

NEWS NOTES.

The quinquennial system of military organization to be maintained in Germany.

The two leading shipbuilding firms of Belfast, Ireland, last year turned out sixteen vessels—all screw steamers—with an aggregate tonnage of 121,380 and a united horse power of 65,870.

The execution of Joseph Vatcher, the French "Jack the Ripper," by M. Deibler, was the last act of that kind to be performed by him. Deibler has held the post of public executioner in France for thirty-eight years, during which time he has executed fifty-three people, and he now relinquishes the work to his son.

The example of Mayor Van Wyck, of New York, in raising the salaries of his subordinates has been followed by the heads of all the city departments, and the aggregate increase in the city salary list is about \$10,000 per annum.

The latest in the building line is the aluminum hut for Klondike miners. When packed for carriage it weighs 110 pounds. It is composed of four sides and a roof of thin sheets of aluminum, and when put up it contains 190 cubic feet.

A meteorological observatory is to be established in the spire of the cathedral at Ulm, one of the largest churches in Germany. Next to the Eiffel tower in Paris, it will be the highest post of meteorological observation in the world erected by human hands.

A club is reported to have been formed in Vienna, the members of which are pledged to marry poor girls. If by chance or design a member marries a rich girl he is fined \$3,000, which sum is bestowed on some respectable but impecunious couple engaged to be married.

The January number of the New Brunswick Magazine is at hand. It contains 64 pages of good reading. The opening paper by W. K. Reynolds, is an account of the great St. John fire of 1837, which beat the record of all fires there until that of 1877. Harry Piers concludes the story of the trial of Esign Cross at Halifax, in 1824, and gives some chance for speculation as to how far the verdict was in accordance with the facts. Mr. Raymond's papers on Portland Point, which have already excited wide attention, grow more and more interesting as they proceed; and Mr. Hannay continues his account of the early Acadian families. A new contributor this month is Placide P. Gaudet, of St. Anne's College, Church Point, N.S., who tells the story of the Acadian fugitives, as he learned it from his ancestor. Mr. Gaudet is a well known authority on the Acadians, and this is the first of a number of papers to be contributed to the magazine during the coming year. This magazine is published at \$1.50 per year in advance, by W. K. Reynolds, St. John, N. B., single number 25 cents each. It is highly creditable to New Brunswick as a Province and to its publisher in particular.

Things to Make a Note of.

At the evangelistic service in the Baptist church at 8 o'clock this evening Rev. A. F. Brown, of North River, will preach. Services continue every evening this week except Saturday. Services in the main building. You are particularly invited to drop in and bring a friend.

"O the devil's in the lasses! they gang now sae braw." The Burns Concert on Friday 27th.

Rev. Mr. Campbell will preach on Sabbath first, 22nd inst. as follows: 11 a.m.; Hampton, 4 p.m.; Tryon, 6.30 p.m.—T. F. Fullerton, Clerk of Presbytery.

REMEMBER the Hockey matches this evening!

Ladies Hockey boots at Jost's. Ankle supports, 25c. a pair, at Jost's.

Paton's Annual, Remnant Sale now on.

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PERSONAL

Major Wright, E. q. of Centreville, is visiting Charlottetown.

Hon. Edward Blake and Mrs. Blake are travelling in Switzerland.

Mr. J. A. Leaman, of Halifax, is visiting Charlottetown. He is among the guests at the Hotel Davies.

Mr. W. D. McKav, who has been on a business trip to Halifax, returned to Charlottetown yesterday afternoon.

Miss Sayre received, this morning, the sad news of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Hennigar Blenkhorn, of Canning N. S. Mr. Blenkhorn was an upright man and a trusted citizen.

Messrs. William Small and Don. Nicholson leave on Friday for Dawson City, where they will open a general store. Mr. Small has been in Dawson before. Mr. Nicholson is a son of Mr. John P. Nicholson, of this city.

Joseph H. Dillon of St. Louis, Mo., has had his name changed by legal process to Joseph H. Dillon-Gregg, to enable him to marry Mary Gregg, and at the same time save the fortune of \$200,000 bequeathed to her by an eccentric uncle on condition that she retain the name of Gregg through life. It is supposed the uncle intended his niece should remain unmarried.

SUPREME COURT.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 18th.

The witnesses examined in the Thorne case yesterday afternoon were Louis Pigott, Edward Nicholson, Samuel Morrison, and Thomas Dover. This forenoon William Warren, Catherine Morgan, Dr. H. D. Johnson and Dr. Alexander McNeill were examined this forenoon. John Proud was tendered as a witness but not examined.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel Davies: G. J. Murray, St. John; B. C. Cox, Souris; J. A. Leaman Halifax; E. W. Henderson, St. John; I. N. Bellins Quebec; Robert Mutch, Gallas Point; R. A. E. Mitchell, St. John; Geo. W. Hiltbert, Georgetown; W. J. Bullman, Charlottetown; W. C. Kennedy, Charlottetown.

Queen Hotel: George Forbes, Vernon River Bridge; J. D. McLeod, City.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Only a few pairs left—Ankle supports 25cents.—R. K. Jost.

Ladies warm lined Dongola buttoned boots at Jost's.

Children's gaiters 45 cents a pair, at Jost's.

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RIGHTS OF THE PRESS.—The rights of the press are becoming gradually recognized by the highest legal authorities. Chief Justice Armour, in charging the jury at the Ottawa Assizes in a libel case, spoke strongly in favor of newspapers publishing full details of police court proceedings. He said that newspapers had a perfect and legitimate right to report the evidence of any case in police or other courts of law. The advantage derived by the public from these publications far more than made up for the inconvenience to parties concerned. The newspaper was one of the best preventives of crime, as the publicity of offences served to put the public on their guard.

The committee of management of the London Fair beg to thank all those who kindly lent any articles, and those who assisted in various ways.

BORN.

In this city, on the 10th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lordly, a daughter.

DIED

Very suddenly, in this city, yesterday, at noon, Louisa, youngest child of Helen and Stainforth Sanderson, aged two years. [Funeral on Thursday, at 2 p. m., to People's Cemetery.]

At Cavendish, Nov 1st, 1898, at the residence of Wm. McNeill, Caroline Amelia, daughter of the late Malcolm McNeill, and sister of the late Mrs. John LePage, of Charlottetown, aged 78.

At Augustine Cove, on the 15th inst., Edward Wadman, in the 74th year of his age, after several years of failing health, leaving a widow, one son and one daughter to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father.

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Local and Other Items

HOCKEY!—this evening.

THE WEATHER.—Fresh north and west winds, fair and a little colder.

THE STANLEY.—The Stanley left Georgetown at 7 o'clock this morning.

MAILS.—A special train with the mails arrived in Charlottetown about two o'clock.

AT THE CAPE.—Mails crossed both ways to-day. Bow's left Cape Tormentine at 8.15 with 11 bags.

HOCKEY.—Don't miss the hockey matches at the rink to-night. All the teams are in good feel, and the games promise to be both interesting and exciting. There will be a special train from Summerside this afternoon.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION.—The Ministerial Association was re-organized yesterday afternoon. Rev. T. F. Fullerton was elected president, and Rev. G. C. P. Raymond secretary. Several matters of interest came up for consideration.

AMERICAN-IRISH HISTORICAL SOCIETY.—Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, Governor of New York, Hon. Morgan J. O'Brien, Justice of the Supreme Court, Rev. Cyrus T. Brady, Protestant Episcopal Archdeacon of Pennsylvania, and James Jeffrey Roche, L.L.D., Editor of the Boston Pilot, will deliver addresses before the American-Irish Historical Society on January 19.

DEBATING SOCIETY.—The students of the Prince of Wales College have reorganized their debating society. The officers are: President, Dan McLeod; Vice-President, Roy Connor; Sec-Treas, Harry Hyndman; Committee, James McLeod, William Holman, William Lawson, Owen Horne and Samuel Nicholson. The society meets on Friday evening of each week.

FOOT CUT.—On Monday evening last, as Mr. Wallace Turner, son of James Turner, Trout River, Lot 21, was cutting wood in the woods the axe slipped and entering his left foot at the ankle severed several arteries. He lost considerable blood, before Dr. Macneill, who was immediately sent for arrived and stopped the flow of blood.

SOCIAL AND CONCERT.—There will be a social and concert at Fort Augustus on the evening of the 30th January, instant, in aid of the new church fund. The managers are preparing a choice programme for the affair, and it promises to be a great success in every respect. Among the vocal numbers will be a quartette by students of St. Dunstan's College.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. and Mrs. Stainforth Sanderson, have the sympathy of all in the death of their two-year old daughter which occurred yesterday about noon. The child was out with her mother in the morning, and on their way home from the market they called at the store of Messrs Sanderson & Co. After their return home the child took a short nap, upon awaking from which she went into convulsions which terminated fatally.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—There was a fair congregation at the evangelistic meeting in the Baptist church last evening, notwithstanding the unfavorable weather. In the unavoidable absence of Rev. Mr. Browne, Mr. Turner (lic) of Montague Bridge, preached with much acceptance. Nearly all the congregation participated in the praise and testimony meeting which followed the sermon. Rev. Mr. Browne will preach to-night.

I. O. F.—At the meeting of Court Mount Stephen last evening the following officers were installed into their respective chairs:—

- C D—Prof. E. E. Jordan
C R—John W. Sutherland.
V C R—Arthur Gates.
R S—E. H. Duchemin.
F S—H. V. Buntain.
Treas.—Chas McGregor.
S W—Harry R. Lord.
J W—John W. Mumford.
S B—Lorne Stewart.
J B—Angus McKenzie.
P C R—R M Johnson.
Chap—Rev. W. J. Kirby.
Physician—Alex. McNeill, M. D.
Organist—Prof. W. Harry Watts.

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2. Highland Fling. Miss Ellie Gillis
3. Violin Solo. Prof. Vinnicombe
4. Song. Mrs. E. H. Norton
5. Inst. Selection. Misses Murphy
6. Bass Solo. Prof. Caven
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