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The Daily Tribune. J. L. STEWART, EDITOR. WEDNESDAY EVENING, DEC. 16.

The Beecher-Tilton-Moulton Matter. People are watching how the scandal stands at present, and what the effect of the settlement of the Proctor-Moulton suit is. The suit of Tilton against Beecher, for the seduction of Mrs. Tilton, has been kept back by the strategy of the defendant's attorneys.

The San Francisco Board of Brokers consists of ten members, and the number cannot be increased. A seat was recently sold for twenty thousand dollars.

"I am busy ploughing, and cannot enter into conversation," was the substance of a note sent by an Illinois belle in reply to an intimation that a gentleman desired to visit her.

A boy coasting at Brattleboro came up behind a lady and took her feet from under her in such a way that she sat down on the sled and was carried to the foot of the hill.

And when that blushing San Francisco bride showed the check for \$1,000,000 to her husband he burst into tears and exclaimed, with intense fervor, "And even this shall not separate us."

Heading the great Spurgens' declaration that "a cigar is a thing to thank God for," a school boy in Rome bought a cigar. It was afterwards seen hanging over a fence, but he was not giving thanks.

The Rev. Mr. Barford of San Francisco is not an admirer of some of the Bible celebrities. In a late sermon he said that Job was a stupid fool, with a character beneath contempt, and that the author of Ecclesiastes was a poor, forlorn, morbidly sensitive creature.

For full dress Kalakaua wears a fashionable cut black broadcloth swallow-tail coat, stainless white shirt front, boots of the box-toe pattern, a parti-colored ribbon in his buttonhole, three immense plain gold rings, a bracelet on his left wrist, and a watch chain in his back belt. He also wears a pair of trousers.

Count Zubowitz, an Austrian Lieutenant, has just beaten time in a ride into Paris on a bicycle. He was 200 miles in 12 hours. He was met with enthusiasm by a crowd of 2,000 men, and he rode the rest of the way.

There was a desperate fight between two British officers in a Milwaukee saloon the other day, the names of the combatants being Welsh and Feeley. They pounded each other, and finally Feeley, who was the victor, was carried off on a stretcher.

For advertisements of WANTED, LOST, FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, or TO LET, see Auction column.

New Advertisements. Wm. Nannery, 1000 Broadway. J. A. S. Mott, 1000 Broadway. M. F. Manks, 1000 Broadway.

Auctions. Unpaid Claims—Hall & Huntington. Books, Stationery, &c.—do. Bankrupts—B. H. Lester.

Emmelled Ornola Frames at Notman's. Revivitas. Thermometer—at noon to-day—11.9 above zero.

The Common Council is in session this afternoon. The English mail via Halifax arrived this morning.

The Portland Town Council is to hold a special meeting to-morrow evening. The young men of Moncton propose forming a Snow Shoe Club.

The Snow Shoe Club will meet this evening at 7 o'clock, in the Tremont building, to arrange for their first tramp. St. David's Church and the German street Methodist Church are to have social gatherings Thursday evening.

An alarm of fire yesterday afternoon from box 16 was caused by a slight fire in Mr. Wm. Stagg's house. The funeral of Dr. Beaumont took place yesterday afternoon. The Medical Society and a large concourse of the friends of the deceased followed the remains to their last resting place.

The drug store of Dr. Goldart, Fairville, was forcibly engaged on Monday evening. A quantity of fancy articles, about \$4 in change from the till, and a gold seal worth \$10, were carried off.

The following were elected officers at the regular monthly meeting, last evening, of Havlock Orange Lodge, No. 27, Portland: Samuel McLeod, W. M.; Wm. Irving, D. M.; James McIntyre, secretary; Robert McIntyre, treasurer; James Leighton, chaplain; John Armour, director of ceremonies. Committee men—Albert Winchester, foreman; John Bell, and John Armstrong, Jrs.; John Lockhart, 4th, Hugh McClavoy, 5th.

Ivory Miniatures in Ivory Frames at Notman's. The Institute Course—George Dawson on Wm. Cobbett. The Institute was not crowded last night, as it has usually been on opening nights, but the seats were nearly all taken. The speaker, usually gathered early and listened to Mr. and Miss Carl's playing of the organ. President Murdoch introduced the lecturer, reviewed the history of the Institute lectures, called attention to the rapid disappearance of books from the library, suggested that a free public library should be established, and explained the arrangements that have been made for lectures this winter.

Shipping Notes. The bark Onondaga, of Quebec, Carter master, from Guannap for Charleston, which got into Callao in distress, had the chains sprung and was making in the cockpit top side; when about 50 tons of cargo had to be thrown overboard in order that the water might be bailed off the cargo below.

Kate Melick—The handsome new bark Kate Melick, owned by Messrs. Graham & Co., of Halifax, Mr. John Melick of this city, and others, has been chartered to carry a cargo of oil from New York to Europe. She was sailed from Truro for her port of loading.

Washed Ashore—Advises from Boulogne dated the 19th ult., state that the dead body of a female, supposed of English nationality, washed ashore Nov. 17, opposite the semaphore at Portel; height about 5 feet 6 inches; thick, brown hair, gray eyes, long face, a broken tooth on the left side, three warts on the left shoulder, and one on the left breast, apparently about 25 or 30 years of age; dressed in a brown dress and a mauve overcoat, and having on a gold wedding ring marked H. A. M. Five dead pigs and a plank were also picked up on the beach on the same day on the planks there were letters, deciphered with great difficulty, and apparently forming the words "John Sea Lark hatched down."

Rescue for the Wrecked—A silver watch, with address of thanks from the Government of the Dominion, to Mr. J. Fleming, of Toronto, for services rendered by him in rescuing the crew of the wrecked schooner Sappho, has been awarded to his widow, Mr. Fleming having died in the meantime.

Brigs—The Sully's (General Watson)—Capt. W. C. Graham, master of the bark St. Paul, wrecked on Stone Island, at the entrance of Capin Bay, on the 14th ult., while on her passage from Liverpool, N. B. to Ficton, in a letter to the St. John's Chronicle, publicly thanks the six men who rescued himself and crew from the wreck, at the risk of their own lives, during a heavy snow storm. There is another opportunity for the Dominion Government, to reward daring and bravery.

The ship Kate Agnes, Ferguson, master, hence for Stockton, N. B., reported ashore at the latter port, still remained up to the 20th ult., efforts to tow her off having failed. The deckload was being discharged to enable them to float her. The vessel is much stained and making considerable water. At low tide there are only about four feet of water forward and five aft, and the bottom is rough and uneven. The K. A. is owned by Mr. John Mcweeney and others of this port. The ship was bound for Stockton, N. B., and entering the harbor at the time of the disaster.

Wrecked—Telegraphic advices to Messrs. Scammell Bros. report that the schooner Margaret, Ann, Clive master, which sailed hence for Boston, lumber laden, last week, went ashore near Dighty at 4 o'clock this morning, and will be a total wreck. The crew were rescued but badly frozen. The M. A. registers 100 tons, was about 14 years old, having been built at Greenwich, K. C., in 1860, and was owned by Mr. Richard Clive of this port.

Seaman's Wages at Philadelphia—The sailors in Philadelphia had a meeting on the 11th inst., at which they passed a series of resolutions declaring that the rate of wages should be as follows: To men of the United Kingdom and Continent of Europe, \$25 a month; Spanish, Malia and West Indies, \$30; east of Africa and North America, \$20; British Provinces and coasting, \$20; around the Cape, \$18; foreign vessels by the run to Europe, \$30.

Drowned while attempting to rescue—Telegraphic advices to Messrs. MacLellan & Wilson, owners of the brigantine Iris, report that Capt. Downey of that vessel and five of his crew, two of them named Hackett, the others named Cam; Campbell and Keenan, having volunteered to go to the rescue of the crew of the brigantine J. G. Troop, of Halifax, stranded outside of Sydney harbor, and rapidly going to pieces, their boat was swamped and four of the five of the men drowned. The names of those saved have not yet been ascertained. Capt. Downey who is amongst those drowned belongs to St. John. It is also reported that several of the men had been rescued, and were given up to the rescue of the J. G. T.'s crew have been received. A later despatch to Mr. Wilson says that the bodies of Capt. Downey and one man have been found. Only one man rescued, name not given.

The schooner Herbert J. Olley, at Leves, Del., from Turks Island, reports having encountered a heavy gale of Cape Hatteras, during which lost and split sails, and shipped a heavy sea which stove in cabin door and did other damage.

Point Lepreau, Dec. 16, 9 a. m.—Wind N. N. E., light, clear; one schooner in ward.

Christmas Decorations. Hanington Bros. have now at Halifax, en route from England, a lot of holly and mistletoe for church and home decorations.

F. C. Baptist Bazaar. The cosy vestry of the church in Waterloo st., presented an animated appearance last evening—the occasion being the opening night of the third annual bazaar. The room is handsomely decorated with evergreens, flags and pictures. The display of fancy articles is fine, and the purchasers last evening were numerous. Refreshments are supplied, and this end of the room seemed to be particularly attractive. Turkey, meats of all kinds, oysters, &c., with smoking hot potatoes and hot coffee are served. This table was largely patronized, and the ladies who had charge were most attentive. There is not that pressing of visitors to purchase that is so frequently annoying at bazaars, and every one can examine without being forced to buy. The receipts from sales and from the admission fee of ten cents were quite large—larger than on the first night of their previous bazaars. The bazaar will close on Friday evening.

Y. M. C. A. Public Meeting. The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held last evening in Association Hall. W. Welsh, Esq., occupied the chair, and made a brief statement of the condition of the Society. Mr. H. T. Thorne read the report of Prayer Meeting and Mission Committees; Mr. S. B. Patterson that of the Relief and Visiting Committee; Mr. Morrison that of the Managing and Literary Committees; Mr. D. M. Sterns that of the Tract Distributing Committee; and Mr. E. T. C. Knowles that of the Bible Class Committee. Each of the above made a short and appropriate speech on the special under his control. The Treasurer, H. J. Thorne, made a financial estimate for the ensuing year. About \$1,600 are required for running expenses, and the membership fees would only pay about one half the amount. He hoped an effort would be made to secure a larger membership. A collection was taken up, after which the meeting closed with singing and prayer.

Academy of Music Theatre. "The Winning Hand" again drew a good house last evening. This evening Boccacelli's play, the "Colleen Bawn," will be presented. Mr. Ward will play Myles-Na-Cappelan, and Miss Montague will appear, while Miss Long plays the Colleen Bawn. A fine entertainment may be expected.

Y. M. C. A. Readings. Miss Churchill, who reads in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Friday evening, is highly commended by the press. We take the following from a long list of favorable notices: "The attendance at the fair of the Soldiers' Union Relief Association last night was very large. Cheers thronged the hall up to a late hour. Major General John Dix was present, and received a cordial welcome. Miss F. H. Churchill the accomplished reader was present, and delighted the audience with an exquisite rendering of Bayard Taylor's Scott and the veteran, for which she was most enthusiastically applauded.—New York Tribune.

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Great Christmas Sale of books, stationery, music, fancy goods, toys, games, &c., will commence at Hall & Hanington's on Thursday afternoon, at 5 o'clock. As Ten Thousand Dollars worth are to be sold without reserve and great bargains must be given. Call and get a catalogue on Wednesday.

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City Police Court. There was but one victim this morning to answer a charge of drunkenness. His name was Thomas Corry, and he pleaded guilty to the charge in Carmarthen street. A fine of \$4 was imposed.

Yesterday George Hoop, pilot of the down trodden African, having volunteered to shield the street, was charged with assaulting Thomas Chapman. The African was triumphant, as Chapman refused to prosecute.

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