

The Hague Ministry have tendered their resignation because of the rejection by the second chamber of the States General of the Treaty of Commerce with France.

One hundred and eleven students, refugees from Russia, have started for New York.

It is expected the Premier of Egypt will resign. It is stated that several Consuls have telegraphed to their respective Governments to send ironclads to Alexandria.

Moors stoned the English Minister at the Court of Morocco on the street in the capital. The Sultan has imprisoned six hundred men in connection with the assault.

The Notables have unanimously refused to assemble, unless legally convened. When Arabi Bey heard their decision he exclaimed, "Then we shall have civil war."

At Berlin there was on Friday last a fire which consumed the Hall where the Hygienic Exhibition was to be held. It was to have opened yesterday.

An attempt was made on Saturday last in New York to hold a meeting in the Cooper Institute, for the purpose of condemning the murder of Lord Cavendish and Mr. Bruce.

At the opening address, said that as Irishmen they had assembled to express publicly their abhorrence of the crime, and to condemn the men who conceived it.

Near the close of the meeting the following amendment by Mayor Horgan was adopted:

"That while it may be deemed a matter of expediency to express regret for the slaying of Cavendish and Burke, we, the Irish exiles of New York, in mass meeting assembled, express our greater regret that England should still continue her old time practice of murdering our people in Ireland by buckshot, by bayonet and starvation, and it is deemed more becoming that we, the representatives of the Irish race in this great metropolis of America, should express our sympathy with Gladstone's murdered victims of eviction, than by paupering to the wishes of the Lord North of to-day, who are the worthy descendants of the butchers of the Wyoming and Cherry Valley massacres in our own fair land, and Drogheda and Wexford, the land of our birth."

There was a large fleet of vessels at anchor inside Sandy Hook, on Friday, awaiting the subsidence of a heavy Easterly storm.

A tobacco dealer of Illinois had some tobacco stolen from an exposed box, and mixed gunpowder with the remainder. The next smoker who stole a pipeful had one eye blown out when lighting it, and was awarded \$1000 damages by the Court against the tobaccoist.

Robert Donnellson, who was to jump from the East River bridge, on Thursday, went to the centre, looked down at the river and wisely backed out. Hundreds of people were disappointed.

A furious wind storm visited McAllister, a station in the Indian territory on Monday night. It demolished all the buildings of the coal mining company, killed eight people and wounded forty others.

The latest development of Ritualism is the pausing of the priest in the marriage ceremony to bless the ring before it is placed on the finger of the bride.

If you think it your duty to criticize the preacher unfavorably, let him be the first hearer. This is the honorable, Christ-like course.—Nashville Adv.

The year 1882 will be unique upon the calendar, beginning and ending with a Sunday, rich in the possession of fifty-three Lord's days—a Sabbatic year—priestly with a girle of sacredness, an enclosure entered and passed out by golden gates of spiritual rest and opportunity.—Christian Intelligencer

Pere Hyacinthe and his successor in the pulpit of Notre Dame, Pere Monabre, have had a falling out over a defence made by the latter of the dogma of Papal infallibility.

Home News.

Nova Scotia.

HASTINGS HOUSE continues under the proprietorship of Mr. Jas. A. Halliday. Persons coming to the city for a few days, or for a longer period, will here find a pleasant quiet home in the centre of the city, at very moderate rates.

SAD ACCIDENT.—A sad and fatal accident occurred at Isaac's Harbor, March 20. L. M. Weeks, aged 4 years, eldest son of Obed C. and Theodosia E. Giffin, was drowned in the river within a hundred yards of his parent's residence. It was a calm, sunny morning, and the snow being crusted, he took his sleigh to the field for a coast, expecting, as usual, to stop on the street. But this having been drifted the day before level with the field, the little fellow swept across it and down to an untimely death.

He is taken from the trials Of a world by sin oppressed, And now dwelleth with the angels In the mansions of the blest.

Then, oh then, with hearts desponding, Look not in the silent tomb! For your loved one's spirit liveth Where sweet flowers forever bloom.—Com.

NEW GRANGES.—Two Granges have been organized in the County of Westmorland, N. B., within the last fortnight: Cedar Grange, No. 854, at Scotch Settlement, near Moncton; John A. Duff, Master, Alex. McLean, Secretary. She diac Grange, No. 855; Rev. H. H. Barber, Master, E. G. Harshman, Secretary.

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.—Officers of Pleasant River Grange, No. 856, organized on the line between Queens and Lunenburg Counties, on 24th and 25th ult.: Master, S. Freeman Waterman; Overseer, Lyander Waterman; Secretary, S. S. Waterman; Treasurer, Philip Fancy; Lecturer, Joseph O. Fancy; Chaplain, Rev. Wm. Peacock; Steward, W. F. Morley; A. S., Maynard F. Colp; Gatekeeper, G. C. Colp; Ceres, Mrs. Joseph Fancy; Pomona, Hattie C. Harmon; Flora, Hattie L. Waterman; L. A. S., Mrs. S. F. Waterman.

A glass factory is to be started at Amherst with a capital of \$60,000.

A large addition is being made to the railway wharf at the deep water terminus by an addition of over 70 feet which will make it 150 feet wide at the head.

The non-arrival of the Allan steamer Peruvia has caused great consternation and no small anxiety. She was due ten or twelve days ago. She is said to have on board upwards of a thousand passengers. The mail steamers should come to Halifax, till the first of June, and so avoid the dangers of the ice.

There was a heavy snow-storm in the vicinity of the Londonderry mountains on Wednesday.

It is said there is still snow in the woods two feet deep.

Hay is in great demand in Cape Breton.

Mr. Hamilton, the ex-train despatcher of Truro, who was dismissed through the late fatal accident, has caused Mr. Harris, the reinstated station master at Windsor Junction, to be arrested on a charge of perjury, in having given false testimony under oath at the Coroner's inquest.

In the investigation Mr. J. W. Longley appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. B. F. Pearson for the defence.

An old lady, who lived at Sydney Mines, C. B., died at that place on 28th April, at the extreme age of 105 years.

Dr. W. B. DeMill, son of the late Prof. DeMill, the only graduate at the last term of the Medical College, has been appointed House Surgeon of the Provincial and City Hospital.

The valuable trotting horse Confidence, owned by A. L. Sipp, of Halifax, and a gentleman in Kentville, N. S., died very suddenly, from, it is thought, the effects of poison.

A sad accident occurred at the railway wharf on Wednesday last. A boy named Wm. Roast, 13 years old, was caught between the buffers of two cars and found quite dead. No one knew how the accident occurred.

A large quantity of ice, and a large number of icebergs are still off the coast of Cape Breton. The Albatross arrived here on Friday last. When off Cape Palm they counted sixty-three icebergs.

Charles Thomas, in a fit of delirium tremens committed suicide on Tuesday last.

A new patent process of preparing vegetables such as potatoes, turnips, carrots, &c., by reducing their bulk and weight to about one-eighth of their green condition by evaporation, is about to be introduced by Mr. S. G. Kerr, Esq., of Canning, Queen's Co.

In 1875 the consumption of horse flesh in Paris was 700 horses and 10 donkeys or mules; in 1880, 9,000 horses and 320 donkeys or mules; in 1881, 9,300 horses and 400 donkeys or mules. There are now 40 horse butcheries in Paris. Horse flesh is growing in favor as food.

They make short work of strikes in Spain. When the Madrid compositors struck lately, the President and Secretary of the trade union were thrown into jail, and all soldiers, sailors, and civil servants who could set type put at the service of the newspapers.

At a sale of old china in London lately \$262 was paid for an inkstand of the time of Louis XV., and \$360 for a black and gold lacquered candlestick.

From Newfoundland, we learn that on the 10th, the barkentine "Christabel" had been embedded in floe ice during sixty-three days. Forty three ships and barks and eight steamers caught in the ice in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, were visible from the highlands of Cape Ray. The Allan steamer Newfoundland, arrived last night from Halifax, Capt. Mylius reports 350 icebergs on his passage to St. John's. He anticipated dismal consequences to life and shipping property during the fog-laden months of June and July. It is now blowing a terrific gale from the south and there is a heavy Atlantic swell heaving before the storm. Four steamships arrived last night from the sealing grounds, all having poor luck.

Instantly is none too quick to relieve a fire was making. Johnson's Anodyne Liniment gives instant relief and is a sure cure. Half teaspoonful on sugar. Every family should keep it in the house.

The adulteration of condition powders has got to such a pitch that one can now buy a pound pack of dust and ashes for 25 cents. There is only one kind now known that is strictly pure, and that is Sheridan's Cavalry Powder.

P. E. Island.

The elections have resulted in a diminution of the majority for the Government. The following is a telegram from Charlottetown to the Chronicle last week:

The election returns are not all in, and the result will not be known until special votes are declared. As far as known the result is:

Table with columns: GOVERNMENT, OPPOSITION. Lists names of candidates and their respective counts.

Declaration day may change the position of parties in favor of the Liberals. The roads in the country are so bad that it is impossible to get complete details from all the districts.

New Brunswick.

Harmon Humphrey, of Westmorland Co., sold twenty head of fat cattle raised on his farm, a few days ago, at 5 1/2 cents per pound, live weight.

Some of the fish weirs on Deer Island have recently caught large quantities of herring. It is stated that in the weir owned by J. M. Lord, Wallace Stewart and others, the herring fished last week realized over \$1,000.

Mr. Lawlor, the successful contractor for the Legislative Buildings, the new wing of the Lunatic Asylum, etc., has obtained the contract for the building of the new Marine Hospital, and will commence operations at an early day.

Boston parties have been negotiating for the purchase of what is known as Hybernia Cove at Deer Island, for a summer resort. Hybernia is one of the favorite resorts for picnic and chowder parties during the summer season.

Mr. H. J. Bell has been in Richibucto the past few days making arrangements for the season's work in lobster canning. Since last September at his factory in St. John, Mr. Bell has canned for the home and foreign markets some 2,000 cases of beef, and 1,000 of mutton, and about 1,000 cases of tomatoes, poultry, apples, game, etc.

Grants for Public Works in New Brunswick:— St. John Post Office, additional amount required for lower, clock and furniture, \$2,300; St. John cattle quarantine, 3,000; Newcastle Post Office, Custom House, etc., (site and building), 4,000; Dorchester Post Office, 500; Carleton (St. John) Post Office, 6,000; Shippegan, 4,000; Madawaska River, 1,000; Miramichi River ballast wharves, 3,000; Wilson Beach, 5,000; Rochoy Bay Breakwater, 2,000; Courtney Bay, marking channel, 600; Tyneworth, or Ten Mile Creek Harbor, 1,500; Mail subsidies, 8,500; Light House and coast service, 10,000; Dominion lands chargeable to income, 10,000.

Mr. John J. Teed of Dorchester, has been awarded the contract to build the Academy at Sackville, for \$13,000.

Eighteen P. E. Island horses were shipped from St. John for Boston one day last week.

It is stated that Mr. J. J. Green, of St. Eleanor's, owns a cow that has given birth to five calves within the last year.

Twenty men are employed working in the manzanese mines, in a vein of 30 feet at St. Martin's.

Dominion of Canada.

In the House of Commons on Monday of last week, the Bill for Redistribution of the representation in Parliament, was under discussion. Several amendments were made and lost by 51 to 111, and 52 to 112. The Bill was afterwards carried.

Sir John Macdonald then laid on the table a message from His Excellency, containing a minute of Council respecting the divisions of the North-West into four Territories. He gave notice that he would draw the attention of the House to the matter on Wednesday.

On Friday Sir Charles Tupper moved that the House go into committee to consider the resolutions on the subject of a subsidy to the Chignecto Ship Railway Company. The Government proposed to pay on certain conditions a subsidy of \$150,000 a year for twenty years if the experiment proved successful.

Mr. Mackenzie said he would not oppose the resolutions.

The resolutions passed through committee, and a bill founded on them was introduced.

Sir Charles Tupper gave notice that he would on Monday move to authorize the Governor in Council to grant subsidies to various railway, which he named, amounting in all to \$1,508,000. \$12,000 was voted for the Charybdis training ship in St. John harbor.

It was stated that the House would be prorogued on Tuesday or Wednesday, this day.

It is also affirmed that the dissolution will be on Saturday.

Ships and steamers still continue to arrive with Chinese at Victoria, B. C. It is said that 21,000 in all are expected before August.

It is probable the Princess Louise, will arrive at Quebec from England on or about the 5th prox. Her Royal Highness, His Excellency and suite will spend the summer months in the Lower Provinces.

Miscellaneous.

NATIONALITIES OF THE DOMINION.—The following statement from the last Dominion census showing the nationality of the people of the Dominion, has been published. The totals are as follows:

Table listing nationalities and their counts: England and Wales, 169,504; Scotland, 115,062; Prince Edward Island, 101,047; Nova Scotia, 420,088; New Brunswick, 288,265; Quebec, 1,327,809; Ontario, 1,467,988; Manitoba, 19,590; British Columbia, 32,275; The Territories, 58,430; Newfoundland, 4,596; Channel Islands, 814; Other possessions, 2,733; France, 4,389; Germany, 25,328; Italy, 777; Russia and Poland, 6,376; Spain and Portugal, 215; Sweden and Denmark, 2,076; United States, 77,553; Other countries, 7,455; Atsea, 380; Not given, 6,334.

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Notices.

Table listing Convention Funds Received: Kings Co. Ministerial Conference, \$7 00; New Glasgow Church Instalment, 5 00; Portauquique and Upper Economy Church Instalment, 18 00; Bridgewater Church, 10 72; Granville Street Church, Halifax, 50 00; Digby Church for H. Missions, 5 00; Lockport Church Instalment, 92 34. Total \$188 06.

G. E. DAY, Yarmouth, May 13, 1882.

P. S.—It is earnestly hoped that the churches will forward their contributions as soon as possible. The Boards are anxious to know what will likely be their incomes from the Convention Fund.

The friend who sent in the extracts from missionary letters last week wishes us to say that they were from Mrs. Hutchinson not her husband. This will explain the remark respecting taking off and sewing on buttons.

An enquiry was sent us a week or two since respecting the Indian Harbor East Church as it does not now appear in the Year Book. The Secretary of the Association informs us that the name has been changed to "Port Hillford" which is the same church.

The Baptist Associations, 1882.

N. S. WESTERN, at Milton, Queens Co., June 18th.

N. S. CENTRAL, at Chester, Lunenburg Co., June 24th.

N. S. EASTERN, at Pugwash, July 8th.

N. B. SOUTHERN, at St. George, Charlotte Co., June 12th.

N. B. WESTERN, at Upper Gagetown, Queens Co., June 28th.

N. B. EASTERN, at Havelock, Kings Co., July 10th.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, at North River, July 2nd.

THE BAPTIST CONVENTION OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES will meet with the Leinster Street Church, St. John, N. B., on Saturday, August 19th.

N. S. WESTERN ASSOCIATION. Delegates and friends who contemplate attending the N. S. Western Association, to be held at Milton, Queen's Co., on the 17th June, are requested to send their names to the Secretary of the Committee of Arrangements on or before the first of June, and will please state whether they are coming with their own private teams or by other conveyance.

JOHN D. PARRISH, Sec. of Com. of Arrangements, Milton, Queen's Co., May, 1882.

N. S. CENTRAL BAPTIST ASSOCIATION. All persons who expect to attend the Central Association, to be held at Chester on the 24th June, are requested to send their names to the Committee of Arrangements as early as the 10th prox. Parties coming will please state whether they will come by their own conveyance or coach.

G. E. DEWITT, M. D., Sec'y, May 8th, 1882.

ACADIA COLLEGE. There will be a meeting of the Board of Governors in the College Library, on Monday, the 29th inst., at half past 7 o'clock, P. M.

STEPHEN W. DEBLOIS, Sec'y, Wolfville, May 6th, 1882.

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