

We are informed that the operations of potato digging were attended to by some persons in Dartmouth last week.

The Summerside (P. E. I.) Journal publishes the following telegram from the operator at Alberton, dated January 5: "A man at Lot 5 yesterday sapped ten maple trees, and got two pulls of sap from them. A woman at the Brae also made one pound of maple sugar from trees sapped this year. Spring is on us (!)"

It is a matter of much speculation, whether or not the Winters are changing and becoming more mild. Some suppose that the late earthquakes, had some effect on the bed of the ocean and changed the current of the Gulf Stream.

A CANARD.—We have it from the best authority that there is no foundation whatever, to the report of the Recorder in reference to the pork disease, called the trichina spiralis prevailing in Wolfville.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Municipality of Moscow has been deliberating on the establishment of the greatest possible number of Sunday-schools for the working classes of that city.

The Paris Reforme is informed, it says, that Signor Mazzini has left London during the last few days, and that he is now travelling in Germany.

Sir Samuel Baker (his wife accompanying him) left Cairo on Thursday for Suez en route for Sanouini. From Sanouini the expedition crosses the Desert to meet the engineering department at Berber, where transports are waiting to convey the expedition to Khartoum.

We were pleased to see, not long since, in one of our exchanges, some pretty remarks addressed to several persons who, during an interesting lecture by Rev. John S. C. Abbott, kept up a continuous coughing, which prevented many from hearing.

The importance of giving Sheridan Cavalry Condition Powders to horses that have been out in a cold rain, stood in a cold wind, or drank too much cold water cannot be over estimated; no man should be without them if he owns a good horse.

Marriages.

Nov. 19th 1869, by Rev. A. W. Burr, Mr. Ezekiel Sibley, of Stewiacke to Miss Esther McLaughlan, of Cape Cans.

By the same, Nov. 30th, Mr. George Joseph Bars to Miss Caroline E. Kirby, all of Canso.

By the same, Dec. 22d, Mr. John C. Jamison, of Half-Way Cove, to Miss Martha Jane Ehier, of Crow Harbor.

By the same, Dec. 24th, Mr. Thomas Smith, of Canso, to Miss Catherine Ryder, of Philips Harbor.

At Cornwallis, Jan. 12th, by Rev. James Parker, Mr. Charles Rand, of Colorado Territory, to Miss Mary Eliza, daughter of Mr. William Forsyth.

Deaths.

On Thursday 11th inst., Ellen, beloved wife of Mr. Lawrence Doyle, of St. John's, N. F., in the 29th year of her age.

At Pugwash, on the 8th inst., Elizabeth Fitzsimons, second daughter of Thos. and Elizabeth Jennings, aged 11 years.

At Sackville, N. B., on the 13th inst., after a protracted illness, in the 41st year of his age, Wm. Green Johnston, M. D.; son of the late Dr. Lewis Johnston, of Wolfville.

On Thursday, John Dunn, in the 22nd year of his age, eldest son of Mary, and the late Patrick Dunn.

On the 11th inst., Ann, beloved wife of Dennis Carroll, aged 68 years.

On the 11th inst., Elizabeth, relict of the late Thomas Parker, aged 80 years.

On Jan. 19th, Mary Eliza Smithers, in the 28th year of her age.

On 11th inst., 32nd year of her age, Mary, only daughter of Angus and Margaret McPhos formerly of Pictou, N. S.

On the 11th inst., Margaret, the beloved wife of William McCarthy, in the 26th year of her age.

On the 12th inst., Sophia, wife of Dennis Farrell, and daughter of Richard and Catherine Norris, aged 24 years.

At Waterville, West Cornwallis on Sunday, 9th inst., of Bronchitis, Burgess, aged 22 years, second son of John Boies, Esq.

On 15th inst., Mrs. Anne Smyth, relict of the late George Smyth, in the 64th year of her age.

On Sunday 16th inst., Patrick Byrnes, in the 88th year of his age.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX

Arrived.

Tuesday, Jan. 11.—Brigs Mayflower, Nauffts, Boston—to Lawson, Harrington & Co; Elsie, Cody, St. John's, P R—to Danial Cronan; schrs Maria, Bladgon, Porto Rico—to John Cronan & G Irwin, Bouche, Boston; Gipsy—Bride, Watt, Sheet Harbor—to W Chisholm; Margaret, Bell, LaHave; Electric Flash, Volger, Port Jewday; Messenger, Young, Lunenburg—to Muir & Scott.

Wednesday, 12.—No arrivals. Thursday, 13.—R M S City of Boston, Delamotte, Liverpool—to J & R B Seston; R M S City of New York, Halerow, New York—to J & R B Seston; brig Firm Crowell, Port and; schrs, Trial, Bond, Ingram River—to J M Watson; Morning Light, Maskell, Sheet Harbor—to J M Watson; Foam-Henly, Spry Bay—to Young, Hart & Co; Leading Star, Publicover, Sheet Harbor; William, Myers, do; Neptune, Perry, do; John Gilpin, Keon, Sheet Harbor; Margaret, Brundage, Sheet Harbor; Clara-Hawes, Spry Bay—to Young, Hart & Co; Convoy, Hawes, do—to do.

Friday 14.—schr. Hiam, McDonald, Gowrie Mines—to Corbett & Richardson. Saturday, Jan. 15.—Steamer Chase, Mulligan Portland; schrs G-zelle—P E Island, E Morrison; Laura Ann, Connolly, Margaret's Bay.

Sunday, Jan 16.—schr Mary Alva, McEvoy, P E Island, master. Monday, 17.—Steamer Carlotta, Bennett, Portland—to Geo P Black; schrs Sarah Elizabeth, Daughney, Margaret's Bay; Robert Noble, Ormiston, North Sydney.

Cleared.

Tuesday, Jan. 11.—Steamer Carlotta, Colby, Portland; schrs Valiant, Crane, Jamaica; H V Crandall, Pitts, Portland; Margaret, Bell LaHave.

Wednesday, 12.—schr Elsie, Bounsi, Rosa Blanche, Nfld. Thursday, 13.—R M S City of Halifax, Jamieson, St. John's, N F; schrs Electric, Flash, Polger, Port Medway; Lion Westhaver, Mahone Bay; Rival, Smith, Liverpool, N. S.

Saturday, Jan. 15.—teamer Chase, Mulligan, Portland; briggs Mayflower, Nauffts, Boston; Elsie, Coady, Porto Rico; Coastline, McFarlane, Demerara; schrs, Maria, Bladgon, Porto Rico; Laura Ann, Connolly, Margaret's Bay, master.

Monday 17.—schr Heecor, Hackett, Havana; Laura Bel, Green, St Pierre, Mt, and Fortuna; Bay.

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Table with 4 columns: M, A.M., P.M., P.M. It lists stations such as St. John N. B., Annapolis, Falmouth, Kentville, and Halifax, along with departure and arrival times.

NOTE.—Steamer Empress runs on Wednesdays and Saturdays, on which days the through trains carry no live stock or way freight—On other days it runs to Annapolis at 1.30 and Stations to Kentville proportionably earlier; returning leave Kentville at 12.00 and arrive in Annapolis at 3.30. Kentville due 13th 1869.

Nova Scotia Railway. 1869-70. Winter Arrangement 1869-70.

On and after Monday, 6th December, 1869, Trains will run as follows:

Table with 4 columns: No., Destination, Time, Station. It lists train numbers and schedules for Halifax, Truro, and Windsor.

Nos. 4 and 7 will carry Freight to and from Windsor and all intermediate Stations on the Windsor Branch. Nos. 3, 7, 4 and 8, will connect with the "Windsor and Annapolis Railway" at Windsor upon the completion of that line.

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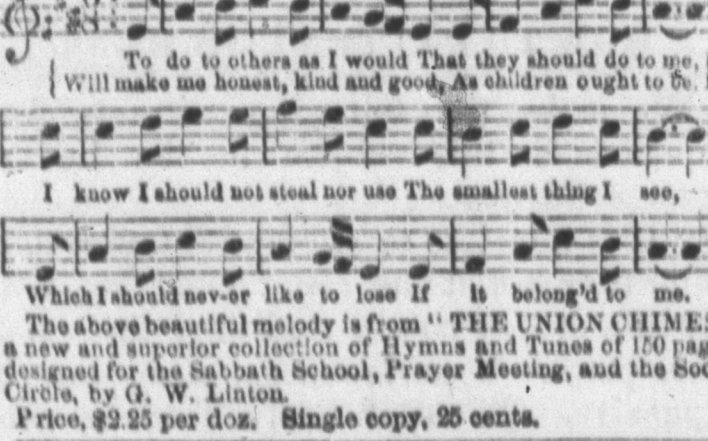
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