

Local and Other Items.

THE City Council meets to-morrow evening.
 Mr. J. P. T. KNIGHT, Agent for the Canadian Art Union, is at the Rankin House.
 Our genial friend, Mr. Robert Bustin, of St. John, is proprietor of the celebrated fire escape apparatus, in the city.

A new evening paper, *The World*, has made its appearance in Toronto. It is edited by Mr. Horton, late of the *Globe*.

A DISGRACEFUL exhibition of rowdiness took place on Queen street yesterday evening. It is to be ventilated by the Stipendiary.

TWO ROYAL PALACES are to be placed at the disposal of Mr. Gladstone, should he visit Italy for the benefit of his health.

We are indebted to Mr. A. W. Sterns, of the firm of Perkins & Sterns, and to some unknown friend, for late English papers.

MR. JOHN ELLIOT, proprietor of Phoenix Foundry, London, Ont., after spending a few days, in this city, left for home this morning.

HON. D. DAVIES and H. Hazard, Esq., have removed their place of business to Mr. Davies' large warehouse at the head of Queen's wharf.

THE New York managers of coal corporations have agreed to advance the price of coal 16 cents a ton for large sized, and 20 cents for domestic grades.

MR. A. W. STERNS, of this city, is registered as one of the Canadians who visited the London office of the Canadian Government during the week ending Aug. 11.

MR. W. H. SMITH, the late First Lord of the Admiralty, has just purchased a mansion in Grosvenor Place for £50,000, and intends to entertain in a similar lavish style as he did when in his official residence.

DR. LEEMING lectures in Halifax on Thursday evening, in aid of St. Joseph's Orphanage. The lecture is under the patronage of the Lieut. Governor, and Sir William Young takes the chair.

THE classes of the Charlottetown Commercial College are now open for the admission of students to the fall and winter sessions. For further particulars intending pupils would do well to apply immediately to L. B. Miller, Welsh & Owen's building, Queen street.

THE MARKET to-day was well supplied with fruit and vegetables. The prices were:—Beef (small) from 7 to 14 cents; do. (qtr.) from 5 to 9 cents; Mutton, per lb., from 5 to 10 cents; Lamb, per lb., from 4 1/2 to 10 cents; Chickens, per pair, from 30 to 50 cents; Fowls, from 40 to 60 cents; Butter, from 16 to 20 cents; Eggs, from 12 to 14 cents; Flour (per 100 lbs.) from \$3 to \$3.25; Oatmeal, from \$3.25 to \$3.50.

ABOUT 10 o'clock on Saturday week, while Mr. Wm. McLean, foreman of the Bridgetown, N. S., Iron Foundry, was endeavoring to make peace between a number of negroes and whites, who were engaged in a noisy and angry altercation, he was stabbed in the abdomen by a half drunken negro named John Mitchell. The weapon used was a broad bladed butcher's knife. Mitchell made good his escape, and was not captured at last accounts, though diligent search has been made for him. Mr. McLean has since died from the effects of the wound. The deceased was a brother of Mr. Thos. A. McLean, of the Eadale Foundry, in this city. He was a respected and industrious member of the community in which he lived, and leaves a wife and four small children to mourn his sad and untimely death.—*Argus*.

The General Dominion Exhibition.

PREPARATIONS on a grand scale are being made for this Annual Exhibition, to open at Montreal on the 14th day of September next. We clip the following from the *Montreal Gazette* of the 19th inst:—

MANITOBA EXHIBIT.
 Mr. Alex. Begg, of Winnipeg, has made a tour throughout Manitoba in the interests of the Dominion Exhibition, and reports every prospect of a fine exhibit being made by that Province—much finer than that made last year at Ottawa. It will be as large and much more varied. It will comprise roots and vegetables, potatoes, grains, flour, dairy produce, grasses, grain in straw, samples of wood, samples of soil, furs, birds, &c. Among articles of curiosity will be clubs, tomahawks, bows and arrows, war dresses, dog harnesses, and other special exhibits. The space will be about 75x30. Free transportation of the exhibits from Chicago has been offered by the Chicago & Grand Trunk Railway.

P. E. ISLAND EXHIBIT.
 Mr. A. McNeill, Secretary Department of Agriculture, Charlottetown, writes that the Island Province will not be behind her sister in sending a display to the Exhibition here.

Special Notices.

SARSAPARILLA, Golden and other Syrups at Wright & Macnitt's, corner Prince and Kent streets. a 20 3i eod.
SNUFF of all kinds at Rubin & Hart's.
SCHOOL BOOKS, Stationery of all kinds at the "Agricultural Store."—R. MAY. a20 3i
GRAPES, "Bartlett" and "Clapp's Favorite" Peas, Sweet Potatoes, Water Melons, at "The Confectionery."—R. MAY. a20 2i
SMOKE LA Acacia cigars at 25 cents each, or 5 for \$1.00 from Rubin & Hart's.
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CHEW MAYFLOWER Solace and **Globe** fine cut chewing tobacco, from Rubin & Hart's.
FRESH Chocolate Caramels and choice Peas at B. Balderston's. aug 10 6i
A New Importation of choice Havana Cigars from 1880 crop, at Rubin & Hart's.
A FEW cheese left will be cleared out at 12 cents per lb., at the Family Grocery.—R. K. BRACE.—aug. 7.
FLOUR—200 bbls. White Buns, and 100 bbls. Otter Creek, just received at BEER & CO's. [j23

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

EUROPEAN.
 LONDON, Aug. 22.
 A despatch from Cork states that another case of arms, addressed to some fictitious person, now lies at the wharf unclaimed. The box arrived at Cork on the steamer from England. Every steamer that arrives is thoroughly searched. The military authorities have recalled all men on leave of absence and refuse to grant any furloughs.
 Capt. Pilgrim, of the ship Jeddah, who recently abandoned his vessel in the Red Sea, has had his certificate suspended for three years.
 The chief subjects of public interest for the week have been provided by Ireland. Religious riots, agrarian outrages, collisions between Catholics and Protestants, and the Fenian movement constitute the chief items. Fenianism and agrarianism are now no longer in conflict. Along the line the land agitators and the Fenians were at variance, but it is now tacitly admitted that there is room for both. Irishmen continue to drill in the early morning. The seizure of arms on the Juno, and the recent discovery of gunpowder in a railway tunnel in Cork, disturbed the public mind. More than two barrels of gunpowder were found.

THE LAND AGITATION
 has assumed a more demonstrative character. The rejection of the compensation bill seemed to produce little effect, but the Land League stirred the country by ordering great meetings, the last of which will be held to-morrow. Mr. Forster added fuel to the fire by the foolish use of the word "Cowardice," applied to Mr. Dillon, M. P. which already recoils upon himself. Mr. Dillon taking a leading part in the land agitation. Singularly enough Mr. Parnell is in Ireland marvellously quiet and only engaged in recruiting his health in order to participate in the debates on the Irish estimates.
 The most interesting circumstance with Irish matters was the departure of Mr. Forster for Dublin. The Government attempted to minimize the importance of the visit, but Mr. Forster came here suddenly—as soon as Dublin telegrams announced the discovery of the gun powder at Cork. The chief subject upon which he will inform his colleagues is

THE EXPEDIENCY OF REINFORCING THE COERCION ACT.
 The Government is adverse to such a proposal, but Mr. Forster is not the man to recommend such a measure for slight cause. There is a strong impression that after Parliament rises and when the rich harvest in Ireland has been gathered the landlords will press for back rent. This may lead to violence throughout the country. Some Irish officials anticipate that it will be impossible to pass the winter without reimposing the Coercion Act.

THE INDIAN BUDGET AND THE AFGHAN WAR.
 The debate on the Indian budget in the House of Commons was unusually interesting. It brought out the remarkable fact of the £9,000,000 (\$45,000,000), expended in the Afghan war in excess of the estimates, £5,000,000 (\$27,000,000), had already been provided by cash balance. The Government is unable to discover where the money came from, owing to the slovenly book-keeping of the Indian Government.
 The Government ordered General Roberts to march, leaving General Stewart at Cabul. General Stewart absolutely declined to remain there, but proposed to withdraw at the same time, which was done.

SOCIETY IS STILL EXCITED
 about the Baroness Bardett Count's wedding, which was looked for three days ago, at the Savoy Chapel. An enormous crowd assembled there, and were dispersed by the police, amid groans for the Baroness, who would have been pelted in true British fashion had she appeared. It is thought that the wedding will not take place, and that the Baroness will yield to the advice that she received.

SIMLA, Aug. 21.
 It is reported from Quetta that the Candahar garrison has made a sortie, inflicting heavy losses on the Heratese. The number of British casualties is unknown. It is believed that the tribes north of the Khajok Pass have collected to attack communications with Pishin.

UNITED STATES.
CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 22.
 A special from Marietta, Ohio, says that the people of the town of Lowell, ten miles distant, on the Muskingum River, were horrified to find, yesterday morning, that the twin children of John Farley had been drowned in a tub of water during the night. The father and mother were arrested. The children were only a month old. The parents deny the crime, but Farley says he believes his wife drowned the babies.

BOSTON, Aug. 22.
 A fire, late to-night, destroyed the large stables of the Maolis Garden, at Nahant. Loss, \$3,000; insured: Byron Goodell loses \$2,000 in horses, harness, etc.

To the Editor of the Examiner.
 SIR,—In yesterday's issue of the DAILY EXAMINER it says, in the Police proceedings, that Thomas McCloskey is in custody for stealing a bottle of alcohol from Gabriel McDonald.
 The charge against McCloskey is not for stealing, but for entering my shop while I was at work, and by force and violence taking away a bottle of alcohol that I had for my business.
 GABRIEL McDONALD.

Weather Bulletin.
 Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.
 TORONTO, August 24.
 Moderate winds, fair weather.

LONDON HOUSE.

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