

The Week.

HOME NEWS.

A superior quality of freestone has been discovered on the lands of Forman Hatfield, at Corbury, Yarmouth.

One day last week P. E. Island sent to Halifax 5,800 bushels potatoes, 700 bush oats and 593 bushels turnips.

The new steam flour mill at Granville Ferry is so rushed with orders, that it is necessary to keep running all night.

Three thousand two hundred and fifty barrels of Nova Scotia apples were landed at St. John during the past week.

The Dominion Government is about to build a telegraph line from Sydney Mines to Cape North, touching at Lloyd's Cove and Englishtown.

Fifty-six car loads of sugar were shipped from Halifax over the Inter-colonial last week.

Montreal, Oct. 30.—There were 21,520 bbls. of apples shipped from this port for the week ending Oct. 30th, as against 15,487 the week previous.

The Customs receipts at the port of St. John in October were \$94,515 97, against \$67,631 41 for the same month last year—an increase of \$26,884 56.

Valuable iron ore, free from sulphur, in large quantities, has been discovered on the north side of East Bay, C. B. The mine was recently visited by Manager Jammo, of the Londonderry works.

Immense quantities of potatoes are being shipped from New Brunswick to the United States by every available route. Two hundred and eighty-seven car loads of potatoes were shipped from various points via N. B. and C. E. R. during the first three weeks in October.

The value of goods imported into Canada, exclusive of British Columbia, during September, was: Total dutiable goods, \$6,339,121; coin and bullion (except United States silver coin), \$105,377; free goods all other, \$1,779,724. Grand total entered for consumption, \$8,244,122; duty collected thereon \$1,675,020.17.

Col. Laurie inspected the Yarmouth Artillery Battery on Wednesday, when the Battery was put through company drill, manual and firing exercises, afterwards proceeding to Garrison gun practice, thirty-two pounder smooth bore, at a range of 1,500 yards. The men were highly complimented by the D. A. G. on their appearance and steadiness in the ranks.

In concluding a five column report of the Yarmouth Exhibition, the Herald says: The Exhibition just closed has been far in advance of any previous exhibition. To give an idea of the steady improvement in statistics, we need only compare the present total figures with those of last year:

Table with 3 columns: Item, 1879, 1880. Rows include Membership of Society, Whole number of Entries, Whole number of Premiums, Whole amount of Premiums, Whole No. of Tickets sold.

The Moncton Times announces that Mr. Luther B. Archibald, General Storekeeper of the Intercolonial, has been appointed Chief Superintendent of the Prince Edward Island Railway. Mr. T. V. Cooke, of the Audit Office, succeeds Mr. Archibald as Storekeeper. It is said that the Assistant Auditorship, vacated by Mr. Cooke, was offered to Mr. Pick, Chief Clerk in the Freight Office, and declined. Mr. McNab, late Superintendent of the Inland Road, will probably be appointed to a position on the Canada Pacific.

The St. John News says: "No item of commerce in the Maritime Provinces is rising to prominence more rapidly than the apple trade. The apples of Nova Scotia has ever held a high place in public esteem, but though the fruits of the neighboring province are justly more celebrated than our own, we may still hope that with growing years wisdom will come to our farmers, leading them to devote more attention than heretofore to a branch of trade which promises such good results. The apples now grown in the province show a marked improvement in flavor over the best apples of ten years ago.

That the Nova Scotia coal miners are gradually pressing their coal into the markets of old Canada is a fact of considerable importance. The latest evidence of their success in this direction is furnished by the Belleville Gas Company who have purchased their

coal this year at Cape Breton. It came here by vessel, and from this point westward by rail. We understand that the Company find the coal superior to the American article which they have been using in the past. There is no better way of consolidating confederation than by the promotion of this inter-colonial trade, and the growing conviction in one part of the Dominion of the value of the resources possessed by other parts.—Montreal Gazette.

The Mail says it has learned that at the solicitation of the Governor-General who has taken great personal interest in the matter, the British Government have placed a war ship at the disposal of the Canadian Government, free of all expenses, to be used for such purposes in regard to the education and training of sailors as may be determined on. What step has been taken by the Government has not yet transpired, but doubtless the offer will not be refused.

St. John is determined to profit by the National Policy, whatever Halifax may do, and is going into new enterprises with a pluck that would do credit to genuine Yankees. The contract has been let for the erection of a large building for the manufacture of nuts and bolts. "Factories of this description," says the Sun, "will be the salvation of our city, and all who can should lend them a helping hand. It is especially incumbent on friends of the National Policy to prove their faith by their works. The Bolt and Nut Company's enterprise is one of the most promising in which our citizens can invest. Mr. Young has already a large number of orders in hand and has been obliged, for want of facilities in his present establishment to refuse good paying orders which were thrust upon him."—Herald.

In a leading article, the Digby Courier says: "It is to the building of steamships that Nova Scotians must in future turn their attention if they wish to maintain their prestige on the seas. But if, as we believe, the time is past when money invested in ships would yield a profitable return, it is important that capitalists turn their attention to industries that are more in consonance with the present growth and development of the country, and the exigencies of the times. Nova Scotia is evidently destined to be as distinguished in the future for her manufacture as she has been in the past for her merchant marine. Hundreds of streams glide through our forests that, if properly utilized, may become sources of wealth, and only await the introduction of a little energy and capital."

"F. Larkins, of Tignish, has canned about 40,000 pounds lobsters and 12,000 pounds of mackerel this season." "Bell and Agnew, of Alberton, are making arrangements to do a much larger meat packing business than ever before." "W. H. Belyea, of Miumingash, has carried on a more extensive business than ever before. He has put something over 1,500 cases of lobsters." "C. H. Caruthers, of Mill River, is adding a large saw mill to his already well equipped mills." "J. H. Myrick has the most extensive country stores and fish stables to be found in the western end of the Island. It is said that he will handle over 20,000 barrels of mackerel, and an immense quantity of cod and hake, taken this season."—Summerside, P.E.I. Journal.

NEWS FROM ABROAD.

Berlin, Oct. 31. Several storms and floods are reported throughout Germany. Copenhagen, Oct. 30.—100 vessels of different sizes were destroyed by the late storm.

Berlin, Oct. 30.—The Senate of Hamburg has declared the city in a state of siege.

Cape Town, Oct. 30.—It is reported that four Missionaries have been murdered by the natives.

London, Nov. 1.—A despatch from Teheran says Urumiah has been received. The Kurds retired without fighting.

London, Nov. 1.—News has been received from Cabul down to early last week. At the date of the despatch all was satisfactory.

A New Yorker is named Stealing, and he hates the name; but he took the curse off of it for his daughter by making her Christian name "Worth."

When Miss Florence Roberts was married to Wm. Converse Skinner, at Hartford, Conn., the other day, she received a \$100,000 cheque from her father.

Badula, Oct. 30.—The Porte has begun to build 400 houses near Scutari for the inhabitants of Dulcigno who may prefer to leave that place after the cession.

Castel Nuovo, Oct. 30.—Seven thousand Montenegrins are preparing to camp near Antivari by Monday night, and an attack on Dulcigno is considered possible.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 30.—Fighting continues along the Russian lines on the Turkoman steppes. General Skoboleff proposes to declare a state of siege in the trans Caspian region.

Athens, Oct. 31.—Greece will shortly float a loan of 150,000,000 drachmas M. Comodoros has determined to continue the military preparations until 80,000 men are under arms.

Paris, Oct. 29.—There have been seven hours of continuous rain in the city of Reggio Di Calabria, Italy. Seventeen persons were killed in two neighboring villages by their cottages being swept away.

Later advices from Cape Town state that the capture of the village of Lero dethoda has made no impression on the Basutos. The agitation is general throughout Kaffirland, and only the Fongos and Boers are trustworthy. All of the stations are threatened.

Berlin, Oct. 29.—The North German Gazette protests against the increase of the British Mediterranean fleet to eighteen vessels, as an assertion of unfair ascendancy strongy at variance with England's previous record and assurance.

The well-known American ship "Three Brothers," formerly the steamship "Van derbilt," and one of the largest merchant vessels afloat, has been sold to merchants in Liverpool for £8,000, and she will hereafter sail under the British flag.

London, Oct. 30.—The scullers, Haulan, Hosmer, Warren Smith and Laycock went over nearly the whole course to-day. Wallace Ross and Jas. Riley were also out on the river for practice. The weather is very fine but it has turned cold.

Miss Florence M. Baker, (daughter of Hon. L. E. Baker.) who has for the past two years been a student at the Ladies' College, Cheltenham, England, recently passed the Senior Local Oxford examination, and has in consequence obtained the degree of Associate of Arts.

Constantinople, Oct. 31.—Count Latzfeld, the German Ambassador, and the whole of the German staff, dined with the Sultan to-day.—The Ferdjman Likhik newspaper has been suspended for attacking Mr. Goschen, the British Ambassador.

White marble statues of Queen Victoria and the Prince of Wales are being fashioned for the proposed Temple Bar memorial. The whole cost of which will be \$50,000. The memorable is designed to stand in the centre of the high way on the site of Temple Bar.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—During the great storm, October 16th, on the lakes, upwards of \$500,000 damage was done to vessels and cargoes, and ninety-three persons perished. There were seventeen total wrecks, involving a loss of \$153,900; and in all sixty-six vessels were damaged to a greater or less extent.

Belfast, Oct. 29.—An enormous and enthusiastic meeting of Orangemen was held to night. Resolutions were passed condemning the lawless utterance and deeds of the Land League, urging the necessity of repressive measures, and assuring the royalists of the south and west of their active support. Lord Arthur Hill presided at the meeting.

London, Oct. 29.—The rumour that Col. Clarke has had a fight with the native insurgents at Natal, has been confirmed by the gratifying intelligence that the forces under his command had won a decisive victory after a contest of two hours. After considerable skirmishing during which both flanks of Colonel Clark's command were threatened, a desperate charge was made, when the provincial troops carried everything before them.

CURED OF DRINKING.

"A young friend of mine was cured of an insatiable thirst for liquor, that had so prostrated his system that he was unable to do any business. He was entirely cured by the use of Hop Bitters. It allayed all that burning thirst, took away the appetite for liquor, made his nerves steady, and he has remained a sober and steady man for more than two years, and has no desire to return to his cups, and I know of a number of others that have been cured of drinking by it."—From a leading R. B. Official, Chicago, Ill.

HENRY MARTIN once said: "If I ever see a Hindoo converted to Jesus Christ I shall see something more nearly approaching the resumption of a dead body than any thing I have ever yet seen." To-day there are 500,000 native Christians in India. The rate of growth has been, in 1853, 128,000; 1863, 213,009; 1873, 318,000; 1878, 500,000. The entire number of conversions in 1878, 60,000.

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