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SATURDAY EVENING, SEPT. 6, 1873.

The Intercepted Letter.

The letter stolen by the Party of Purity from the mails, and published in Thursday morning's Montreal *Herald* after a consultation of the leaders of the Opposition party, including Messrs. Dorion and Holton, is as follows:

OTTAWA, Sept. 1st, 1872.

MY DEAR POPE,—I want you, before we take any steps about John Young's appointment, to see about the selection of our candidate for West Montreal. From all I can learn William Workman would run the best. He will very likely object, but, if he is the best man, you can easily hint to him, that if he runs for West Montreal, and carries it, we will consider that he has a claim to an early seat in the Senate. This is the great object of his ambition.

I don't think we should take any steps about filling up the appointment until we have our candidate ready and all competitors out of the field. There will be some difficulty in getting A. A. Stevenson to consent but I suppose it can be done. Will you see to this at once? If our candidate is ready, then we must take necessary steps to procure Young's resignation, which, I am pretty sure, he will send in when he finds that, if he does not do so, we will appoint another Inspector.

Yours sincerely,
JOHN A. MACDONALD.

In the afternoon Hon. Mr. Pope published the following card in the *Witness*:—

Sir: Referring to the letter published in the *Herald* this morning, purporting to have been written by Sir John A. Macdonald and addressed to me, I have to say that no such letter was received by me, has never been in my possession, nor did I ever see it until I read it in the *Herald* this morning.

Yours, etc., J. H. POPE.

Montreal, Sept. 4, 1873.

The Party of Purity will raise a great howl against Sir John for the purpose of drawing attention from their own shameless bribing of post office officials, plundering of the mail bags, and violation of the sanctity of private correspondence. The robbery will have to be shouldered by the party, as the stolen letter was received and published by its Quebec leaders. The sanctified *Witness* has already begun to defend the robbery and degrading conduct of Penny, Holton and Dorion. If this party initiate a policy of mail robbery now, what security will there be for the private correspondence of their political opponents when they get control of the Departments?

The simple facts of the case are that Hon. John Young, M. P., for Montreal West, and Inspector of Flour, is supposed to be, by the law that has just come into force, disqualified from holding office and retaining his seat. This is the interpretation placed on the law by the Minister of Justice, and he intimates to Mr. Pope that unless Young resigns his seat he will not be reappointed Flour Inspector. As the Inspectorship is quite lucrative it was supposed that Mr. Young would prefer it to his seat in the Commons, and preparations for contesting the constituency in the interests of the Government were in order. Sir John advises his colleague that Mr. Workman should be brought out, after other Government aspirants are induced to stand aside, and suggests that a seat in the Senate may be hinted at as likely to be given to the representative of so important a constituency. This is the whole story. Have we any Babes in our Political Woods who have been under the impression that leaders of parties do not make strenuous efforts to prevent any but their strongest candidates from contesting vacant seats?

The value of the Ballast Wharf and Slip is not to be estimated on the basis of the revenue derived from it. Suppose the Government should propose to buy King Square or the Old Burial Ground on the same basis of valuation! The proposition would be just as sensible. The Corporation policy has not been the exaction of heavy wharf dues. The wharves have not been built as investments, but for the purposes of trade, and the revenues are not intended to be proper dividends on the value of the property.

The tinsmiths are all at work on gigantic candle moulds in which tallow illuminators for the streets of Fredericton are to be run.

Nova Scotia News.

(From the Halifax Recorder.)

A sailor boarding at a house in Upper Water street, Halifax, on rising Thursday morning found that a "chum" had gone off, taking with him unlawfully two pairs of pants and a pair of boots that were not his own.

We understand that the commanders of the various militia corps in this city have raised $400 to send a team to compete at the matches which take place at Ottawa on the 16th inst., and following days.

A little girl was sitting on the doorstep of a house on Upper Water street, waiting for her mother, who had gone into a neighboring shop to make a purchase. She had in her hands a counterpane. When her mother returned she found the girl crying, and the counterpane gone. The child said that two sailors, who were running down the street, had snatched the article from her and then made off. They turned a corner and escaped before a chase could be arranged. The robbers are unknown.

A party of Gipsies, about ten in number, arrived in Halifax on Wednesday and encamped on the Quinpool road. That night, at about nine o'clock, two of the men went into a grocery and liquor shop on the Jubilee road, and called for drinks, with which they were served. Meanwhile several neighbors dropped in and had drinks. When the gipsies were asked to pay for their drinks, they refused to do so, and became riotous, knocking down one of the men in the shop. After a severe tussle they were put out and the door fastened. The Gipsies then pulled up a picket fence, armed themselves with pickets, and tried to batter in the door. Finding that they could not do this they became furious, and, with oaths and imprecations, threatened to set fire to all the buildings in the vicinity, and shoot any one who came out; but finally, when it was near ten o'clock, they went off to their camp, where the whole party could be heard shouting, singing and carousing till after two o'clock in the morning, to the great terror of the people living near, who did not know but that they might have taken a fancy to renew the attack. An effort is to be made to dislodge them.

A Mysterious Jewel Robbery.

The particulars of the recent great jewel robbery in London are given in the London *Times*. A firm in Bond street had received an order from the Shah to submit to him a certain amount of jewels, and several packages, containing articles of large value, were accordingly prepared for his Majesty's inspection. In the course of that preparation one of the packages, consisting of four diamond crosses, a splendid necklace of large diamonds, several brooches, rings and earrings, set with diamonds, rubies and emeralds, worth more than £10,000, was missed, and not the slightest clue has been obtained as to the actual circumstances of the robbery. Whether it was lost on the streets by an assistant, or stolen from the counter while the shopman had momentarily turned his back, is not at present known. Inquiries were set on foot by the police, and the gold mountings of the ornaments, but without the stones, were discovered in the bed of the river, where they had evidently lain for some weeks. The mountings had not been submitted to the action of aquafortis, and it is, therefore, surmised that some apparently unprofessional and unskilful hand had extracted the stones. On the other hand, it is considered improbable that an ordinary thief would have been content even to lose the value of the mountings in his attempt to destroy the traces of the robbery, seeing that they alone were worth a considerable sum. Five hundred pounds have been offered as a reward for the recovery of the jewels. It is considered prudent that the name of the owners of the property should for the time be withheld. The missing jewels can, it is said, be identified.

LOCALS.

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

New Advertisements.

Advertisers must send in their favors before 12 o'clock, noon, in order to insure their appearance in this list.

Amusements—
do Regatta
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Stmr City of St John— E Lunt
Agents Wanted—
Rice and Soda— J S Turner
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AUCTIONS.
Logs.— Lockhart & Chipman
Insolvent Act of 1869— E McLeod
Notice of Public Sale— Eliza Ennis
Clothing, &c— E H Lester

Hotel Directory.

Victoria Hotel, Germain street.
United States Hotel, head of King St.
Continental Hotel, north side of King Square.
Bay View Hotel, Prince Wm. street.
Victoria Dining Rooms, Germain street, (opposite Market).

On First Page: Poetry; and a Story, entitled Topping a Shaft.

On Fourth Page: The Royal Commission—The Post Office Robbery.

Brevities.

Last evening the rain poured in torrents between ten and eleven and many who happened to be out got the full benefit of it. Lightning accompanied the rain.

Lee's Company will open in the City Hall, Carleton, to-night. They return after a very successful trip up the Intercolonial Railway. The Opera House will be opened on Monday evening.

The small boat now performing duty instead of the steamer Telegraph at Indiantown capsized yesterday afternoon. Those on board, including some ladies, were wet, but not otherwise injured.

Dr. Humphreys, as will be seen in another column, announces that he will lecture in the Dramatic Lyceum Tuesday evening, and give a reading on Thursday. An excellent entertainment may be expected both evenings.

The New York left Eastport at 11.40 a. m. and is due here at 4 p. m.

Steamer Olive will come through the Falls on Monday morning at 8 o'clock, and will lie at the North Market Wharf until about 2 p. m. to receive freight.

The soft slate placed on Jeffery's Hill is being covered with a thin layer of mud dy gravel.

A meeting of the members of the Mutual Base Ball Club is called for this evening at 8 o'clock, sharp, in the Gymnasium. Important business will be brought before them.

The R. M. S. Austrian, from Liverpool, arrived at St. John's N. F., at midnight on the 3rd inst., and left on the morning of the 4th for Halifax. She is due at the latter port to-day.

A one dollar note on a Toronto Bank, altered to a ten, was presented at the counter of a hat store on King street, last night, but the fraud was discovered. The modest individual who offered it was, improperly, allowed to depart and take his altered note with him. Doubtless he will yet find a victim.

Lee's Combination performed in Dunlap's Hall, Moncton, on Friday evening to a full house. They give another entertainment this evening, and on Monday leave for P. E. Island.

Illumination.

The Carboline Gas Light Company's building, 63 and 65 Water street, is to be brilliantly illuminated with lamps this evening. Everyone anxious to purchase a first class lamp should pay this establishment a visit. The Carboline lamps give a superior light to any other and are free from smell. *

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Sunday Services.

Rev. Mr. Spencer will preach on board the ship Felecia, lying at Lawton's wharf, at 11 a. m.

The Rev. R. J. Cameron will preach in St. Andrews Church, morning and evening.

The Rev. Wm. Somerville, A. M., of Cornwallis, N. S., will preach in the Reformed Presbyterian Church, corner of Princess and Sydney streets, at 6 p. m.

Rev. James Spencer will occupy the pulpit of the Pitt street Baptist Church at 3 p. m. The public are invited. Seats all free.

The Rev. J. D. Pope will enter upon the pastorate of Leinster street Baptist Church. Services will be held at the usual hours, morning and evening.

Duke Street Chapel.—Preaching by Elder Garraty at 11 o'clock. Theme: Exposition of 2 Thess., 2d ch. Evening: Immeasurable Love. Seats all free.

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Shipping Notes.

The brig Jane and Harriet, from Boston for this port, is ashore near the east end of Cross Island. The vessel is bilged and full of water. The sails and running rigging have been taken off. The vessel lies on the rocks in a very exposed situation. A survey has been called by the captain.

Tha Anchor Line steamer Sidonian, sails from Halifax, for this port, to-day. The following are her passengers from Liverpool for this port:

Cabin.—Mrs. S. Richey; Miss Louisa Rickey.

Steerage.—Eliza J. Stewart; G. A. McLeod; Wm. Bower, and John Williams.

A Message from the Deep.—The schr. Gray Eagle, at Boothby the 29th ult., reports that on the 27th, sixty miles South by East from Mount Desert, picked up the fragment of a raft with an inscription on a board, dated August 24, to the effect that the schooner Eliza Francis, of Eastport, was waterlogged and upset, and that she afterwards went to pieces, and six men had been two days on the raft without food, viz: The captain, who belonged in St. Andrews, N. B.; W. Harper, mate, from Deer Island; Arthur Hooper, from Deer Island; James Conley, from St. Andrews, N. B.; Stillman Thornton and James Burns, from Princeton. Some hair on one of the sticks seemed to indicate that some or all had been violently swept from the wreck. Capt. R. Russ, the brother of Capt. Russ, of the Francis, reports that the crew of the vessel were all saved, although the vessel was lost.

Wrecked Material for Sale.—The hull, spars, rigging and cargo of Messrs. J. & T. Jardine's new bark Formosa, are to be sold at auction on Friday next the 12th inst., at Richibucto.

Abandoned.—The steamer Boadicea, Anderson, master, at London 22nd ult., from New York, reports Aug. 12, 4 a. m., in lat 49 55 N, lon 37 W, with fine clear weather, and breeze from W N W, fell in with and boarded schooner Afton, of Kingsport, N. S., laden with deals, waterlogged and abandoned, with foremast, jibboom, mainmast head, and all booms, sails, and rigging gone, and no boats on deck.

Struck by Lightning.—As the schooner Owen P. Hinds, of Calais, was coming out of Boston harbor, Saturday, the 23rd ult., a flash of electricity carried away her fore-topmast, passed down the fore hatch and came up through the fore deck—then passed off towards the stern of the vessel striking the main gaff, making a groove in it some two feet more in length, and about half an inch deep. The flash came out of a cloud without any thunder or other premonitory sign of its coming, and was so vivid as to blind and stun all hands for a moment.

The steamer Linda, Crosby, master, arrived in the harbor this morning at six o'clock, from Yarmouth, N. S., having come to anchor outside of the Island, where she remained all night on account of the dense fog. She leaves again this evening at six o'clock, for Yarmouth and Boston.

The ship Westfield, of this port, Humphrey, master, from Shields for Molendo, put into Valparaiso on the 23d July, in distress. Capt. H. reports: Left Shields March 31, experienced fair weather so far as the River Plate; from thence to Staten Island a continuance of heavy gales from W. N. W. to S. W. On June 5th, while furling the mizzentopsail, Abel Johnson, ordinary seaman, fell from aloft and striking the cross jackyard fell overboard, and as it was dark and blowing hard could do nothing towards saving him. June 23, found that the main post of the rudder was strained; lashed it with chain. Passed through the Straits of Le Maire July 22. In lat 56.30 S, lon 78 W, encountered a terrific gale which so seriously damaged the rudder that it was thaught prudent for the safety of the ship and cargo to bear up for Valparaiso.

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Drs. Crosby & McAvenney, dentists, have received and have now in operation a little machine known as the Dental Engine. It is a curiosity worthy of a visit from all interested in the subject of teeth. The engine has been set up in the centre of the room, and furnishes the requisite power for boring, cleaning, scraping, and every one of the operations preparatory to filling. With this engine cavities are prepared for filling in much less time than can be done by hand, and with less annoyance to the owner of the cavernous grinder.

Provincial Rifle Match.

Yesterday the competitors fired at the short ranges. The fifth, sixth and seventh matches were finished with the following results:

In the fifth match the Prince of Wales cup and $20 were won by Private Blacktin, 51 points. The other prizes, from $15 to $1, were won by the following, scores 49 to 44: Major Gillespie, Asst. Surgeon Vail, Private Pinder, Dr. Parlee, J. Jones, Lieut. Fraser, Adj. Arnold, Corp. Langstroth, Sapper Thompson, Bug. Langstroth, Corp. Hay, Private Perkins, Private Johnson, Lt. Cougle, Ens. Johnson, Sergt. Hunter, Lt. Smith, Lipsett, Sergt. Hartt, Major Wetmore.

In the seventh match, the National Rifle Association Medal and $15 were won by Private Perkins, scoring 66 points. The other prizes, from $10 to $1, were won by the following, scores 64 to 56: Sap. Jones, Maj. McAdam, Corp. Pallen, Corp. Carmichael, Pt. Keirstead, Ensign Johnson, Sapper Fanjoy, Corp. Philips, Ens. Ferguson, Ens. Andrews, Pt. Blacktin, Ser. Hunter, Ser. W. Parlee, Lieut. Cougle, Pt. McLeod, Pt. E. H. Morris, Maj. Wetmore, D. F. Johnson, Col.-Ser. T. G. Loggie.

In the seventh match, the Cup of Cols. Maunsell and Jago and $10 were won by Private Miler, making 37 points. The other prizes, $10 to $1, were won by the following, scores 35 to 28: Corp. Langstroth, Pt. McLeod, Pt. J. D. Perkins, B. Darling, Sergt. Appleby, J. A. Fowler, Corp. Wayman, Lt. Clinch, Pt. Ferguson, Corp. Hay, Sergt. Loggie, Sergt. Parlee, Capt. Langstroth, Corp. Sproul, Bomb. D. T. Johnson, Gunner Chase, Troop Peters, Capt. E. Arnold, Troop Wood, Pt. Pinder, Ensign Johnston, Capt. O. R. Arnold, Asst. Surg. Vail, Capt. Bourne.

The eighth match was for the various prizes offered by private individuals, the highest score having the first choice. The following shows the number of points of each competitor and prize selected:

Ensign Johnson, 47, tea set; Assistant Surgeon Vail, 46, cruet stand, given by the president; Sergt. Loggie, 45, Blacktin's Martini-Henry Rifle; Major Stickney, 45, vice-president's fruit stand; E. Arnold, 44, case of fruit knives given by the secretary; Private McLeod, 44, salt cellars given by Richard Thompson; Major McAdam, 44, saddle given by Wm. Smith, of Sussex; C. W. Drury, 42, opera glass, given by A. Markham; Sapper Thompson, 42, silver watch, by Chas. J. White, Sussex: Bugler O'Shaughnessy, 42, Meerschaum pipe, by Manchester, Robertson & Allison; Gunner Chase, 42, a dozen of wine by T. Furlong; Private Pinder, 42, pair of butter knives by the president; Trooper Wood, 41, butter knives by J. S. Trites, Sussex; Major Ketchum, 41, breakfast cruet stand, Mr. W. Elder; B. Darling, 41, umbrella, by Likely, Cameron & Golding.

The ninth match was the County match and excited considerable interest. It was fired for by ten competitors from each of the four counties, Northumberland being one man short. The contest closed as follows:

	Points.	Prizes.
Kings County.....	378....	$30
Charlotte County.....	374....	20
St. John County.....	352....	10
Northumberland County..	327....	00

The fourth match and last was for Consolation prizes, $10 to $2, which were won by the following: Quarter Master Gosline, Lieut. Kirkpatrick, Private Winters, Private Dover, Gunner Metzler, Trooper McDougall, Trooper Sherwood, Lieut. Sederquist, Major Darling, Sergt. Vanbuskirk, Private McPherson, Corp. Pallen, Capt. McGee, A. Cameron.

This concluded the annual competition, and the prizes were at once presented in the presence of a large number of people. Everything has passed off most satisfactorily, except the shooting of Mr. Carmichael.

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Board of Trade.

At the Board of Trade meeting yesterday afternoon the committee appointed in reference to a Canadian Lloyds reported against the establishment of a Canadian Lloyds until the probable imperial legislation of next Parliament is known. The report was adopted after some discussion, and on motion of S. S. Hall, seconded by W. E. Vroom, it was resolved to petition the Dominion Government in accordance with the suggestions of the committee.

The Inspection Law, which came into operation on the 1st of September, was brought under the notice of the Board by a letter from Edward Miall, Asst. Com. of Inland Revenues, asking assistance in the selection of examiners, and also information as to what articles require Inspectors in St. John. A committee was appointed for the selection of Inspectors, etc.

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Accident on the River.

Yesterday, as the steamer Star was returning from the Washademoak, a boat containing three women and two children put off from Brundage's Point to board her. The women were seated on a board placed across the stern of the boat, the ends of which projected over. In coming alongside the steamer the paddle caught the board and precipitated the women and children into the river. The passengers and hands on board the Star rescued the unfortunate people as quickly as possible, but not until they were nearly exhausted. The accident is attributed solely to the carelessness of the man who rowed the boat from shore.

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Policemen's Pay.

As the Common Council are unable to increase the pay of the police. The police are commencing to look out for themselves. The Chief of the Police sent in to the managers of the circus which just left here a bill for $98 for the services of the police during their stay. The agent thought this bill rather steep, as they had already paid His Worship the Mayor $100 for a license to exhibit here. They thought they were entitled to some protection from the police, without any such enormous charge, but the bill was paid. While here the managers complained several times of the inefficiency of the police, and the difficulty of getting any aid from, though they most all attended the show with their wives and children. The circus was here three days, and, if the entire force had been present all the time at the wages they get now, it would only have amounted to what the circus paid. This subject, and the special disbursements made by the Chief of Police at that time, will be made the subject of a special inquiry at the next meeting of the Common Council. An enormous bill of this kind charged against any company visiting the city is not calculated to give to St. John a very enviable reputation abroad, and the "make hay while the sun shines" policy will do a great deal of harm.

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NOTICE TO SMOKERS.—We would direct attention to the fine assortment of beautiful Meerschaum Pipes now on exhibition at F. B. Marter's drug store, 81 King street. Some of them are the finest we have ever seen imported for sale in this city.

City Police Court.

His Honor Judge Gilbert occupied his accustomed seat this morning and was greeted with a number of prisoners who had been arrested during the night.

Newel Burns, an Indian, was the first prisoner, charged with being drunk in Britain street. He could or would not tell where he got his rum, and he was fined $6 or two months in the penitentiary.

John Rogers was caught while fighting on the North Wharf, and endangering the windows of His Worship the Mayor. He confessed the charge, but had not a very definite idea who he was fighting with, and a fine of $10 was imposed.

Moses Smith was given in charge by Mr. Fairweather of the Park Hotel for entering his house through a window after having been twice put out the door. Smith's wife is hired at the Park, and he, a perfectly useless animal, hangs round the hotel to annoy her. She has told Mr. Fairweather frequently that she does not want to see him, but Smith says she does, and only tells that to throw dust in his eyes. He persevered yesterday and entered the house three times and at last was given in charge of the police. The Magistrate warned him not to be seen round the hotel again to annoy any one, and he, promising to go off to sea, was allowed to depart without any punishment.

John Clark was the only representative of the "simple drunk" class, and the usual fine was imposed of $4.

Eliza Dounelley, a weaker vessel, was filled with too much strong liquor, and as a consequence was very disorderly, breaking windows, &c., in Orange street. The Magistrate fined her $6 or 2 months as she was an old offender. She made a pathetic appeal, calling to His Honor's mind how long it had been since he saw her, contrasting her present improved appearance with that of former days, and stating that she had been away and sober for a long time, but on returning to the city had again fallen from grace. His Honor listened, was moved and told her to go and that the fine would stand against her future good conduct. With thanks to His Honor she left the dock.

Linus Seely given in charge for stealing a watch was remanded for one week.

Portland Police Court.

Business was dull this morning, there being only two prisoners, and no charges of any kind.

Michael McAnaley was arrested for being drunk and disorderly at Indiantown for which he was fined $6.

Wm. Munroe was given in charge by his wife for being drunk, noisy, and abusing her. He was fined $6.

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