

Local and Other Items.

The market to-day was small. Prices unchanged.

An old pensioner named John C. Ley, Town Road, Halifax, died suddenly of heart disease on Friday last.

The difference between advertising and advertising is, the former always pays while the latter sometimes does not.

An order has been promulgated at the brigade office, Halifax, abolishing the sale of intoxicating liquors in all military canteens.

Mrs. FABRE, of Montreal, admitted nineteen candidates to the ministry of the Roman Catholic Church as deacons and sub-deacons on the 22nd inst.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN please make no previous engagement for next Friday evening, as that is the night of Mr. Earle's concert. See advertisement.

The Presbytery of P. E. Island will meet at Woodville, on the 3rd of January, at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the induction of the Rev. Malcolm Campbell.

The first concert of the new year takes place in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Friday evening next. It will be a good one. Give Mr. Earle a full house.

St. JOHN'S DAY was celebrated by the F. & A. Masons of this city by a grand dinner at the Masons House. We learn that the affair passed off very pleasantly.

GEORGE MCCARTHY, of Summerside, was summoned before Stipendiary Magistrate Howe yesterday, for violating the Scott Act. There being no evidence against him the case was dismissed.

A MAN named Andrew Dow was arraigned before the Stipendiary Magistrate this forenoon charged with stealing iron pipe from the Esdale Foundry. The evidence was not clear against him, and he was discharged.

THE "Northern Light" left Pictou for Georgetown at 2:30 p. m., with freight, mails and passengers. A special train will leave the city with mails at 4:15 p. m., and make here on return about 9:30 p. m., with mails from steamer.

THE Presbyterian congregation of Middle Musquodoboit is moving in the matter of a call to Rev. E. S. Bayne, of Murray Harbor, P. E. I. Mr. Bayne is a brother of Prof. Herbert Bayne, of the Kingston Military College, and son of the late Rev. J. Bayne, of Pictou. -Halifax Herald.

ALTHOUGH the Christmas at the Diamond Bookstore during the Christmas holidays was unprecedented, those of our friends who were prevented on account of the unsafe crossing from Southport, to purchase their novelties, will be glad to learn that a fine supply of fancy goods, toys, gift books, albums, etc., yet remain to select from.

WHEN referring, in yesterday's issue, to the Ladies who would preside at the tea tables, and receive contributions for the entertainment, to be given to the children in St. Patrick's Hall, we inadvertently omitted the names of Mrs. and Miss Caven, Mrs. O. Connolly, Mrs. and Miss Quirk, and Mrs. J. B. Macdonald, and now supply the omission.

All grocers should instruct their customers who use canned goods to pour out the contents of the can as soon as out, says the St. Louis Grocer. It will not do to wait fifteen or twenty minutes. The can should be emptied at once. A few minutes' exposure to the air while in the can will give the contents a metallic taste not at all agreeable.

MASONIC.—The officers of King Hiram and Mount Lebanon Lodges, F. & A. M., Summerside, were installed last evening by Past Deputy Grand Master McKelvie, assisted by Past Master Montgomery. After the ceremony the members of both lodges adjourned to the Woolsey House, where they partook of a first-class supper, which was prepared in Capt. McArthur's best style.

NOTWITHSTANDING the dangerous condition of the Hillsborough ice people will persist in crossing—in some cases—with horses. Numerous are the reports of men and horses breaking through. To day Mr. Samuel Gay, while coming to market, broke through and lost a quarter of beef, besides his butchering utensils. Until the ice is safer than at present we advise people to keep off it.

THE entertainment given in St. Paul's Schoolroom last evening, for the benefit of the Industrial Aid Society, was attended by a large audience. R. R. FitzGerald, Esq., occupied the chair. The solos were well rendered, and the songs and choruses fairly well sung, while the instrumental part of the programme—a piano solo and a duet—was excellent. The readings were well received, and, altogether, the entertainment passed off pleasantly. The proceeds, we are pleased to state, were large.

GOLD-MINING IN MASSACHUSETTS.—AN ISLANDER IN LUCK.—Gold-mining quartz has been discovered in Milford, Mass., thirty miles from Boston. So far as prospected, the indications are good. The seam is eighteen inches, and the gold at and near the surface is in paying quantities. Dr. Lighthill, a wealthy Bostonian, is getting up a company, and the opinion is that there are millions in it. Mr. Lemuel McQuest, son of Wm. McQuest, Esq., of Union Road, Lot 33, is owner of part of the ground (or rock) in which the gold-bearing quartz is got, and it was he who made the discovery. Mr. Mellett, sr., has been on there, and has brought back specimens of the quartz, mica, etc., of the district. —H.

The fellow Brown, of "Broad Arrow" fame, is again on the rampage. He yesterday appeared at Kensington, armed with a narrow axe. He attempted to take possession of the railway station there, but Station Master Clarke successfully barricaded the doors and "held the fort." Brown marched for a time up and down the platform. He claimed he had charge of the trains, etc., and threatened to kill the Conductor of the down train from Tignish. Shortly he shouldered the axe and left Kensington by the railway track for Summerside. On his way thither he cut down a telegraph pole and did other damage. At Summerside he was hostile. Armed with the axe he looked fierce and his actions struck terror into the Railway officials at that place. Luckily he again fell into the hands of station master Egan and yard master Burns. The latter in a prompt attack disarmed the lunatic, and the former gave him in charge of the police who lodged him in jail. It would be well for the authorities to give this man Brown a little attention. If he is again allowed at large he may do more serious damage than he has yet done or threatened to do. We advise that he be immediately taken to Falconwood, where he can be kept from doing harm.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER.]

THE RIOT IN NEWFOUNDLAND

The Killed and Wounded.

A Reign of Terror.

TROOPS SENT FOR.

St. JOHN'S, Nfld., Dec. 27.

This morning's despatch from Harbor Grace reports the four men killed to be Darnody, Mercer, Jeans and Callahan—two Orangemen and two Roman Catholics. There are eight more mortally wounded and twenty slightly wounded. Head Constable Doyle is among the wounded. At present there is a lull in the outbreak at Harbor Grace; but the neighboring town of Carbonear, a few miles north, is in a state of the wildest frenzy. Over a thousand armed men are parading the streets and preparing to march on Harbor Grace. Crowds of men are hurrying up from the whole extent of the north shore of Conception Bay to the scene of the disturbance. All business places are closed. If a riot breaks out anew, the officers of the law will be powerless to protect life and property. It is now rumored that the Government has cabled to Halifax for troops and a warship. If the Carbonear contingent march on Harbor Grace the result will be terrible to contemplate.

Fenian Machinations—Lord Lands, downe Threatened.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 27.

Several secret meetings have been held here by Irishmen, many of whom were identified with the Fenian raids into Canada several years ago, and the object is to avenge the hanging of O'Donnell. Reporters have been interviewing the leading Irishmen. Among those interviewed were Patrick O'Leary, who was formerly Head Centre of the Fenians, Captain Daniel Moran, Capt. Wm. Smith, J. G. Muldoon, and McBrady. They all state they will make an attempt to wreak their vengeance in Canada, and that they are bound to capture the new Governor General, who, as they state, is an Irish Landlord.

El Madhi Fearful.

CAIRO, Dec. 27.

Thirteen hundred Egyptian troops have arrived at Khartoum from Fashoda. They met with no resistance on the way. These troops will raise the garrison at Khartoum to 4,000 men. A female slave, who was captured by El Madhi after the slaying of the Kababish chief, her master, and who recently escaped from El Madhi is in great fear, and has sent his family to a place of safety, and that the neighboring tribes have refused to help him. An emissary of El Madhi has been arrested at Munich which is about forty miles above Cairo. He declared that it was his intention to proceed to Cairo and Mecca.

Dynamiters At Work.

LONDON, Dec. 27.

There appears to be a revival of the attempts to destroy life and property by the use of explosives. Beside the explosion at Birkenhead on the night of the 25th, a dynamite cartridge was exploded in Strabane, Ireland, yesterday, destroying the roof of a house. A box of explosives with fuse attached, has been found on the track of the Great Western Railway, near Axminster, England. Had a train passed over the box a serious explosion would have occurred.

Fatal Railway Accident.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Dec. 27.

Yesterday afternoon a fatal accident occurred on the New Brunswick Railway near Woodstock. An old man named Andrew Nicol was thrown down by the train, and his head severed from his body. He was walking on the track, and being very deaf, did not hear the train.

Persecution of the Jews.

WARSAW, Dec. 27.

Dragoons stationed at a village in the Province of Volhynia suddenly attacked and plundered the Jews of the vicinity who were unable to offer any organized resistance. The Rabbi and several of his confederates have died from injuries received during the affray.

Parnell's Programme.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.

The programme of the Parnell party includes county government without ex-officio authority therein on the part of Crown officers. It also includes legislation looking towards the sale and parceling of the London corporations Irish estates.

Brutal Murder and Arson.

WHEELING, W. VA., Dec. 27.

Mrs. Summerfield, a widow, and two young children, have been brutally murdered near Beverly, and the house fired to conceal the crime. No clue to the perpetrators of the terrible crime.

Menaces of the Egyptian Rebels.

LONDON, Dec. 27.

A Soudan despatch of the 18th inst., states that the rebels are menacing Riwayep, and an Egyptian gunboat will embark the garrison and inhabitants of the place.

Sir Richard Himself Again.

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.

Sir Richard Cartwright was elected for South Huron by acclamation to-day.

White vs. Black—Negroes Killed.

St. LOUIS, Dec. 27.

On Monday night last, Simon Cole, and several other negroes, threatened the police force at Rollamo, and chased Deputy Marshall Light into a hotel. A few minutes later Light went into the hotel, and finding the negroes still there, fired two shots at Cole, killing him. Yesterday, at the same place, Tom Smith, a negro, was killed by a white man in a row.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, December 28—10 a. m.

Strong winds and gales from south, shifting to west, cloudy, mild weather, with rain turning to snow, colder to-night or to-morrow.

MARRIED.

At Charlottetown, on the 28th December, inst., by Alex. Hayden, Esq., J. P., Neil MacCallum, of Brackley Point Road, Lot 33, to Elizabeth Peardon, of Charlottetown.

At the Manse, on the 24th inst., by the Rev. J. M. McLeod, Mr. Donald John McDonald, of Caledonia, to Miss Flora Nicholson, of Hazel Grove.

DIED.

At Montague, on the 26th October, of pulmonary consumption, Priscilla, eldest daughter of Richard Lemon, aged twenty years.

At Black Bush, on the 17th inst., Catherine McPhee, beloved wife of Donald McIsaac, in the 80th year of her age. Deceased leaves a husband, one son and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind mother and affectionate wife. May her soul rest in peace.

At Milton Mills, Lot 45, on the 27th Nov., Isabella A. McIsaac, in the 30th year of her age.

SHIP NEWS.

Queenstown, Dec 27—arrived brig Cam Owen, McEae, master, from Souris, passage 21 days.

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- Men's Fur Caps,
- Ladies' Cloth Sacques,
- Ladies' Fur