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AUCTION SALES.

SLEIGHS, ROBES, FURNITURE, &C. BY AUCTION. To-morrow, SATURDAY, 22nd inst., at 10.30 o'clock: 1 Superior Single Seat Sleigh; 2 do. do.; 1 Grocer's Pung; 2 Sleigh Robes; 2 Sets Harness; Bureaus; Mattresses; Sofa; Walnut Chairs; 2 Easy do.; Marble Top Tables; Rockers; 2 Sideboards; 3 Bedroom Sets; Lot Pictures; Mirror; Writing Desks; etc.; etc.
W. A. LOCKHART,
Feb. 4, 1889. Auctioneer.

LOST.

Advertisements under this head inserted for 10 cents each time or fifty cents a week. Payable in advance.

LOST.—A GOLD PENCIL BETWEEN THE I. C. R. depot and Harrison street. The finder will be rewarded on returning it to Hazen Brown, tailor, on Main street, opp. Sheriff St.

TO LET.

FROM THE FIRST OF MAY A DESIRABLE flat on Summer street, containing nine rooms. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday. Apply on the premises.
GAVIN RANNIE.

TO LET—FROM THE FIRST OF MAY THE Store No. 5 Waterloo Street at present occupied by T. Patton & Co., as a Dry Goods Store. For particulars apply to SCOTT BROTHERS, next door.

TO LET—FROM MAY 1st., 1890, OR SOONER if required, the self-contained House, No. 144 Waterloo Street, at present occupied by the Rev. Corsello Weston. Contains Parlors, Library, Dining Room, Kitchen, Wash Room, Bath Room, Hot and Cold Water, and five Bedrooms. House heated with first-class Hot Water Heating Apparatus. Can be seen Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays between 3 and 5 o'clock. For further particulars enquire J. H. DOODY, 86 Prince Wm. Street.

TO LET—A SELF-CONTAINED FLAT, No. 10 Sydney Street. Can be seen Tuesdays and Thursdays; rent low to a good tenant. Apply to WM. FINLEY, No. 12 Sydney Street.

STORES TO LET—FOR ONE OR MORE years, from 1st May next that large FOUR STORY BUILDING, with frost proof cellar, on Germain street, opposite Country Market, containing two Stores, now in the occupation of W. F. Burditt & Co. and J. W. Potts & Co. Apply to MR. J. R. RUBI.

TO LET.—FROM FIRST MAY NEXT, THAT pleasant Dwelling House, No. 188 Carmarthen street, now occupied by Harvey P. Hayward, Esq. The house is in excellent order, has nine rooms, including bath room, and is provided with modern conveniences. May be seen on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the afternoons. Apply to WM. CAUSEY, 63 Mecklenburg St., or to E. T. C. KNOWLES, 107 Prince Wm. street.

TO LET.—COUNTRY RESIDENCE. TO LET for the summer or the year, dwelling apartments in a pleasantly situated cottage a few miles from the city, on the I. C. Railway, five minutes walk from the station. For further particulars apply at this office.

TO LET.—TWO SHOPS TO LET FROM THE 1st May on Union street, Nos 188 and 190. Cellars and water attached. Enquire THOS. McAFEE, Steward S. S. City of Monticello, or 214 King Street East.

TO LET—PART OF HOUSE, NORTH SIDE OF Paradise Row, containing 8 Rooms, Separate Entrance, can be seen Tuesdays and Fridays 2 to 4 p. m. enquire on premises. JOSEPH McAFEE.

STORES TO LET.—STORE ON WATER ST., near Princess; also, one on Prince William Street, occupied by Vroom & Arnold, with or without flats Apply to GEO. GILBERT, Ritchie's Building.

TO LET.—FROM MAY 1ST, 1890, THE SELF-contained HOUSE, situated on the corner of Pitt and Princess streets, formerly occupied by the Rev. J. E. Hopper; contains parlors, library, dining room, kitchen, washroom, bath room and five bedrooms; also, good furnace in basement. Adjoining the house is a good BARN, which will be let with or without the house. For further particulars enquire of H. H. MOTT, Architect.

HOUSE TO LET FROM 1st OF MAY NEXT or sooner if required containing 2 shops with a room attached to each. On the second flat there is a front room, kitchen and two bed rooms with yard in the rear. Will be let for one or more years. Terms easy; apply to George Pattison, 14 Church street.

TO LET.—COTTAGES FRONTING ON MOUNT Pleasant Avenue with modern improvements at low rents. Open for inspection from 3 to 4 p. m. week days. Further information can be had from the undersigned at the Owens Art Institute at 3 p. m. ROBERT REED.
P. S.—Also from 1st May next, the premises 23 Carleton street.

TO LET.—A 4 ROOMED HOUSE, APPLY AT 48 Exmouth street or to A. G. BOWES, & CO., 21 Canterbury street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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BEING DESIROUS OF RETIRING FROM business I offer to any one wishful of entering that line of trade my entire stock and plant and the good will of the Restaurant and Saloon, 49 Germain Street. I would also intimate to all and every one who are on my books that an early settlement will greatly accommodate. P. A. CRUIKSHANK.

MONEY TO LOAN.

Advertisements under this head inserted for 10 cents each time or fifty cents a week. Payable in advance.

MONEY TO LOAN ON FREEHOLD SECURity in the city. Apply to CHAS. A. MACDONALD, Barrister, 46 Prince Wm. street.

MONEY TO LOAN—$5,000 on Mortgage in sums to suit borrowers. J. R. ARMSTRONG, Solicitor, Sand's Building.

MONEY TO LOAN on free hold security, E. T. C. KNOWLES, 107 Prince Wm. St.

WANTED.

WANTED.—50 or 60 MEN TO WORK AT ICE, in leading schooners and in ice houses. Steady employment given. Call between 7 and 9 p. m. at Mrs. Whetsell's, 18 Leinster St.

WANTED—ABOUT MARCH 1st A TRUCKman; must be able to read and write and be sober and intelligent. J. D. SHATFORD.

WANTED.—TAILOR AND PRESSMAN AT J. A. WILSON'S, 56 Dock street.

WANTED.—IN A CENTRAL PART OF THE city a Flat for a small family; moderate rent. Address by letter only X. Y. Z., care of this office.

WANTED.—THREE GOOD MEN TO SELL for us. Independent territory given to each. Write at once, and secure choice. Address, MAY BROTHERS, Nurserymen, Rochester, N.Y.

WANTED—PUPILS FOR FORMING CLASS in sight-singing and chorus work. Also four voices for Ladies Quartette. Also pupils to study the old "Italian Method of Overtone," now considered the only method for cultivating the voice. Apply at Studio, Berryman's Building, Princess st.

WANTED.—A YOUNG ST. JOHN MAN who has occupied for seven years a responsible position in Boston, where he is now employed, would like a situation as traveller for some St. John or Montreal Grocery or Tea House. Address, A. B. C, GAZETTE Office.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.—A VALUABLE Leasehold Property on Horsfield street, formerly owned and occupied by George Calnan. Apply to GEORGE F. CALKIN, Room 2, Pugsley's Buildings, corner Prince William and Princess streets.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE KINDLINGWOOD IN BUNDLES of 10½ in diameter, and 3, 6 & 9 inches long. Price 15c., 2c. and 2½c. per bundle, delivered in any part of the city. JOHN McSHERRY, Strait Shore, Kindling Factory, city.

FOR SALE.—THAT COMFORTABLE, CONvenient and thoroughly built Brick House and Freehold Lot, 40x125 feet, No. 17 Elliott Row, belonging to the estate of the late James Adam. The house is thoroughly drained and is fitted with all modern improvements. For terms and particulars enquire of R. CRUIKSHANK, Administrator Jan. 30, 1890.

FOR SALE.—ONE EXPRESS PUNG. Enquire of BARKER & Co., Church St.

ENGINE AND BOILER FOR SALE.—A 30 horse power Engine and Boiler. In good order. Apply to J. J. FORREST, Barrister, Chubb's Corner.

PROFESSOR SEYMOUR,
CHIROPODIST.

CORNS, Callouses, Bunions, Warts, Chilblains, Ingrown Nails treated without pain. Proprietor of the Corn, Wart and Bunion Cure. My Methods are infallible.
21 SYDNEY STREET,
Opp. Old Burying Ground, St. John, N. B.

ARRIVED.

EXCELSIOR PUDDING
FOR SALE BY
W. A. PORTER, Union Street,
SCOTT BROTHERS, Waterloo Street,
G. B. MASON, Charlotte Street.

LOCAL MATTERS.

For additional Local News see First Page.

MASONIC ENGAGEMENTS.

February, 1890.

The following meetings will be held at the Masonic Hall, Germain street, during the present month at 8 o'clock in the evening:

Friday, 21st—St. John Lodge of Perfection, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite—Annual Meeting.

PONY LEFREAUX, Feb. 21, 9 a. m.—Wind northwest, blowing a gale. Ther. 6. One bark passed inward.

THE CITY TEAMS were engaged today in clearing the streets.

STEAMER CUMBERLAND arrived this morning at 7.30 o'clock.

FUSILEERS BAND.—Bandmaster Jones requests the presence of the band at the Palace Rink this evening at 8 o'clock.

DELAYED TRAINS.—The C. P. R. train from Montreal is two hours late to-day and the Quebec express is ten hours behind time.

FROZEN PIPES.—There was no school at either the grammar school or business college to-day owing to the steam pipes being frozen.

MR. OSWALD SMITH, of Kingston, Kent Co., expects, as soon as spring opens, to forward several rafts of timber to Cape Tormentine, to be used in the construction of the breakwater.

IN JUSTICE TO THEMSELVES the management of the Palace rink wish to state that the delay in starting the races at the tournament last evening was occasioned by the City Cornet band's failure to be at the rink on time.

THE PRIZE LIST COMMITTEE of the Exhibition Association will recommend that no exclusive rights be allowed Messrs. McCastill & Co of Montreal at the coming exhibition. This firm has offered special prizes and premiums for carriages varnished with their varnish.

A FEW MILES from Tatamagouche, N. S., there is a child which at it its birth, a few months ago, had a father and mother, two grandfathers and two grandmothers, three great-grandfathers and three great-grandmothers, and one great-great-grandfather and one great-great-grandmother—these two last being husband and wife—all living.

SHIP LABORERS' UNION.—At an adjourned meeting of the Ship Laborers' Union, held last evening, the following officers were elected: John Murray, president; Wm. S. Daily, first vice; Peter Cullinan, second vice; James Brennan, recording secretary; Thomas Killen, treasurer. Committee of management, John Butler, George Conboy, John Powers, M.J. White, Oscar Dick, Geo. Murphy, John McAulay, Geo. Gregory, Alex Mitchell, Michael Welch, John Harrington.

BURGLARIZED THE JAIL.—An exchange says that two jail-birds, who had just completed a term of imprisonment in St. John's, Newfoundland, penitentiary, burglarized that institution a few days ago. They broke into the kitchen, made a good meal there, and then with the aid of a ladder broke the window of a cell in which one of their friends was confined, and passed into him a flask of whiskey, some tobacco and sundry eatables. This may well be described as the height of impudence and audacity.

DEATH OF MR. H. T. AMES.—Mr. Horace T. Ames, who will be remembered in St. John, died suddenly in San Francisco, Cal. yesterday. This information was sent to this city in a telegram from his daughter to Mr. William B. McVey. Mr. Ames will be recalled by many citizens as having been formerly engaged in the rope making industry in this city. He afterwards lived in St. Andrews, Charlotte county. Mr. Ames was married to Miss Thompson a neice of the late John Walker, and leaves a large family.

JAMES H. OAK, a leading business man in Presque Isle, is doing a rushing business this season cutting railroad ties and telegraph poles. He will get out at Presque Isle about 3,000 telegraph poles, and all along the line something like 10,000. These poles range from twenty-five to fifty-five feet in length and he has some now on the yards which show what Aroostock forests can produce in this line. Mr. Oak expects to get out about 200,000 sleepers. The business gives employment to one hundred and fifty men and pays out about $1,000 per week.

A WINTER WEDDING.—The marriage of Dr. W. P. Bonnell, one of our most popular dentists to Miss Lilly M. Tufts, daughter of Ald. S. Tufts, took place at the residence of the bride's father, Duke street, last evening. Rev. G. O. Gates joined the happy couple and a large number of invited guests were present in honor of the occasion. Miss A. M. Finley, and little Miss Cowan, a niece of the groom, were bridesmaids, while Dr. J. A. Simon supported the groom. After a sumptuous and enjoyable wedding supper, Dr. and Mrs. Bonnell took the western train en route to Boston and New York. Among the many gifts to the bride were a sealskin sacque from her father and a beautiful bracelet from the groom. With the others who wish them a long and happy life the GAZETTE joins.

The Oliver Emery Arrives.

The bark Oliver Emery, captain Swatridge, arrived today after a passage of 90 days from Dublin. She had a succession of heavy westerly gales and high seas during the whole passage. She got in the ice at 480 west lon and was in it for 24 hours, and was slightly chafed. After she was clear of the ice she was spoken by the steamer Amsterdam, of Amsterdam and was supplied with provisions. Captain Swatridge speaks in the highest terms of the captain of the Amsterdam and describes him as a perfect gentleman. The Emery got into the Bay three days ago. Night before last she was under the lee of Mount Desert. Yesterday's heavy snowstorm was encountered and the vessel was run under a small amount of canvas. She arrived here about 11 o'clock this morning, all on board rejoicing over their safe arrival in port at last. Captain Swatridge says he never experienced a more severe passage since he has been following the sea. The crew suffered terribly from the cold during the passage, scarcely a man among them having a pair of mits.

In connection with this long voyage, the following curious coincidence occurred. After the vessel had been about 50 days out, Captain Swatridge, who had been fretting considerably, dreamed that a person came to him and told him not to fret as the vessel would arrive safely at her destination after a passage of 90 days. This dream was realized to a day.

PELEE ISLAND CO.'S Grape Juice is invaluable for sickness and as a tonic is unequalled. It is recommended by Physicians, being pure, unadulterated juice of the grape. Our agent, E. G. Scovil, Tea importer, No. 13 North Wharf, can supply our Brands of Grape Juices by the case of one dozen.

SPIRIT OF THE TIMES.

Curling.

ST. STEPHEN BADLY BEATEN.

The St. Stephen curlers were defeated by both the Thistles and St. Andrews clubs of this city yesterday, the scores standing as follows:

St. Andrews.		St. Stephen.	
A. Watson, skip	23	W. F. Todd, skip	10
H. V. Cooper, "	19	J. D. Chipman, "	20
S. S. DeForest, "	15	C. E. Gilmore, "	16
J. U. Thomas, "	31	W. L. Grant, "	9
	88		55

Thistles.		St. Stephen.	
F. R. Titus, skip	24	W. F. Todd, skip	12
R. Thomson, "	19	M. McGowan, "	10
A. Miller, "	20	C. E. Gilmore, "	9
D. R. Willet, "	29	J. D. Chipman, "	12
	92		43

The St. Stephen club will protest the awarding of the McLellan cup to the Thistles.

Skating

The races at the Palace rink last evening resulted as follows:

2-mile race (boy's) J. Nagle 1st.; G. Freeze 2nd. Time 7.29½. T. McDiarmid fell and protested. The race will be skated over again.

3-mile challenge race, first heat, R. W. Carson 1st., J. A. Davidson 2nd; time 11.16. Second heat, T. Irvine 1st. W. Condon 2nd; time 12.20. Final, R. W. Carson 1st. T. Irvine 2nd. Irvene fell.

2-mile race (boys) for the Green medal, W. M. Merritt, 1st; Geo. Freeze 2nd. Time 8:20.

2-mile professional—A. Alcorn 1st; 8:30.

3-mile match race—A. Gibson of Marysville, 1st, D. Johnstone. Time, 12:20.

McDonald came in ahead of Dingee in their match race, 7:17¾.

Carson won the hurdle race.

The judges were, Messrs. F. B. Ellis, C. E. O'Reilly and Fred Carvill.

TOURNAMENT AT VICTORIA.

This evening a skating tournament will be held at Victoria rink this evening which should be well patronized both by skaters and spectators. Some good men are down for the races, and the sport promises well.

The Ring.

PURSE FOR KILRAIN AND CORBETT.

The Southern Athletic Club of New Orleans has decided to put up another purse of $3500 for a glove contest between Jake Kilrain and James Corbett. It is understood there will be no limit as to the number of rounds, Police Gazette rules will govern. Kilrain will go into special training under the mentorship of Mike Cleary and William Muldoon. The date for the contest will be decided at the next meeting of the club, but it is said that it will not take place until the latter part of March.

The Late Rev. Mr. Miles.

Of the late Rev. G. F. Miles, whose funeral took place at Amhurst, today, the Amherst Record says:—

Mr. Miles was born at Maugerville, N. B., Sept. 9th, 1821. He was ordained in 1846 at Newcastle, Queens Co., N. B. where he labored for five years. He has held successful pastorates at St. George, Sackville, Maugerville, Moncton, Petitcodiac, and Havelock in New Brunswick, and at Amherst, Maccan, Pugwash, Acadia Mines, Oxford, Economy, and Five Islands in Nova Scotia. During the after years of his life he has labored among smaller churches, doing a great deal of mission work as the Lord may have guided him. His work is now done, and he has gone to his reward.

In phisique he was an almost perfect specimen of manhood and one who might be expected to obtain a good old age. But his days were, doubtless, shortened by the overwork and exposure of preaching three times a day and driving many miles besides. He last preached at Midgic, N. B., the third Sunday before his death, just completing a year of continuous service every alternate Sunday. He had an invitation to supply the Milton church, Yarmouth, for the winter, but declined on account of illness in his family keeping him near home.

Successful Students.

The final examinations at Dalhousie law school, Halifax, are over. J. A. Sinclair of this city, F. L. Fairweather, of Sussex, and W. J. Bowser, of Kingston, Kent Co., being successful candidates from New Brunswick for the degree of L. L. B. They return to Halifax on the 25th of April at which date degrees both in law and arts will be conferred.

Mr, Bowser, having been a student in Messrs. Weldon & McLean's office for some time previous to his taking the course at Dalhousie has already been admitted an attorney. Messrs. Sinclair and Fairweather pass on examination at Fredericton for admission as attorneys in October next.

Mr. J. King Kelly of this city is at present at Dalhousie where he is taking a special course in law. Mr. Kelly was a student with Messrs. A. A. & R. O. Stockton. Mr. Sinclair studied with Dr. Silas Alward, and Mr. Fairweather with Messrs. White, Allison & King, Sussex.

The graduating class in law at Dalhousie this year numbered 19, the largest ever sent from that institution. Eighteen will likely graduate in arts.

L. O. A.

At the morning session of the Grand Lodge, L. O. A. at Sussex, yesterday the newly elected officers were duly installed.

It was unanimously decided to hold the next annual session at Woodstock, Carleton county, on the third Tuesday of February, 1891.

Arrangements for the public demonstration to be held in St. John, July 12, were left with the executive committee.

Matters pretaining to the reception of the officers of the grand lodge of B. N. A. on their visit to St John in May next were discussed, and arrangements were made for their reception, the grand lodge making a grant to help defray expenses.

The matter in reference to the holding of the so-called illegal meeting which was held in St. John last September, was discussed and a resolution was unanimously passed, exonerating County Master Kelly from all charges similar to those preferred against the grand master.

Of Personal Interest.

J. S. Smith, travelling agent of the Union Pacific, and J. E. Brittain, who was recently appointed New England agent of the Chicago and North-western railroad are in the city.

Mr. C. A. Stockton has been confined to his residence, the Dufferin Hotel, since Monday last with a severe cold.

Mr. Oliver Emery has been confined to his home for several days with a severe illness.

Past Grand Lecturer R. A. C. Brown, who has been attending the convention of Grand Lodge, L. O. A. at Sussex has returned home.

R. F. Armstrong of the St. Andrew's Beacon paid his friends in this city a flying visit yesterday.

The St. Stephen Curlers went to Fredericton this morning.

W. D. Wilbur, of Dorchester, N. B., is in town looking after the schooner Clara J. Wilbur.

THOSE who investigate for excellence and beauty in photography will be repaid by a call at Climo's. In comparative merit his prices are lower than any. 85 Germain street.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

The Funeral of the Late Postmaster McPeake Largely Attended.—Appointment of a Postmaster.

SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 21.—The funeral of the late Mr. McPeake took place this morning, and despite the blustery state of the weather, was very largely attended by men in all stations of life, who desired to pay their last tribute of respect to one who was so greatly respected in the community.

All the staff of officials in the Post Office attended, the office being closed from 9.30 a. m. till 11 a. m.

The remains were taken to St. Dunstan's church where high mass was celebrated after which they were interred in the Roman Catholic cemetery.

The opposition in Northumberland were snowed under by the storm yesterday and by the Tweedie vote the same as the opposition in York on the 22nd of January last. We sympathize with the Sun in their defeat of yesterday.

The storm, yesterday, delayed the trains—the trains this morning from St. John being thirty minutes late. The Northern & Western was one hour behind time, the train from Woodstock three hours late and the evening train fiom St. John three-quarters of an hour behind time. The freight train on the Northern & Western left the rails this morning, near Marysville station, the damage being trifling.

The St. Stephen curlers arrived by noon train to-day and play the Fredericton club this afternoon and evening.

Rev. Dr. McLeod has been appointed postmaster of Fredericton.

FRUIT GROWERS' CONVENTION

Valuable Practical Papers Read and Abuses Exposed.

OTTAWA, FEB. 20.—At today's session of the Dominion Fruit Growers convention, J. T. McBrine of Montreal read a paper on The export of winter apples, profits and drawbacks. He spoke of the auctioneer's charges for selling barrels apples as excessive. It generally costs a shilling and sixpence to sell a barrel and the freight cost about four shillings and sixpence. Apples should not be unloaded at the docks until the ships were ready for them and then they should be placed in the coolest and driest part of the ship. He advised selling as soon as apples were ready for shipment, also to ship when packed, and ship regularly. He complained that apples sent from Michigan and other points in the United States were shipped from Montreal to British ports as Canadian apples. This was doing the Canadian growers a great deal of harm, as the English people refused to except American apples.

Mr. Allan observed that as Canadians claimed to have the finest apples in the world, it was unfair to have American apples of an inferior quality shipped to Montreal, there branded as Canadian apples and then shipped to the British market. It was doing the country a great deal of harm. It was time this point should be looked after, and he suggested that it be ascertained whether or not American apples could not be properly branded at the customs before being shipped from this country.

A legislative committee was appointed to see what would be the best course to adopt in order to remedy the evil complained of.

At the afternoon session there was an animated discussion on a resolution moved by Mr. Pettit, of Grimsby, Ontario that a delegation be appointed to wait upon the minister of customs to urge in the interests of the fruit growers of the dominion that the duties on fruit and vegetables coming into this country should be re-imposed at tha same rates as formerly.

The convention struck a snag in this motion, and the maritime provinces opposed it with such vigor that eventually Mr. Pettit withdrew it and allowed it to stand as a notice of motion.

At the evening session S. L. Peters of Queenstown, N. B., read an able paper on Fruit Culture in New Brunswick, in which he referred to the modus operandi followed by the orchardists of the province and the best qualities of fruit produced in the St John river valley.

After Forty Years.

The late James Nelson, of Old Barns, Colchester Co., raised a large family of sons and daughters, of whom, until very recently, it was thought that Alexander Nelson of Upper Brookfield, aged 83, and Robert Nelson of South Branch, Upper Stewiacke, some eight years younger, were the sole survivors. Half a century ago, says the Colchester Sun, or better, William Nelson, a son of James Nelson, left the province to seek his fortune. Eight years afterwards he enclosed his father, from California, a draft for $100. This is the last that was ever heard of William Nelson till very recently. For forty years he had been considered dead. About three weeks ago, a member of the family took a letter out of the post office, addressed to his late father, which proved to be a communication from his brother William. The letter was headed British Columbia, where the writer is now engaged farming. It makes particular inquiries about the members of the Nelson family still living, The records of this family show that William Nelson is 71 years of age. If possessed of the vigor and vitality of the of the race, he must be an active man. Should he avail of the C. P. R. and again visit the home of his boyhood, he cannot fail to be utterly surprised at the wonderful changes this country has undergone since the days of his boyhood—from the regime of the old Council of Twelve to the period of the National Policy. Verily the contrast is so great as to warrant the application of the Poet's utterance to the altered condition of things past and present. "Half a century of Europe is better than a cycle of Cathay."

Of Dramatic Interest.

"The Rivals" was successfully revived at the Boston Museum last week.

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Minnie Palmer's next tour will be in America. She expects to open in Philadelphia. at the Park theatre, Oct. 6. Her New York season will open at the Standard on 13th Oct. She will have a new play and her company will be a strong one.

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Charlotte M. Stanley is about to return to the stage and will appear in a dramatization of one of her own stories lately published as a serial. She will have her own company.

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Pretty Amy Lee, has joined the "Shanty Queen," company and will play the title role.

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Miss Adelaide Moore is recovering from a surgical operation performed on her throat by Sir Morell Mackenzie. The lady had an attack of la grippe just before leaving America, which developed into a throat affection which rendered the operation necessary. She will begin a tour of the English Provinces on 6 April.

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Miss Jessie Millward has sailed for Eng. In seven weeks she and Mr. Terriss will open in London. Their play is not yet completed.

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Marjorie Bonner is having a play written from the story of "Ostler Joe" and will probably star in it next season.

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William Gills new musical fantasy for Dora Wiley, is to be called "The Sweet Singer of Maine.

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Donnelly and Girard have been playing to immense houses in Indianapolis. A dramatic correspondent from that city writing of this company says, Rachel Booth with her pretty ankles, caught all the boys in the "Amen" corner.

I am still selling those celebrated Briar Pipes with pure Ambers at 25 cents each LOUIS GAZZO, 59 King street.

THE SPIRIT LIED.

A Man Who was Made to Believe that His Daughter was Dead.

At the Porter house in Kentville one evening last week a man who had a pretty sound belief in spiritualism, placed his hand on a table in his room and asked the spirits if they had anything to communicate to him. Immediately came the answer, "Yes," conveyed by mysterious rappings from an invisible source. The individual, who was alone at the time, called a couple of acquaintances into the room, and the trio eagerly awaited developments, taking up positions some feet distant from the table, and the believer, whom we will call Mr. F., questioned the unseen being as to the nature of its information.

"Who is speaking?" asked Mr. F.

"Your sister," rapped the table in reply.

"What is my sister's name?" was asked.

"Etta," came the correct response, which increased the interest of the listeners, only one of whom was acquainted with the name.

"What news have you about my family?" said Mr. F.

"Your daughter died two days ago."

The man was almost stricken down by the message, but, entertaining some doubt, enquired:

"Where is my daughter?"

"In Boston. A telegram containing news of her death is at Bridgewater."

"What is her name?"

The answer was given correctly, and the poor man was distracted, but still a little doubtful, he asked the spirit to spell out the name of his wife, dead for five years, which it did correctly.

The feelings of the man who had received this strange communication, possessing as he did a pretty firm faith in the truth, can be imagined. After spending a most unhappy night he tried to find out whether there was a telegram lying at Bridgewater for him. He was unable to hear from there, but got a message from Lunenburg stating there was a telegram lying at Bridgewater for him, which, of course, increased his alarm. Bridgewater was formerly his home, and it appeared quite likely that any such despatch for him might be sent there, as he was constantly moving from place to place.

Our friend took the first train for Bridgewater and arrived there in the evening only to find that the spirits had deceived him. There was no telegram for him, and on communicating with Boston he learned that his beloved daughter, whose funeral he had expected would be over before he could possibly reach that city, was alive and in good health. Whether the victim's belief in spiritualism is as strong as ever has not been learned.—Halifax Echo.

A RAT'S COSTLY MORSEL.

It Was a Diamond Stud, and it Cost the Rodent His Life.

When Louis Braham, the old time pawn-broker, opened up his shop Monday morning at 21 East Fourth street, says the Cincinnati Enquirer he missed a quarter of a carat diamond shirt stud, valued at from $35 to $50, which he was positive was in the window late Saturday evening.

He called his son, and the two searched the shop high and low, but could not find the diamond.

Braham began to get crazy over his loss, and went to Vic Hill's to take a glass of beer and brace up to continue the search.

"Had quite a time last night watching a rat in your window," said Vic as the old pawnbroker quaffed off his beer.

"Rat in my window? What's that?"

"A number of us were sitting in front of the St. James Hotel about 8 o'clock Sunday evening. The electric light was burning brightly in the window, when along came a woman, and, stopping a moment, looked in and shrieked: "A rat!" We all rushed over, and, sure enough, there was a big gray fellow, about a foot long, skipping around among the diamonds and the breastpins, smelling of the silver spoons, and listening to the ticks of the clocks."

Braham took off his hat and flung it on the counter. "I wonder," he said, then started out.

"What's up?"

"Why, I've lost a diamond stud out of that window."

Hill, who used to work for Pinkerton, said: "Why, the rat has swollered it. Catch the rat and you'll get the stone."

"Nonsense! What do you know about rats and diamonds?" and Braham rushed out; but he acted on Hills advice fixed up some poison in an attractive manner for a rat, and at 4 o'clock out comes the rat, hunting for water, weak and sickly looking. Young Braham rushed up and kicked him with his foot. The rat was cut open, and safe and sound in its stomach was found the stud, as good as new.

"Got in Himmel!" shouted old man Braham. "I'll set 'em up." And now all the guests of the St. James and people around Vic Hill's talk about is rats and diamonds.

Police Court.

W. J. Ferguson a protectionist was allowed to go.

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Telegraphic Flashes.

The agent of the St. Petersburg slav charitable committee has been arrested at Sofia.

Cardinal Manning has written a letter of sympathy, and expressed his admiration for the late Mr. Biggar.

Dr. Montague, Conservative, was elected to the commons for Haldimand yesterday by about 100 majority.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt will contest the seat of the Marquis of Hartington at the general election.

No hope is entertained for the recovery of Herr Lutlz the Bavarian premier. He is sinking fast under Bright's disease.

Bids will be opened to-morrow, at the treasury department in Washington, for a 20 years' privilege of catching seals in Alaska.

The Minister of Education in France has ordered that all references to the reign of Henry IV be omitted in the history books.

A thousands Socialists from Eupeu crossed the Belgian frontier to hold a meeting yesterday, but were expelled by the Belgian police.

The rebellion in Morocco has assumed alarming proportions. Royal troops are beseiged in Wassan which they occupied after being defeated.

Crazed by his heavy losses in mining deals in Nova Scotia, John Haney, an old and wealthy resident of Duluth, Minn., yesterday suicided by swallowing carbolic acid.

Negro incendiaries at Rocky Mount, N. C., have sent a notice to prominent citizens there informing them that if the Rocky Mount Light Infantry are ordered out, the negroes will kill them all if they have to shoot them fr m ambush.

The grand jury at New York yesterday handed in indictments against George H. Peel, James A. Simmons and Ex-president Wallich of the Lenox Hill Bank jointly charging them with conspiracy in violating the state banking laws.

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THE GAZETTE'S ALMANAC.

FEBRUARY.—During this month the day lengthens 1 hour and 23 minutes; 43 minutes in the morning and 40 minutes in the evening.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon, 4th	8h. 49m. 16s. p. m.
Last quarter, 12th	2h. 21m. 48s. p. m.
New Moon, 19th	6h. 3m. 28s. a. m.
First quarter	9h. 42m. 10s. a. m.

Date.	Day of Week.	Sun Rises.	Sun Sets	High Water a.m.	High Water p.m.
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
17	Mon.	7 06	5 24	9 58	10.25
18	Tues.	7 04	5 26		
19	Wed.	7 01	5 27	11 30	11 49
20	Thurs.	6 59	5 29		0 7
21	Fri	6 58	5 31	0 25	0 42
22	Sat.	6 56	5 32	0 58	1 16
23	Sun.	6 54	5 34	1 35	1 54

JOURNAL OF SHIPPING

Port of St. John.

ARRIVED. Feb 21.

Stmr Cumberland, 1188, Thompson, Boston via Eastport, mdse and pass C E Laechler.
Bark Oliver Emery, 623, Swatridge, Dublin bal O Emery & Co.

CLEARED. Feb 21.

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British Ports.

ARRIVED.

Fleetwood, 17th inst, bark Venezuela, Utley, from St John.
London, 18th inst, bark James Stafford, Scott, from New York.
Waterford, 17th inst, bark Harmonie, Andersen from Halifax for Holyhead.

Foreign Ports.

ARRIVED.

Boston, 19th inst, schr Victory, Heisler from Georgetown, P E I.
Buenos Ayres, 7th ult, bark I W Oliver, Delap, from Cadiz; 10th ult, bark Montreal, Dexter, from Boston; Zulu from New York for Rosario.
Montevideo, 14th inst, bark Mark Twain, Melvin from New York.

CLEARED.

Ensenada, 4th ult, bark Vidfaern, Naess, for St John; 7th ult, bark Chieftain, Fulton for Montevideo.
New York, 19th inst, bark Mary A Troop, Landry for Shanghai.

SAILED.

Havana, 14th inst, bark John Hickman, Bishop, for Pensacola.
Matanzas, 13th inst, brg E W Gale, Cameron for New York.

Spoken.

Feb 18, 40 miles off Cape Henlopen, ship Esther Roy, Dougall from Calcutta for New York.
Jan 1, lat 7 S lon 33 W bark Frank Stafford, Smith, from New York for Sydney NSW.

Memoranda.

In port Digby, 19th inst, schr Seraphine, Chute, from Bear River for West Indies.

Exports.

BOSTON. Stmr Cumberland, 3 bbls potatoes, 16 bbls dulse, 1 case, 1 bbl rabbits, 9 bbls slats, 27 pkgs removals, 2 bbls mangoes, 2 horses, 33 bbls pickled fish, 5 boxes, 1 case fresh fish, 1 case halibut, 50 bdls smoked fish, 5 hf bbls herring by C E Laechler.

SQUARE-RIGGED VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

SHIPS.

Geraldine, from Buenos Ayres, sld Dec 14
Sapphire, from Antwerp, sld Jan 3 passed Deal 12th.
Earl Burgess in port Buenos Ayres Nov 20th.
Munster, from Cardiff at Montevideo Feb 20.
Senator Weber from Cardiff via Montevideo Nov 12, spoken Nov 16, lat 46 N, lon 12 W.

BARQUES.

Oliver Emery, from Dublin, Nov 23rd.
Carrier Dove, at La Plata, in port Dec 12
Emil Strang, in port Montevideo Jan 3.
Herbert, in port Montevideo Dec 12.
Lizzie Wright, at Barbados Jan 28.
Algeria, from Buenos Ayres cld Jan23.
Lepreaux, from Buenos Ayres cld Jan23.
Arcturus from Buff at Jan 29.
Wm Gordon from Montevideo Jan 12.
Alumbagh, from