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LOCAL MATTERS.

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MASONIC ENGAGEMENTS.

February, 1889.

Meetings will be held at Freemasons' Hall, Germain street, during the month of February, at 8 o'clock in the evening, as follows:

Friday, 1st—Albion Lodge, No. 1.
Tuesday, 5th—St. John's Lodge, No. 2.
Thursday, 7th—New Brunswick Royal Arch Chapter.
Tuesday, 12th—Hibernia Lodge, No. 3.
Wednesday, 13th—Encampment of St. John, K. T.
Thursday, 14th—New Brunswick Lodge, No. 22.
Wednesday, 20th—Carleton Royal Arch Chapter.
Thursday, 21st—Union Lodge of Portland, No. 10.
Thursday, 21th—St. John Lodge of Perfection; Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite—Annual Meeting.

STOCK HORSE DEAD.

The valuable government Clydesdale stallion Nelson is dead. He cost about $1,000.

BY TELPHONE.

Next Sunday the N. B. Telephone company expect to have a transmitter in the reading desk of the Methodist church at Fredericton, of which Rev. Wm. Dobson is pastor.

VICTORIA SKATING RINK.

The Carnival this (Thursday) evening promises to be a great success. Mrs. Temple and John C. Miles, have kindly consented to act as judges.

DEATH OF A JOURNALIST.

John Haszard, journalist, a native of Prince Edward Island, was buried yesterday, having died in the Protestant house of refuge, at Montreal.

GOOD FOR MONCTON.

For interfering with the police, Sam Wilson of Moncton, was yesterday fined $30 or five months jail, and Tom Nickerson, for wife beating, was fined $20, or four months in jail.

ANNUAL SLEIGH DRIVE.

Gordon Section Cadets of temperance held their annual sleigh drive last night. They were driven out to Brookville and return in Worden's large sleigh, the Starlight. The boys appeared to enjoy themselves immensely. They were in charge of Mr. H. P. Sandall.

DORCHESTER PENITENTIARY.

There are at present confined in the Dorchester Penitentiary 156 males and 1 female. Female convicts, however, are in almost every case sent to Kingston, Ont. In Dorchester the cost of convicts for the last year was $274 per head, which is $24 less than for the previous year. Among those admitted were ten boys, ranging in age from 12 to 17 years.

IT'S A VERY SMALL PLACE.

A number of immigrants—some German and some English—arrived in the city the other day. Yesterday they were at the I. C. R., station trying to discover where they were. One of the women, when asked where she was going, said she was looking for New Brunswick, but didn't know where it was.

DROWNED IN A WELL.

Last evening about a quarter past six o'clock, a boy named Ruby Stevens, in the employ of Robert Turner, a milkman, living on the Sandy Point road, went to draw water from a well. He had filled the bucket and was drawing it up when his foot slipped and he fell head foremost into the well. His head struck the ice and he was rendered unconscious; before assistance arrived the poor lad was drowned. Coroner Berryman was notified and will hold an inquest probably to-morrow.

THE YARMOUTH STEAMER.

A telegram received today by Charles McLaughlin & Sons from L. E. Baker of Yarmouth states that at a meeting of the stockholders yesterday, it was resolved not to run the steamer from Yarmouth to St. John unless the subsidy granted last year is continued. This subsidy amounts to $7,500 for the service between St. John, Yarmouth and Halifax. It is understood that the matter will be brought up immediately before the council of the Board of Trade. As it is very desirable this service should be continued the earliest possible attention to the subject will be necessary.

COMMENTS ON CANADA.

An article by Charles Dudley Warner, accompanied by a striking portrait of the Right Honorable Sir John A. Macdonald, will appear in Harper's Magazine for March. This article describes the topography, climate, system of government of the Dominion and of the provinces, and the political issues; and the author gives his views on the Canadian sentiment towards England, on the French Canadian element, on retaliation and commercial reciprocity, annexation and independence, and the future of the Dominion. Mr. Warner is an accurate and sympathetic observer, and his conclusions will doubtless command the attention which they deserve.

NUMEROUS CONGRATULATIONS.

At the station yesterday afternoon Major Sturdee's company headed by the 62nd Fusiliers band formed a guard of honor to welcome the bridal party. The company formed in double rank at the train and the bride and groom passed through the lines while the band played a slow march.

After tendering congratulations Lieut. Vroom stepped forward and presented the bride with a beautiful bunch of roses. Major Sturdee thanked the donors in a few words and the band struck up For He's a jolly good Fellow. A large party of friends were down to see the happy couple off, whose tour will include the chief American cities.

THE BOYCOTT.

Mr. Schreiber, it appears, is not very much intimidated by the intermittent boycotting and threatened boycotting by the St. John coachmen, of the railway which to say the least has been, and is extremely ill advised. The like may succeed elsewhere, but it is doubtful if such a mode of warfare will ever work in St. John. The following is a copy of his letter to Mayor Thorne in regard to the alleged grievance of the coachmen.

OTTAWA, Feb. 16, 1889.

Henry J. Thorne, Esq., Mayor of St. John, N. B.:

My Dear Sir: I have yours of the 9th instant, and in reply would beg to ask whether the city authorities of St. John have provided shelter for the hackmen on their stands on the streets, where they stand probably two thirds of their time.

Yours truly,
COLLINGWOOD SCHREIBER.

Mrs Mosely, the wife of an English army officer, and a former American heiress, has been creating a sensation at Monte Carlo this season by her reckless play. Two weeks ago she lost $50,000 at a single sittiug.

The rock to which a chain was attached during the war of the revolution, to prevent vessels going up the Hudson river will have to be removed in making excavations for the Peekskill bridge in the Highlands.

Provincial Notes.

Steamer LaTour resumes her trips on the route between Yarmouth and Barrington, calling at intermediate ports, on Thursday, Feby. 28th.

Mrs. T B Flint, of Yarrmoth sang the solo "Come Unto Me," in the Phillips Congregational Church. South Boston, on Sunday evening Feb. 10th.

Alexander Gillis, one of the oldest inhabitants of River Dennis road, Judique, C. B., was instantly killed by a kick in the head from a vicions horse, recently.

The oldest squaw living at the Mission in Restigouche Co., is said to be 110 years old. Her name is Martha Thomas. She is hale and hearty and uses rum and tobacco.

Isaiah Woodow, of Yarmouth, N. S., has been granted an additional pension from the United States Government, with six years back pay. He served as sergeant in the United States army for twelve years.

Steamer Alpha commences her trips to the South Shore and Halifax on Monday, Feby. 25th; returning, leaves Halifax every Thursday p. m., connecting with steamer Yarmouth from Yarmouth to Boston every Saturday during March.

The steamer Worcester, while on the passage from Halifax to Boston last week, picked up a Gloucester fisherman, George Reynolds, who had lost his schooner the previous day and had been drifting for 24 hours.

On Tuesday afternoon a lady drove to an undertaker's shop, Grafton street, Halifax and alighted, went into the shop to order a coffin for a relative. While she was in the shop a young man stepped into the waggon and drove off with the team.

A burglar giving his name as O'Brien, was arrested at Londonderry on the 19th inst., at the point of a revolver. He had been through the store of Falconer & Durning and secured considerable booty, boots, jewelry etc. The goods were recovered.

The old hotel Alma, at Yarmouth, has been enlarged and refitted by its owner, T. B. Dane, and is now one of the most spacious and comfortable houses in the province outside of Halifax. It has been rechristened the Queen, and will be under the management of E. M. Nichols, formerly of the Alma.

Every morning, rain or shine, a lad of about fourteen may be seen wending his way to town from Lewisville with a sled in winter and a hand cart in summer filled with milk cans. He says he sell 30 quarts of the lacteal fluid daily and does not mind the hard work.—Moncton Times.

A few miles from Moncton on the Irishtown road will be seen a house with a novel outside covering. The whole exterior is coated with spruce boughs, being nailed against the outside and so interlaced that it must be a great protection. Spaces are cut for the doors and windows and altogether it presents a pleasing effect.

Two young girls driving a horse Monday afternoon made havoc with a fence on Steadman street, Moncton. They were evidently unacustomed to driving and in some way got their team entangled among the pickets, and before they got clear the fence was somewhat demoralized. The girls went off in a hilarious mood, but we believe the owner's mood was anything but hilarious when he viewed the wreck.

It was in Halifax. James Lavers was charged by Eliza Skear with threatening her. The complainant said that on January 31st he threatened to smash her mouth, and she was corroborated by Lucy Arnold. Mrs. Lavers said the complainant had abused her, but she did not hear her son threaten Eliza Skear. The defendant's brother said that Mr. Skear told him that he would smash his head. Lavers was given a chance on giving bonds to keep the peace.

Yesterday two countrymen, neighbors, belonging to Montague Bridge came to the city on business. During the day one of them imbibed rather too freely of whiskey, and became almost helplessly intoxicated. The other thereupon took charge of his inebriated companion and conveyed him to a boarding house, relieved him of forty-seven dollars in cash, and proceeded homeward. The latter act was not robbery but simply taking charge of the money in a friendly way until the owner was capable of so doing.—Charlottetown Examiner.

The Body Found.

Yesterday afternoon the body of Arthur W. Raymond was found hanging to a tree about four miles from the city on the Beaver Lake road. Arthur W. Raymond has been missing since the morning of the 5th inst., and although several persons said they had seen him on the Beaver Lake road, not until yesterday was the body of the unfortunate man recovered. Yesterday Mr. Walter Baird and Mr. Moriarity, both of whom live on this road, started out on an investigation, which resulted in the discovery. Both of these gentlemen had seen Raymond once, on the 5th inst., and after that had lost sight of him. Judging from this, they felt assured that if he had perished his body could not be far from where they had first seen him.

In their search they came upon footmarks leading to the woods. The tracks led them directly into a thick underbrush, and there hanging to the lower limb of a spruce was the body of Raymond. It was hanging by a clothes line which doubtless had been purchased by the unfortunate man before setting out. A part of a lunch was found in one of the pockets and some money in another.

The body was found to be solidly frozen, with the chin resting slightly on the breast. On the head was a black round crowned stiff felt hat, and the body was clothed with a brown overcoat checked with blue, a blue mixed tweed suit and a pair of boots. The velvet collar was turned up as was also the inner coat, and the vest was buttoned up. His left hand was in his coat pocket, while the ungloved right hand lay open with the palm and fingers pointing downwards.

Mr. Baird drove into town and notified Coroner Berryman who immediately drove to the place, and after viewing the body had it conveyed to the Dead house. This has not been entirely unexpected as Raymond's mental condition through over work during the past year has not been good. Scraps of paper were found shortly after his disappearance which signified his intention of bringing matters to an end—of doing away with himself when an opportunity was afforded. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. F. Raymond and the wife of the unfortunate man have the entire sympathy of the citizens in their bereavement.

Coming Events.

X. L. and T. Club meet this evening at 8 o'clock.

King Arthur's Round table; Herbert Moore, in Portland Baptist church, this evening.

Washington's birthday entertainment, to-morrow evening in the Congregational church, Union street.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Portland W. C. T. U. will be held in Uffon hall to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

This evening the parlor concert in aid of St. Stephen's church takes place in the parlors of Rev. Dr. Macrae, Wellington Row. Best local talent will be present. Come early so as to procure a good seat.

Town Tattle

A rather good thing came out at one of the hearings of the Tapley matter before the Portland city council the other evening. There has been quite a strong effort made to shift the blame of the deficit in the Portland police funds from the shoulders of Mr. Tapley, where it was placed by the report of the investigating committee. For a time there were rumors of libel suits and all sorts of things, but as no one seemed to care much for what might be construed into a threat under other circumstances, the investigation proceeded. But the point made the other evening shows very clearly why the Council have winked at the known irregularities of the police court. On examination of Mr. Godard it was ascertained that some years back a certain constable had obtained processes out of the Portland city court to the value of over one hundred dollars, for which the town has never received a cent. When Mr. Godard was asked why this sort of thing was allowed, he informed the council, that he had been instructed by one of their councellors to let the constable have the papers. This is only an illustration of how the business of Portland has been done. What happened in the management of the city court also happened in other departments. Some of the councillors did as they pleased, issued instructions to officials when they wanted and did all manner of illegal things. They prevented the police from reporting illegal liquor sellers; remitted fines imposed on offenders against the license act; prevented the collection of taxes by the constables, and used their influence with city officials whenever their individual interests were advanced, no matter whether the city's interests suffered or not. The result of this method of doing business is rather startling. An increase of nearly double in the city debt and assessment while the sinking fund was not added to for years; a deficit in the sewerage department a few years ago; another in the police and civil court; an anything but satisfactory condition of the city finances on the death of Chamberlain Moore. The revelations of the past few years have had the effect of waking the people of Portland from their lethargy and of arousing an interest in the affairs of the city, which has brought about a better administration of its affairs than heretofore. But there is still room for improvement.

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The marriage of Major E. T. Sturdee reduces the number of bachelors among the military officers by one, and if dame rumor is to relied on, there will be at least another break before spring. A young lady conversing about militia officers the other evening said. "They are a handsome lot of fellows." There are a few who some day will be more celebrated for valor than they now are for good looks; but in the main, the St. John militia are not only what men call good fellows, but good looking fellows as well. They are not marrying men, however, for while a majority are married the younger officers seem bent on having a good number of strings to their respective bows, rather than fixing their attentions strongly in one direction; however, when one of them does get married the other fellows always do the decent thing.

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To-night the Institute will witness the last of the meetings which have for their object the making of St. John and Halifax the winter ports of Canada. Next winter the Short Line will be running into St. John and whatever advantages we will enjoy from direct mail communication with Montreal and the West will be apparent. We ought and doubtless will have the regular liners running into St. John from Liverpool and London. It is the duty of the government to subsidize a line of steamers for the Canadian Atlantic service equal in speed and accommodations to the fastest steamer plying between New York and Liverpool. By doing this, much of the travel which now passes directly across the ocean from New York can be brought to Halifax: The Atlantic passenger travel from the west of Canada to the United States now passes wholly through New York. It could easily be diverted through Halifax provided a sufficiently fast line of steamers was put on. The present Canadian Mail steamers are only second and third class boats.

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When a local newspaper some years ago suggested to the chief of police that the positions on the Market Square were sinecures, that aged and worthy official stated that these posts were of such importance that they required the services of the most wide-awake men on the force. It was useless to point out that if these posts were so important, they yielded very little return in the way of prisoners. The chief was bound that two young and healthy officers who, when chosen for the "soft snaps" had not done a year's hard duty, and in that year had neither been better or worse than other policemen. It is now some weeks since Sergeant Hipwell was placed on day duty on the Market Square, and Sergeant Watson was removed to the Passenger depot, and, notwithstanding the great importance attached to the posts in the eyes of the Chief, nothing of importance seems to have transpired; and if it comes to the point, it is quite safe to say that the posts are as well, if not better, covered than before.

Superindent Chase, of the Indian school at Genoa, Neb. has disappeared, and Government Inspector Mollet, who has been investigating the affair of the school for several days, says Chase has robbed the Govt. of over $25,000. One of Chase's methods was to write vouchers for several times the amount due workingmen in the employ of the school, which the men would carelessly sign.

Brevities.

The fresh fish receipts yesterday were 1,200 haddock, 1,600 pounds of codfish and 300 pounds of halibut.

S. L. Phillips, an employe in the lumber camp of W. A. Boyd, Head of Millstream, has been missing since Feb. 8.

The anniversary of the Coburg street Christian Sunday school was celebrated last night by an entertainment in the church. Elder Capp, the pastor, presided, and there was a very large attendance.

A bazaar, gotten up by four little girls, namely, Jennie Grogan, Lizzie Flewelling, Bessie Gale and Minnie Grogan, was held in Union hall, Portland, yesterday afternoon and evening, the object being to raise some money for a few needy families.

On Sunday, the 24th inst., the sacramental rite of confirmation will be administered at the evening service in the church of the Good Shepherd, Fairville. The service will commence at 9.30 o'clock, and the new bell, which was dedicated yesterday, will be used for the first time.

THE L. O. ASSOCIATION.

The Business of Last Night's Session—Election of Officers.

The grand lodge resumed its sitting last night at 9 o'clock. The session was occupied in hearing the reports of the several committees.

The report of the county masters from Charlotte, York, Carleton, St. John (west), King's (east), and Queen's (west), were severally submitted. The reports showed that the order in New Brunswick was in a most flourishing condition, and that the several county masters are actively engaged in preparing for the celebration of 12th July, 1890, in a most loyal manner.

The afternoon session was chiefly taken up with routine bussiness.

It was voted to donate the sum of $50 towards the Bally Kilby Redemption fund. This sum has already been handsomely responded to by several of the primary lodges of this jurisdiction.

The grand treasurer's report showed the funds of the Grand Lodge to be in a healthy condition, there being a balance of $417.28 in hand.

The report of the officers having in charge the recently organized auxiliary to the Orange order, the Orange Mutual Insurance society, handed in their first annual report which seemed to be eminently satisfactory.

The following telegram was sent by order of the grand lodge which speaks for itself:—

To the R. W. Grand Orange Lodge of Nova Scotia in session assembled in New Glasgow:

Brethren: The R. W. Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, assembled in the city of St. John, sends greeting to their loyal brethren in Nova Scotia. Beloved, thou dost faithfully whatsoever thou dost to the brethren.

A. J. ARMSTRONG, G. M.

The election of officers was then taken up at 9.30, and resulted as follows:—

R. W. Grand Master—Major A. J. Armstrong, St. John.
Senior D. G. Master—Geo. H. Parker, Fredericton, York Co;
Junior D G Master—H G Wadman, Moncton, Westmorland;
Grand Chaplain—Rev A McDougall, St John;
Grand Secretary—Samuel T Mosher, Carleton, St John;
Grand Treasurer—B F Meritt, Woodstock, Carleton Co;
Grand Lecturer—J Deveber Neales, Gagetown, Queen's;
Grand Director of Ceremonies—Charles A Lewin, Benton, Carleton.

The loige resumes its labors this morning.

Personal.

Fred Moore, of Canterbury and G. G. King, of Chipman, are at the Royal

J. Gresham Aikman, superintendent of the Cumberland railway and Coal Co. Parrsboro, is in the city.

City Polic Court.

Patrick Mahoney drunk on Prince Wm. street was fined $4 or 10 days jail.

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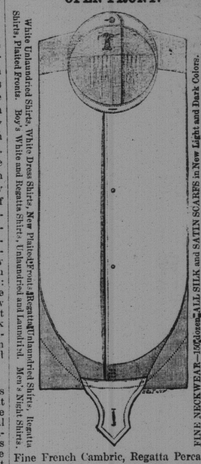

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BIRTHS.

DOWNING—At River John, Pictou Co., N. S., the wife of Rev. J. L. Downing, of a son.

McDONALD—At James River, Antigonish Co., N. S., on the 1st inst., the wife of John McDonald, of a son.

DOHERTY—At Memramcook, on the 14th inst., the wife of Dr. Edw. P. Doherty, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

STURDEE-SCOVIL—At Trinity church, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. Canon Brigstocke, rector, assisted by the Right Rev. H. Tully Kingdon, D. D., Bishop-Coadjutor of the diocese, Edward Thankful Sturdee, of St. John, to Gertrude Cunningham, daughter of the late Richard C. Scovil, of St. John.

PIERCY-COBURN—At Harvey, York Co., on the 13th inst., by the Rev. J. A. McLean, B. A., Walter Piercy to Teressa Coburn, both of Harvey.

CLARK-TOMPKINS—At the Free Baptist parsonage, Fredericton, on the 13th inst., by the Rev. Dr. McLeod, Emerson Clark to Jane Thompson, both of St. Mary's.

DIED.

FURLONG—In this city, on the 20th instant Thomas Bedmond, eldest son of Thomas and Kate Furlong, in the 23rd year of his age.
☞Funeral from his father's residence, Coburg street, on Friday afternoon, at half-past 2 o'clock.

RYAN—In this city, on the 20th inst., after a lingering illness, Thomas Ryan, aged 60 years, a native of County Tipperary, Ireland, and for the last forty-four years a resident of this city, leaving a wife and four children to mourn their sad loss. [American papers please copy.
☞Funeral to-morrow, Friday, from his late residence, No. 17 Haymarket Square. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

WOOD—At Tweedside, York County, on the 19th inst., after an illness of nearly two years, Mrs. Margaret Wood, aged 51 years and 6 months, beloved wife of George Wood, leaving nine children to mourn their irreparable loss.
[London, Ont., papers please copy.]

GRAHAM—At Houlton, Maine, on the 4th ult., Mary, widow of the late Robert Graham, formerly of Young's Creek, Parish of Waterborough, Queens Co., aged 88 years.

HOLLAND—At Pleasant Point, February 21st, William, son of John and Margaret Holland, aged 20 years.
[Boston and New York papers please copy.]
☞Notice of funeral hereafter.

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JOURNAL OF SHIPPING

Port of St. John.

CLEARED.

Feb 20—Sch Olio, Martin, for Boston.
Sch Benj T Biggs, Haley, for Vineyard Haven.
Sch Israel Washburn, Rolfe, for Eastport.

Canadian Ports.

ARRIVED.

At Halifax, 19th inst, brigt Sceptre, King, from Porto Rico.

CLEARED.

At Halifax, 19th inst, brigt S J Musson, Swain, for Jamaica.

British Ports.

ARRIVED.

At London, 19th inst, stmr Damara, Dickson, hence.
At Melbourne, 18th inst, bark Nikaria, Long, from Barrow.

SAILED.

From London, 19th inst, bark Lynwood, Sinclair, for the United States.
From Newport, Eng, 19th inst, bark Paramatta, Scott, for Rio Janeiro.
From Barbados, 27th ult, bark Orontes, for this port.
From Calcutta, 29th ult, ship Walter D Wallett, Bryde, for New York.
From Bermuda, 9th inst, brigt T H A Pitt, for Martinique.

Foreign Ports.

ARRIVED.

At Havre, 17th inst, ship Prince Amandeo, Norton, from New Orleans; bark Thos Perry, Durkee, from New York.
At Buenos Ayres, 17th ult, bark Mary E Chapman, Kyffin, from Boston.
At Montevideo, 16th inst, ship Munster, Brown, from Havre.
At St Jago, 3rd inst, sch Margaret L, Ryan, from Philadelphia; 8th, bark O H Gordon, Macdonald, from Barbados.
At Portland, 13th inst, sche Ella Maud, and A P Emerson, hence for New York.
At Galveston, 18th inst, bark Violet, West, from Rochester.
At New Haven, 18th inst, sch Frank & Willie, hence for New York.
From Gibara, 16th inst, sch E Merriam, from St Kitts.
At Salem, 18th inst, sch Chautauquan, hence for New York.
At New York, 18th inst, ship Selkirk, Crowe, from Iloilo; bark Strathay, Urquhart, from Manila; sch Valdare, Farris, hence.

CLEARED.

At Philadelphia, 18th inst, bark Sodium, Manson, for Passage.
At New York, 18th inst, bark Harold, Earl, for Halifax.

SAILED.

From Dunkirk, 18th inst, bark Laura Emily, Speeiglt, for ——
From Bahia, 14th inst, brig Curlen, for Hampton Roads.
From Portsmouth, 18th inst, schr Karslie, Delong, for this port.

Spoken.

Jan 9, lat 30 N, lon 21 W, ship Wildwood, Saunders, from Philadelphia for Hongo.
Feb 13, off Rebecca Shoal, ship Equator, Crosby, from Pensacola for Liverpool.
Feb 14, lat 40 40, lon 66, brigt Arthur, Doane, from Yarmouth for Barbados.

Memoranda.

In port at Singapore, 7th ult, bark Birnam Wood, Smith, for Liverpool.
Passed Deal, 18th inst, bark Salmon, Bradley, from San Francisco via Santa Rosalia for Hamburg.

Disasters, Etc.

New York, Feb 18—Ship Selkirk, Crowe, from Iloilo, reports: Nov 20th, R F Thompson, steward of Boston, aged 60 years, died of general debility.

Ship Bedford, at New York for Rotterdam, reports: Had fine weather to Sable Island; thence westerly gales; Feb 5, Daniel Murphy, of Maine, second mate, aged 26 years, fell from the mainyard overboard and was lost.

Bark Petty, before reported abandoned while on a voyage from Parrsboro to Conway, has been picked up and taken into Bilbao.

The report of the loss of the ship Anglo-India, from Shanghai for Philadelphia, at Formosa, has been confirmed.

Nantucket, Feb 18—The purchasers of the ship Antoinette expect to float her before another gale comes on. If floated she will be converted into a coal barge.

SQUARE-RIGGED VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

SHIPS.

Friedrich, in port at London, Nov 1st.
Henry, at Montevideo, in port Dec 20.
Valvag, at Montevideo, in port Dec 26.
Kambira, from Montevideo via N York, Jan 2nd.
Gestemunde, from Stettin via New York, Dec 22.

BARQUES.

Stormy Petrel, at Buenos Ayres, in port Jan 28.
Ocean, from Londonderry, via Dec 26th.
Ella Moore, from Gravesend, sailed Feb 10.
Active, from ——
Martin Luther, from Rio Janeiro, sailed Jan 11.
Havelock, from ——
Finn, at Dublin, sailed Jan 13th.
Orontes, at Rio Janeiro, in port Dec 12
Alfhild, from ——
Myrtle, at Buenos Ayres, in port Nov 5.
Forest, at Buenos Ayres, in port Feb 12.
Marie Siedenberg, at New York, in port Feb 10.
Parthenia, at Montevideo, in port Dec 15.

BRIGANTINES.

Echo, at Darien, in port Jan 23.

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PUBLIC MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Public Meeting will be held at the Mechanics Institute on

THURSDAY EVENING next,

The 21st day of February, instant,

for the purpose of considering the advisability of urging upon the Government of Canada that Subsidies be granted for establishing efficient Atlantic Mail and Freight services to and from Canadian ports.

The Chair will be taken at 8 o'clock.

HENRY J. THORNE,
Mayor.

Mayor's Office, St. John, N. B.
19th, February, 1889.

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