon. D. Ferguson, Messrs. Charles Gardiner, John Hamilton, Alex. McRae, and others. Every farmer and dairymen interested in the welfare of his country should attend.  
**BISHOP BOOSE**, apostolic prefect of Labrador, has arrived in Ottawa for the purpose of interviewing the government to obtain food and pecuniary assistance for the starving natives. The catch of fish this season proved a failure and much misery and destitution prevails. It is stated that unless prompt measures be taken many persons will die of starvation during the coming winter. It is understood that the Provincial Government of Quebec are prepared to make a liberal vote of provisions and the Dominion Government will provide a steamer.  
**DRAMATIC.**—A very large and enthusiastic audience greeted the opening performance of the Boston Comedy Company, in the Market Hall last evening. "Fanchon" was remarkably well staged and costumed, and each performer perfect in his or her role. Miss Grey was given a warm and hearty reception, as were all the old favorites. To-night the "Hidden Hand" will be performed, and will draw another big house. The troupe fully sustain the excellent reputation made in our city last year.

The Irish Situation.

The Times' correspondent cables:—The Irish situation is as perplexing and provoking as ever to the English. Limerick city stands out stoutly against the Castle, refusing to pay a penny of the expenditure charged on it for extra police; and the Castle shows its conception of the awkwardness of the affair by offering to accept a reduced sum than that which the corporation of Limerick rejects. The test case will be watched with the deepest interest all over Ireland. The catholic bishops of Ireland in conference passed a resolution committing a settlement of the Irish education question to the Parnellites, a form of recognition by hierarchy which is deeply significant of the increasing strength of nationalism. Then, too, Hon. Rowland Werin, and aged uncle and heir of Lord Headley, has just evicted 52 families from wretched huts on the bleak Glen Beign coast, for inability to pay accumulated rents, three times greater than the valuation of the land and under circumstances of peculiar brutality. Some of the children of those turned out on the mountain side are said to have died. Radical English papers have taken the thing up and protest vigorously against officially bolstering such abuses. It is a fact also that the *Wasp* was on an evicting mission when she was wrecked, and radical papers sternly ask why a man-of-war should be employed to drive sixteen miserable families off an ocean rock because the crops were not big enough to pay exorbitant rents. All signs point to more English interest in Ireland's wrongs than has been exhibited heretofore, and Parnell's hand will be an immensely strong one in the next parliament if the dynamites do not block his game, as they have twice blocked it before, by outrages.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

Egyptian Affairs.

LONDON, Oct. 6.  
 The Cabinet to-day considered Lord Northbrook's first statement relative to the condition of Egypt. His reports upon affairs in that country are very unfavorable. The cabinet also considered despatches from the Governor of Cape Colony, urging that reinforcements be sent to act against the Boers.  
 Upon the adjournment of the Council, despatches were forwarded to General Wolseley which are supposed to refer to acceleration of the Nile expedition, and to limit the cost there of, which letter item is reported to alarm the Ministry.

Operations of the French.

HONG KONG, Oct. 6.  
 The French forces under Admiral Lespes, which commenced an attack upon Jamsui, on Thursday, have occupied that town, and Admiral Lespes has sent three battalions to affect a junction with Admiral Courbet, at Kelung.

Gen. Gordon Distributes Medals.

CAIRO, Oct. 6.  
 Gen. Gordon has had medals struck off to commemorate the siege of Khartoum. They have been bestowed upon the troops and also upon the women and children who shared in the hardships of the siege; upon the latter because they merit them by their sufferings.

Important and Pressing.

LONDON, Oct. 6.  
 Mr. Gladstone has issued a circular to his supporters notifying them to attend the opening of Parliament as he proposes at the earliest moment to submit important and pressing business for the consideration of that body.

A Terrible Fate.

CAIRO, Oct. 6.  
 Major Kitchener telegraphs that the whole of Col. Stewart's party, who were stranded on the rocks at the cataracts at Wady Garna, have been murdered.

Another Presidential Candidate.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 6.  
 The Drummers National Association has nominated Hon. Joseph Mulhastan for President of the United States, and he has accepted.

Quick Trip.

LONDON, Oct. 6.  
 The new Cunard steamship *Umbria* made a trial trip on the Clyde yesterday. She attained a maximum speed of 24 miles an hour.

An Official Visit.

CAIRO, Oct. 6.  
 Earl Northbrooke will visit Assouan for the purpose of inspecting the towns and provinces along the River Nile.

A Rumor.

CAIRO, Oct. 6.  
 It is rumored that Colonel Stewart has been killed at Berber.

France and China.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 6.  
 It is reported that the French have occupied Tien-Tsin.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

METEOLOGICAL OFFICE.

Charlottetown, October 7, 1884.  
 Highest Temperature yesterday, . . . . . 50.8  
 Lowest Temperature (read at midnight), . . . . . 41.2  
 Lowest Temperature this morning, . . . . . 44.0  
 Temperature this morning, at 8 o'clock, . . . . . 46.1  
 Temperature this afternoon at 1 o'clock, . . . . . 48.7

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

OSBORNE HOUSE.  
 Oct. 6—Rev W B Sampson, Halifax; Ernest E Hilton, Yarmouth, N S; Miss Carrie Welsh, Summerside; E F Pittman, do; J C Duggan, do; J S Allen, do; W H Guene, B, Gloucester, Mass; J E Perry, do; Thomas H White, do; Robert Smith, do; L B Saunders, Charlton, N B; J T McMurray, Sackville, N B; J S Murray, Tignish. 7—Rev Alex McLean, Hopewell, N S; Allan Boieser, Souris; James R Elliot, Elliott's Mills.  
 ROCKLIN HOUSE.  
 Oct 6—Wm McNairn, Pictouche, N B; J R Bourke and wife, Mill View; L Sentaer and wife, do; D McDonald, Vernon River; S H Brown, Stanley Bridge; E H McMillan, do; Mrs John McKinnon, North River; R P Haythorne, Halifax, N S; Miss Mellish, do.

BEVERE HOUSE.

Oct 6—David H Hogg, Montreal; Fred McLea, New York; Frank R Hind, Halifax; John McD Taylor, do; Robert W Hodges, do; N T Norman, Montreal. Oct 7—James McNutt, Malpeque.

DIED.

At North Lake, East Point, P. E. I., on Friday the 26th Sept. ult., after an illness of twelve years, of rheumatic and general debility, which she bore with great patience and resignation to the Divine Will, Jane, the beloved wife of Peter Rose, sen., and second daughter of the late Charles McVane, in the 70th year of her age. Deceased was a woman of a retired disposition, a faithful wife and a kind mother and a good neighbor. She died as she had lived, trusting in the merits of Christ. She leaves a sorrowing husband, two sons and six daughters to mourn their loss.  
 Ah! broken is the golden bow,  
 Ah! loosed the silver cord,  
 The soul set free in its glad flight,  
 Soars up to meet its God.  
 (Boston papers please copy.)  
 At Spaniards' Bay, Nfld., Sarah, relict of the late Israel Goss, aged 86 years.

**COMBINATION COOK STOVE.**  
 CONSTRUCTED ON A QUICK AND PERFECT OPERATION, AND EASILY MANAGED.  
 New and Improved Principle. CONTAINING EVERY FACILITY FOR COOKING.  
**EVERY STOVE WARRANTED.**  
 Simon W. Crabbe,  
 Ch'town, Oct. 1.



**FALL IMPORTATIONS!**  
 The Bulk of our Fall Stock is now Open, and we are Prepared to Give Buyers  
**FIRST CLASS VALUE**  
 IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.  
**CASH CUSTOMERS AND WHOLESALE BUYERS**  
 —WILL DO WELL TO—  
**HAVE A LOOK AT OUR STOCK**  
 BEFORE BUYING ELSEWHERE  
**W. A. WEEKS & CO.**  
 Ch'town, Sept. 27, 1884.

**W. & A. Brown & Co.**  
 Have now Opened and Ready for Inspection a very Large Stock of  
**NEW & FASHIONABLE FALL & WINTER GOODS,**  
 JUST RECEIVED FROM THE  
**BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARKETS.**  
 Prices of all classes of Merchandise are very Moderate this season, therefore we are offering all lines of Dry Goods at prices that are bound to sell them.  
**The Following Special Lines are Marked Down Low;—**  
 Millinery, Jackets, Dolmans, and Ulsters, Fancy Goods, Wool Goods, Velveteens, Silk Velvets and Plushes, Black and Brocaded Silks, Dress Goods, (Black and Colored) Black Merinoes and Cashmeres, Black Crapes, Fur Cloaks, Capes, and Trimmings, Black Skirts, Scarlet and Grey Flannels, Gent's Wool Underclothing. Also a very large Stock of Heavy Staple Goods.  
 45,150 yds. Grey Cotton Marked down to 6c. and 4c. A large Stock St. John Cotton Warps at Mill Prices.  
 If you want Genuine Bargains do not fail to call at BROWN'S, where you will receive every attention.  
**WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.**  
 Remember the Place: Tremaine & Metcalf's old Stand, next Door to Messrs. Beer & Co.  
 The New Brick Store will not be opened till 1st April next.  
**W. & A. BROWN & CO.**  
 Ch'town, Sept. 24, 1884.

**FIRST INSTALMENT**  
 —OF—  
**FALL & WINTER GOODS**  
 —AT—  
**Perkins & Sterns'.**  
 —O—  
**MR. STERNS'** recent purchases in Great Britain and the United States are daily coming to hand. In a few days our Stock will be complete, with the contents of over  
**200 CASES AND BALES**  
 —OF—  
**English, Canadian and American Dry Goods,**  
 which for variety, style and price cannot be surpassed in P. E. Island.  
**PERKINS & STERNS.**  
 Ch'town, Sept. 13, 1884.

**Dr. Souville's Throat and Lung Institute.**  
 Head Office, London, England  
**OFFICES IN AMERICA:**  
 Boston, Mass; Toronto, Ont; Montreal, Que; Winnipeg, Man; and  
**6 Fawson St., Halifax, N. S.**  
 THE Chief Surgeon of this world-famous Institute will be at the Rankin House, Charlottetown, from Tuesday, 7th, to Saturday, 11th October, where he may be consulted on all diseases of the Air Passages, Catarrh, deafness, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. The hundreds of cases cured by the use of DR. SOUVILLE'S SPIROMETER, throughout the Province alone, is a sufficient guarantee of its value, and this visit is made entirely in the interest of such persons as are unable to journey to Halifax. The following are a few of the hundreds of testimonials received from patients in these Provinces:—  
 OXFORD, Jan. 4th, 1884.  
 DR. M. SOUVILLE & Co.:  
 DEAR SIRS,—You asked me to write in three weeks' time and let you know the effect of your medicine, but I neglected doing so; but I am glad to be able to tell you now that I am very much better. I used the Spirometer for two months, according to directions, when my cough was almost entirely gone. Since that time I have not used it very regularly, but have been very punctual in bathing in the salt and water, which I think has been a great benefit. I will use the Spirometer again, regularly, now, while the medicine lasts, and do not think I will require any more.  
 Yours, very respectfully,  
 (Signed) MRS. G. D. HEWSON.  
 THURO, N. S., July, 1883.  
 DR. M. SOUVILLE & Co.:  
 DEAR SIRS,—I have spent hundreds of dollars in the past, and over \$500 in one institution in Buffalo, without any good results; but after consulting you and taking the Spirometer, the effect was at once perceptible. To your treatment alone I give all the credit of curing me.  
 Yours truly,  
 (Signed) A. T. SCHURMAN.  
 134 ARGOYLE STREET, HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 20th, 1884.  
 DR. M. SOUVILLE & Co.:  
 DEAR SIRS,—While you were in Halifax you said that you would like me to write and let you know what improvement Mrs. Davies made under your treatment. I should have written before, but I thought I would wait until your treatment had a fair trial. But I am glad that I am now able to write and tell you that she is every day improving. She is gaining flesh and is daily getting stronger. The bleeding has not returned, and she does not feel any soreness about the lungs. She has a good appetite, and our friends seem to think that she is looking better now than before she was taken sick. Now, Sirs, hoping that many others may receive the same benefit from your treatment that Mrs. Davies has,  
 I remain yours truly,  
 (Signed) WM. DAVIES.  
**Consultation Free.**  
 Those wishing to consult the Doctor may now avail themselves of this opportunity of so doing. They are invited to call as early as possible, as his visit must necessarily be short.  
 Ch'town, Oct. 6—till 11th wkly 1m

**FAT HERRING FOR SALE.**  
 JUST received a quantity of Good Fat Newfoundland Herring. For sale cheap in barrels and half barrels.  
 A. HORNE & CO.,  
 Upper Queen St.  
 Ch'town, Sept. 18, '84.

**Pure Bred Stock.**  
 THE services of the celebrated Jersey Bull "Bella's Centennial," No. 7,977, American Herd-Book, can now be had at the stable of T. A. McLean, Esq., near Esdale Foundry, Fee, \$2.00. Now is the time to get milking stock, as he will likely be in Charlottetown but a short time.  
 Sept 9—1m

**ELECTRIC GLOSS.**  
 FOR cleaning Solid Silver, Nickel, Brass, Copper and Plate Glass. Quick! Sure! Permanent! No dirt, no trouble, no labor. Being entirely free from grit and acids, it cannot injure the most finely burnished surface. It is the only preparation ever produced that will polish brass or copper without the use of acid. Nothing approaches it for removing grease and finger marks from Brass, Copper, Glass, etc; while for cleaning Nickel or Stoves it is especially useful. Retail price, 25 cents per bottle.  
 MICA WASH.—This wash is the only thing of the kind ever invented. A stove may be as handsome as a jewel and shine like ebony; but smoked mica lights will spoil it all. Day by day mica becomes scarcer and higher in price, and an article that will clean and preserve it is valuable to all concerned. Try this wash once, and you will always use it. Retail price, 25 cents per bottle.  
 The above household necessities are manufactured by The Electric Gloss Co., Philadelphia, U. S. A., and sold by every respectable Drug gist, Stove Dealer, Hardware Merchant and General Dealer in Canada. The Canadian trade supplied by  
 JOHN T. REED,  
 105 Water Street, St. John, N. B.  
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**Superb Baking Powder.**  
 (Manufactured by Holister, Crane & Co., 90 Broad Street, New York.)  
 UNQUESTIONABLY the purest and most wholesome Baking Powder made. Grocers are authorized to guarantee every can to be full weight, and positively pure. Ask for the "Superb" and take no other. Put up in 1/2, 1, and 1-1/2 lbs. tins, and for sale by every respectable wholesale and retail grocer and general dealer in Canada. The Canadian trade supplied by  
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