

Charlotte Street. For Christmas... have a full line of goods for working...

W. NICHOLS.

NEW YORK FIRE.

Our Lives Lost in a Pelham Street Blaze.

ork, Nov. 3.—Several lives in a fire which started about the second floor of the brick building at Pelham...

Dirchner jumped from a second window and died in hospital of a fractured skull...

arms were sent in, and a large number of engines...

caused terror in the thick neighborhood, and about of their houses into the multitude to escape the destruction of their homes...

It was believed that many in the ruins. The first body of unrecognizable mass of flesh and bones, was found in way of building No. 7 at nine...

lly later another body was found on the third floor. This body was barely recognizable, but was as that of Jacob Shapiro...

in still another charred form a stature was found. This was the remains of Isaac who was identified by his ob Person, of 342 Cherry...

FIRVILLE NEWS.

James McSorley—Senator in Improving Rapidly.

any friends to Senator Levin to hear that he is improving.

McSorley, and old and highly respected resident of Fairville, died Saturday, after an illness of three Mr. McSorley was engaged in and shoe business, and also a business in St. John...

TINNERS GO DOWN.

ork, Nov. 4.—The World to-day says: The United States company, known as the health yesterday shut down the tanneries under its control...

ax schooner Oscan, Lily, legwood a Port-au-Prince for New York at Hoguila, Bahamas, Oct. 23, and crew were taken on board the captain reports the cargo of Lily salvable...

U. S. ELECTIONS.

Massachusetts Still Adheres to Republican Principles.

Woman Suffrage Question Snowed Under in Nearly Every Town.

New York City Goes Democratic, But the State is Carried by the Republicans.

Boston, Nov. 5.—The political battle of 1895 in Massachusetts is over. The ballots have been counted and the result is as pleasing to the republicans and as disappointing to the democratic party...

London, Nov. 6.—The Post (conservative) will say in an editorial tomorrow of the election in the United States: The general result confirms the opinion that the reaction against the democrats, which was so conspicuous last November, is still in operation...

Gov. F. T. Greenhalge of Lowell, rep.; Lieut. Gov. Roger Wolcott of Boston, rep.; Sec. Wm. M. Olin of Boston, dem.; treasurer, Edw. P. Shaw of Newburyport, rep.; auditor, Jno. W. Kimball of Fitchburg, rep.; attorney general, Hesp. M. Knowlton of New Bedford, rep.; congress, 60th district, Wm. H. Moody of Haverhill, rep.; councilors, first district, N. F. Ryder of Middleboro, rep.; second district, B. S. Lovell of Weymouth, rep.; third district, F. H. Raymond of Somerville, rep.; fourth district, John H. Sullivan of Boston, dem.; fifth district, B. F. Southwick of Peabody, rep.; sixth district, John M. Harlow of Woburn, rep.; seventh district, Chas. E. Stevens of Ware, rep.; eighth district, Chas. A. Towne of Orange, rep.

Boston, Nov. 6.—The city of Boston gives Greenhalge 30,785; Williams, 32,287. The same precincts last year gave Greenhalge 30,951; Williams, 33,145, a gain of 755 for Greenhalge.

New York, Nov. 5.—The republicans have carried New York state above the Harlem for the head of the state ticket by a plurality clearly estimated at 100,000. The democrats have carried New York city by a plurality of 40,000 for the head of the state ticket, and have carried Brooklyn by 6,000, giving the state to the republicans by probably 54,000, showing a net republican gain over the election of two years ago of nearly 30,000.

Albany, N.Y., Nov. 5.—The state officers elected two years ago by the republicans have been re-elected, and the two branches of the legislature remain as before under the direction of the republicans.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 5.—Mayor Pingree is elected for his fourth term by upwards of 10,000 plurality over Goldwater, democrat. His majority is over 5,000 greater than two years ago.

Mississippi, North Carolina and Kentucky remain democratic, the latter by a close majority.

Boston, Nov. 6.—The most remarkable republican victories were in Maryland and Kentucky, where a democratic defeat has hitherto been unheard of. In Maryland, Lowdres, republican, is elected governor by 17,000 plurality. The forces led by United States Senator Gorman were completely routed, Gorman even failing to carry his own town of Laurel, where he has lived from his boyhood days. His defeat created great surprise in Washington circles.

The latest returns from New Jersey indicate the election of Griggs, republican, as governor by a majority of 25,000. This is a republican landslide, as the present governor is democratic.

The senate will be 13 republicans and three democrats. The assembly 42 republicans and 15 democrats.

Nebraska went republican by 25,000, and Drake, republican, has been elected governor of Iowa by over 80,000 plurality.

The republican plurality in Pennsylvania is 161,914 for Haywood for state treasurer, according to later returns.

Although returns from Ohio are still incomplete, the republican plurality for Bushnell for governor will exceed 100,000.

Virginia went democratic by a greatly reduced majority. McLaurin, democrat, was elected governor of Mississippi by 50,000 plurality.

In Massachusetts corrected unofficial returns tonight show that Governor Greenhalge, republican, has carried the state by 63,500 plurality. Moody, republican, has been elected to congress from the sixth Massachusetts district by 8,778 plurality. The entire republican ticket is elected by heavy pluralities. The senate will have 33 republicans and seven democrats, and the house 134 republicans and 55 democrats. The democrats make gains in both houses.

The majority against municipal suffrage for women was 76,891. The electors of Utah have adopted a state constitution by an overwhelming majority. Late returns indicate that a republican governor and ticket have been elected.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 6.—A special to the Evening Post from Harrisburg, Ky., says: Gen. Hardin, who is a brother's home in this city, concedes Bradley's election and returns received. He takes his defeat cheerfully and says he did his duty. It is probable that he will open a law office in Louisville, Frankfort or Lexington.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

By the Women's Christian Temperance Union of St. John.

Trust the people—the wise and the ignorant, the good and the bad—with the gravest questions, and in the end you educate the race.

The W. C. T. U. convention of St. John county will be held Tuesday, Nov. 19th, in the parlor on Canterbury street, St. John, at three o'clock sharp. A good programme has been prepared and a large attendance is desired. The ladies who promised papers for the convention that was to be held in August, but which it was thought desirable to postpone, will read them at this meeting without further invitation from the county superintendent. There will be a public meeting in the evening, for which the visiting members are invited to remain.

Today (Friday, Nov. 8th) is the day set apart by the St. John W. C. T. U. as Yountman's Band crusade day, as the one suggested in the crusade letter sent out by the president, Albert B. Yountman, secretary of the N. B. U. unions was not convenient. We hope soon to hear that those who undertook the work of securing signatures to the pledge cards have been most successful. It is a good idea to have our badge all ready to pin on, as the donning the ribbon not only causes the new member to understand that she belongs to the White Ribbon army, but affords the crusader opportunity for speaking of the importance of always wearing the white ribbon. As it will be impossible for the county superintendent to visit today, she with a Yountman's band worker visited Silver Falls on Wednesday and secured the names of four ladies who are willing to become identified with the W. C. T. U. work, and we were encouraged to believe that more would follow. We also received from the Methodist minister on that circuit, and from a number of the ladies, a cordial invitation to cooperate with the W. C. T. U. in their work, and we were encouraged to go out and unite with them in a social temperance meeting. This we propose to do at an early date. We hope soon to have a large number of Yountman's band members, not only in Silver Falls, but in other neighboring districts, and that we may not only meet them at such gatherings as that spoken of above, but in our own W. C. T. U. local and convention meetings, where they will be entitled to all the privileges and honors of the organization. The afternoon is now so short that it was impossible to see every one desired on Wednesday. We shall hope for success at our evening meetings. The pledge cards read as follows:

YOUNTMAN'S W. C. T. U. BAND. Motto—"If God be for us who can be against us."

I HEREBY Promise, God helping me, to abstain from all distilled, fermented and malt liquors, including beer, wine and cider as a beverage, and to abstain from the use of tobacco to discourage the use of and traffic in the same.

Each member shall pay an annual fee of twenty cents to the County Superintendent for the benefit of the general treasury.

Each member shall wear the White Ribbon, and pray daily, at noon, if possible, for God's blessing on her and on others.

Wait on thy God continually.

In spite of the enthusiastic press notices which were received by the W. C. T. U. of St. John concerning Mr. Hector, the society hesitated some time before deciding to engage his services for five addresses, as the expenses for so long a time would be large. We are glad to announce that the lectures were a success in every way. They certainly were successful financially, and we cannot but believe that the truths he uttered may reach the hearts of many and be productive of good. The proceeds were as follows:

Georgetown street church, Sunday morning, 4:00 to 5:00, \$5.00; Institute, Sunday afternoon, 4:00 to 5:00, \$7.89; Institute, Monday evening, 7:00 to 8:00, \$4.14; Institute, Tuesday evening, 7:00 to 8:00, \$7.87; Institute, Wednesday evening, 7:00 to 8:00, \$4.78.

Total, \$32.68. After paying expenses the balance, \$170, is to be devoted to the Little Girls' home on Brussels street. We take this opportunity of thanking the ladies and gentlemen who by occupying the chair, by their presence on the platform, and the announcements of our meetings so kindly aided us. We are also indebted to the press for local and excellent reports of our meetings, and to the various churches, the German street, Centenary and Carmarthen street churches.

The eighteenth annual convention of Ontario, which met in Hamilton last week, was attended by about 200 delegates. The officers elected were: President, Mrs. May R. Thornley, London; Vice-president, Mrs. Annie O. Ruthford, Toronto; Corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mary Wiley, Richmond Hill; Recording secretary, Miss Ella Cosford, London; Treasurer, Miss Jennie MacArthur, Toronto.

In order to give the readers of this column, who have not seen it elsewhere, some idea of the work accomplished by our sister province, I take the following from the voluminous report presented by the corresponding secretary: Two hundred and two unions had reported, having 4,801 active members and 828 honorary members. There have been 230 new members since the last year. There are 88 bands of Hope, and the enrollment of children connected with this organization is 1,100. The amount of money received during the year was \$14,325.76. The amount of money distributed during the year was \$10,519.19. The amount of money on hand at the end of the year was \$3,806.57.

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THE CANADIAN WEST.

The Trial of Engineer Farr, Who is Charged With Arson and Murder.

Winnipeg Clearing House Returns—Trouble in the 90th Battalion.

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 7.—The assizes court today was again occupied with the case of the engineer, William Farr, charged with attempted arson and murder. The line of the defence seems to be that Miss Robinson, to whom Farr had engaged himself, was the guilty party of attempting to burn up Farr's wife and family.

The returns of the Winnipeg clearing house for the week ending today show the heaviest work since the establishment of the clearing house here, there being an increase of \$700,000 for the six days as compared with the same period last year. The figures this week were, clearances, \$2,351,555; balances, \$624,559.

There is trouble in the 90th Battalion here. The men have never received their pay for money, but it has been retained by the officers for a regimental fund. The men claim that they cannot get an accounting and demand an investigation. The officers say they investigate.

Mr. Richardson, editor of the Tribune, against Mr. Beaton, a well known local journalist, who attacked him in an article headed, "A Manufacturer of News," was thrown into the gaol Saturday evening by the grand jury. The Nor'Wester, in which the alleged libellous article had been published, had made an apology, and this, it is said, the grand jury considered sufficient, where the grand jury brought in no bill, however, there was considerable surprise.

Rapid City, Nov. 7.—E. Gardner's hardware store was completely destroyed by fire tonight. The second story of the building was occupied by the Salvation Army and county court clerk. All county court records destroyed. The building was owned by J. M. Hall. The building and stock were insured.

HOLMES' PARENTS. Are Told of the Fate That Awaits Their Son in Philadelphia.

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SUICIDE AT SEA.

A Sailor on the Bark Nellie Troop Wrearies of a Long Voyage.

Two Hundred and Nine Days From Manila—Spent a Whole Month in Doubling the Cape of Good Hope.

New York, Nov. 5.—A remarkable passage like that of the St. John bark Nellie Troop is seldom chronicled in marine lore. Just 209 days ago today the vessel left Manila, the Philipine Islands, with a cargo of hemp and sugar, consigned to Rall Bros. of this city. Her agents, J. W. Parker & Co., of Beaver and Broad streets, reported the vessel several weeks ago to be making a long passage. She came to port today with a crew as disgusted with seafaring as any of recent years. Captain Young is the commander of the vessel, and he had his wife and two children with him on the trip. Good luck attended the efforts of the bark at the beginning of the passage, and it was not until the cape of Good Hope showed ahead that trials and tribulations assailed the sailor.

First it was a calm, in which the bark lay for five days like an iceberg calmed on a motionless sea of green; then it was a snow storm, which filled the deck with myriads of flakes and ice, and finally the climax arrived, when a hurricane, fierce as it was long in duration, swept out from the east and drove the craft back seaward inch by inch. There was no use trying to breast this hurricane, Master Young said, and at times the vessel was under bare poles to escape its violence. In all thirty days were wasted before the wind jammer finally succeeded in doubling the cape.

In the height of the storm one of the sailors, James O'Brien by name, attempted suicide. He had no reason to take his life, unless it was that he preferred dying any other way than, as he supposed, through shipwreck. On June 18, on a call for all hands, O'Brien was found lying in his bunk with his throat cut. He was still alive, and several of his shipmates succeeded in sewing up his wound, but he had lost so much blood that he died a week later. O'Brien was 28 years old and a native of Hobart Town, Tasmania.

The Norwegian bark Norda also came to port today after a hard passage. She left Cochin, China, 163 days ago. She was thirty-nine days trying to round the Cape of Good Hope. She and the Nellie Troop encountered a hurricane finale in the gulf stream of the week ago, and both are slightly damaged in consequence.

THE VICTORIOUS. Launch of the Latest Addition to the British Navy.

London, Oct. 21.—Accustomed as are inhabitants of the old town of Chatham to ceremonials appertaining to the floating of warships, the extraordinary and unanimous interest manifested by the multitude on the morning of Saturday last, preparatory to the launching of the latest addition to her majesty's fleet, was sufficiently marked to have inspired any stranger within their ancient gates with the belief that some unusual event was about to occur. The bustle, the excitement, and the enthusiasm were such, indeed, that wanderers from afar might well have imagined that the good folk in their miles of fresh fallen snow on steep hills and precipitous paths, a correspondent drove to the early home of E. H. Holmes, the convicted murderer, to give to his anxious family as tenderly as possible the news of the trial of his son in Philadelphia.

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SPORTING MATTERS.

Jake Gaudaur is Still the Single Scull Champion of the World.

The English Four Oared Crew Proves Too Much for the Americans.

CURLING. The Thistles Opening Meeting.

The Thistle curling club held the opening meeting of the season at their club room on the 7th. A large number of the members turned out and are looking forward to a very successful season. The formation of a new curling club with a membership of thirty-five was reported from Sackville. The new organization will start in with a number of old curlers formerly of Chatham, Fredericton and other clubs, the secretary being Mr. Harrison, an old member of the Thistles. It is almost a certainty that a club will be formed at Amherst. After the meeting, on the invitation of the president, W. W. Molanbush, the members met at Lang's, where a couple of hours were pleasantly spent.

Annual Meeting of the Fredericton Club. Fredericton, Nov. 7.—The annual meeting of the Fredericton Curling club was held last evening and the following officers elected: President, C. H. Allen; first vice, T. G. Loggie; second vice, A. F. Randolph; chaplain, Rev. Willard McDonald; secy., B. C. Foster; treasurer, T. G. Loggie. Committee of management, J. S. Campbell, E. S. Barker, J. H. Hawthorne, H. C. Rutter. The club decided to have skating in the rink this season as usual.

Fred Waterson, the well known and popular St. Stephen druggist, has purchased from W. F. Todd the stallion Elation by Electioneer.

It is said that George W. Leavitt has purchased the greatest horse Laramie for Henry F. Todd of St. Stephen.

AQUATIC. Jake Gaudaur Champion of the World. Austin, Texas, Nov. 7.—Jake Gaudaur of Canada is still champion of the aquatic world. The contest was over a mile and a half course, and the trophies were the championship Rich and F. Fox challenge cup and a purse of \$1,000. The starters were: Bubar and Haines of England; Jake Gaudaur and Ras Rogers of America. Before the quarter flags were reached on the course, Haines quit the race and the boat was abandoned. The Englishmen dropped out, saving themselves for the great four-oared race, which followed. The four-oared race was over a mile and a half course with a turn, three miles in all, for the championship of the world and a purse of \$1,200. The starters were: Bubar, Barry, Haines and Wingate for England, and Teemer, Rogers, Charley Gaudaur and Jake Gaudaur for America.

As the two crews lined up, the excitement was intense. Betting has been running on these two teams for the past week until upwards of \$10,000 was in the pool-sellers' hands.

The English crew gained the lead in the first ten lengths and kept it on up the course by about three lengths, though the American crew closed the gap somewhat near the mile and a half flag. The English team turned first and on the return course at the three-quarter mark they were leading by five boat lengths. The Americans spurred at the half flag for about five lengths, when they gave out. From there to the finish the English crew had three lengths lead and the two boats passed over the line in that position. Time of race, 17 20 1-2. The winning of the race by the English crew accords them all the important laurels at this regatta. This concluded the regatta.

THE WHEEL. Louisville, Nov. 8.—John S. Johnson at Fountain Ferry today made a trial against the standing start record one mile world's record and lowered it to 1.50 1-5.