

The Great Western Railway freight sheds and their contents at St. Nicholas were burned on Thursday night. The Dominion Parliament has been summoned to meet for the despatch of business on the 18th of March.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

The N. B. Legislature was opened on Thursday. His Honor the Lieutenant Governor noticed the general prosperity of the province in its agricultural and shipping interests, also the arrangement made with the Dominion Government for \$150,000 per annum, as an equivalent for the export duty on lumber.

UNITED STATES.

Important correspondence has passed between Generals Sherman and Sheridan, concerning the Indian difficulties. The latter wrote confirming recent outrages, and Sheridan authorized him to begin active operations against the Indians.

At a meeting of the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Philadelphia on the 9th inst., four surgeons were appointed to conduct an autopsy of the bodies of the Siamese Twins.

The contract with the family of the late twins provides that the examination be conducted only so far as to settle scientific mysteries. It forbids any unnecessary mutilation of the corpses. No photographs are to be given to the world.

Two men employed in a rolling mill in Allerton, Penn., were smothered to death while engaged at the bottom of a mill.

Frands are allged against the tax collector's office in Brooklyn of over half a million dollars.

Eight men were killed by falling of a brewery house in Philadelphia on Friday.

By the capizing of a pot of molten metal at the steel works of the Cambria Iron Company, in Johnston, Pa., sixteen men were seriously burned. One man died. Several had their clothing completely burned from their bodies.

The N. Y. Herald devotes a whole page to actual cases of destitution and suffering from involuntary poverty in that city, showing many heart-rending scenes.

The Army Appropriation Bill passed the Lower Branch of Congress on the 11th inst., after being cut down four and a half million dollars from the original estimate.

Edward S. Stokes says he has a comfortable berth as book-keeper in the hospital. He is very much altered. His hair, that was sparsely tinged with grey during the period of his incarceration in the Tombs, is now almost entirely white.

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congratulated Lis Constituents on the result of the election. He justified the policy of the Conservative party in introducing and carrying the Reform Law when it last held power.

Taylor's Pantechnion in Belgravia caught fire on Friday, the fire ravaged in the vicinity till midnight. Its progress was finally stayed by blowing up the walls. Two firemen were killed and several hurt. At least a hundred thousand persons were present. There was much confusion among the crowd and considerable violence.

The Italian barque "Puciniella," from New York for Bristol, sunk off the Irish coast on Wednesday. Twelve of the crew drowned.

The German bark "Hercules" has been wrecked, and eleven of her crew perished. The American schooner "Hart" from Liverpool for Tybee, is ashore off Ballycotton.

It is rumored that upon his retirement from the Ministry, Mr. Gladstone will be created a peer.

Latest returns show 346 Conservatives and 297 Liberal and Home Rulers. The Conservatives gain 68.

In Buckinghamshire, Mr. Disraeli and Sir R. Harvey were elected. The "Standard" believed the Government would resign on Monday or Tuesday.

GERMANY.—The recent storm on the Baltic Sea broke the dykes on the coast of Schleswig Holstein, flooding the country and causing immense damage, to property, and it is feared, much loss of life.

JAPAN.—Advices from Japan state that relations between the Government and Foreign Ministers are becoming more important. The Government still resists the plans for opening the country.

HOLLAND.—Rumors have been received to the effect that the Dutch troops have been defeated by the Acheens, who have captured several mitrailleuses.

SPAIN.—The investment of Bilbao, by the Carlist forces, still continues. General Morines is concentrating troops in Santander, and will advance to the relief.

The Intransigent refugees from Cartagena, who have not been convicted of crime, were released yesterday by the French authorities.

Contreras and Ferrez refused to accept their discharges. Contreras is writing an account of the siege of Cartagena which will soon be published.

The Diplomatic representatives of Spain at Brussels, Berlin and Lisbon have resigned. It is probable the form of Government in Spain will be decided by a plebiscite.

RUSSIA.—Emperor of Austria is safely with the Czar of Russia. A dinner was given on Saturday evening by the Czar to visitors. In his speech he said the Emperor of Germany, the Queen of England, the Emperor of Austria and himself would preserve the peace of the world.

The Prince of Wales, as representative of the Queen, bowed his thanks, and the Emperor Francis Joseph responded, reiterating the sentiments of the Czar.

Marriages.

November 27th, 1873, by Rev. P. F. Murray, Mr. Warren Marshall, to Miss Phebe Mesenger both of Wilmot.

December 21st, 1873, by the same, Mr. Silas Charlton, to Miss Lucinda Sabean, both of Port Williams.

January 1st, 1874, by the same, Mr. Silas Daniels, to Miss Emma Banks, both of Wilmot.

January 31st, by the same, Mr. Timothy R. Milberry, of Hampton, to Miss Clara Rhymard of Middleton.

On the 10th inst., by the Rev. P. G. McGregor, Mr. Isaac Davis, to Miss Charlotte Maria Andrews, both of Shubenacadie.

At the same time, by the same, Mr. James W. Faulkner, of Burncoat, Hants Co., to Miss Louisa Davis, of Shubenacadie.

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Deaths.

Washed overboard from the schooner "Alexander William," on the 18th of October, 1873 on the voyage from Bridgewater to Barbadoes when only two days out, Joseph Porter, aged 19, eldest son of Jacob and Caroline Porter, of Hartford, Vermont Co. A though he never made a public profession of Christ, yet early in life gave evidence of a change of heart and in his daily talk and conversation ever evinced the christian character. He was an honored member of Hartford Lodge I. O. G. T. and his early death has cast a gloom over the Temple. We deeply sympathize with his sorrowing parents, brother, and sisters, in this their hour of sorrow; but we feel that they should not mourn as those that have no hope but rather rejoice that he has been taken from a world of sorrow, to one of eternal joy. We desire to be able to say, as did Job, when in deep affliction, "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord."—Com. by J. P. N.

At Westport, on the 28th inst., Mr. Edward Morrill, aged 62 years. Deceased had been for many years a member of the Baptist Church here and we doubt not has made a happy exchange. He leaves a widow and four children to mourn the loss of a kind husband and parent.—Com.

At Dartmouth 10th inst., Harriet, wife of S. R. Caldwell, Esq., aged 55 years.

At the Poor's Asylum, on the 7th February, 1874, Saul Lusty, age 80 years.

On Monday, Hugh Kennedy, aged 86 years.

On Tuesday, 10th February, Mrs. Agnes Hamilton, in the 73rd year of her age.

On Thursday, 12th inst., Henry, son of the late Daniel Spike, of this city, in the 79th year of his age.

On Thursday, 12th inst., Robert A. Bigby, in the 67th year of his age.

On Friday, the 13th inst., Thomas Stephen Tobin, Esq., eldest son of the late Hon. Michael John Tobin, in the 69th year of his age.

At Urbania, Shubenacadie, Jan. 10th, 1874, Lucinda, wife of James Rose, aged 41 years, leaving a sorrowing husband and 2 children and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss.

At Chester Basin, on the 7th inst., Mrs. Barbara Greenlow, aged upwards of 90 years. Mrs. Greenlow professed religion in early life and belonged to the Chester Church when they believed in and practiced mixed communion, but she never received Scriptural baptism until the year 1863, when she united with the Baptist Church of which she remained a worthy member till called away by death.

At Chester, on Saturday, 14th inst., Amos Lovett, aged 87 years, long and favorably known as the proprietor of the "Chester House."

Shipping List.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, Feb. 10.—Schns. Alliance, Ritchie, Liverpool, N. S.; Ethel Jane, Fraser, Lower Prospect.

WEDNESDAY, 11th.—No arrivals.

THURSDAY, 12th.—Brigs. Ariel, Doane, Boston; Caroni, (Lockport), Stevens, St. Martin's bound to Lockport; schns. Annie May, Hopkins, Cienfuegos; Rival, Smith, Liverpool, N. S.; British Eagle, Keans, St. Margarets Bay.

FRIDAY, 13th.—S. S. Alhambra, Angrove, Portland; br. Edith, Miller, Cienfuegos; schr. Wellington, Maxner, Lunenburg.

SATURDAY, 14th.—Brigs. M. H. Morris, Paterson, Boston; Am. schr. Helen H. Dennis, (of Gloucester), Western Banks.

SUNDAY, 15th.—Steamer Alpha, Shaw, Bermuda and St. Thomas.

MONDAY, 16th.—No Arrivals.

CLEARED.

TUESDAY, Feb. 10.—Steamer Canadian, McKenzie, Liverpool, G. B.; schns. Ontario, McAuley, Port au Prince; Swither, Oxner, La-Have; Rosanand, Zwicker, do.

WEDNESDAY, 11th.—Brig. Sultan, Davis, Falmouth, G. B., for orders; schr. Frank Newton, Burns, Lunenburg.

THURSDAY, 12th.—Brigs. Teazer, McGregor, Jamaica; schns. C. C. Pettengill, (Am.) McLellan, Fortune Bay, Nfld.; C. H. Price (Am.), Demff, do.; Kate, McDonald, Burgeo, Nfld.; Quartette, Bollong, Little Glace Bay.

FRIDAY, 13th.—Bis. Delta, West, Jamaica; Kingston, Veale, Havana.

SATURDAY, 14th.—Steamer Alhambra, Angrove, Portland; brig. Caroni, Stephenson, Lockport.

MONDAY, 16th.—No Clearances.

PRIVATE BILLS.

Parties intending to make application to Parliament for Private Bills, either for granting exclusive privileges, or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, or for doing anything tending to affect the rights of property of other parties, are hereby notified that they are required by the Rules of the two Houses of Parliament, (which are published in full in the Canada Gazette) to give TWO MONTHS' NOTICE of the application (clearly and distinctly specifying its nature and object), in the Canada Gazette, and also, in a newspaper published in the County or Union of Counties affected, sending copies of the Papers containing the first and last of such notices to the Private Bill Office of each House.

All Petitions for Private Bills must be presented within the first three weeks of the session.

ROBERT LEMOINE, Clerk of the Senate. ALFRED PATRICK, Clerk of the House of Commons. Jan. 28.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

An order in Council having passed assimilating ("as near as may be") the Passenger and Freight Tariffs between HALIFAX AND WINDSOR, to the Passenger and Freight Tariffs now in force upon the other portions of the Intercolonial Railway.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the rates for Passengers and Freight hereafter to be charged between HALIFAX AND WINDSOR and Intermediary Stations, shall be the rates given in the Tariff of the Nova Scotia Railway.

LEWIS CARVELL, General Superintendent. Railway Office, Moncton, N. B. Jan. 28.

THE REMEDY FOR ASTHMA: TAYLOR'S "The Barrington Street Drugist," has just received a supply of PIPHAM'S ASTHMA SPECIFIC. It never fails to relieve the most obstinate paroxysm in from five to ten minutes! It possesses no offensive properties and may be used without nauseating the stomach; or doing injury to the most delicate constitution. It has stood the test and is pronounced most trustworthy. One Dollar per Packet, or sent by mail free to any address for One Dollar and Thirteen cents.—From The Edinburgh Cough Lozenges, Chiswell's Pectoral Balm, and Kilder's Galvanic Battery Depot, by "TAYLOR" himself. Dec. 17

Sure relief. KIDDER'S PASTILLES. Price 40c. ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, CROUP, &c. Sold by Messrs. Stewart & Co., Charlottetown, Mass. Jan. 28.

GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Sent by Mail to all parts of the DOMINION.

OUR Chromo "The Little Florists," a beautiful Parlor Picture, 17 x 22 inches, is sent free to all who favor us with orders to the amount of FIVE DOLLARS. Send for CATALOGUE, which we mail gratis to all who wish.

CHASE BROTHERS & BOWMAN, SEEDSMEN. Feb. 4. 2m. Oshawa, Ont.

CHEAP CARPETS.

THE whole of our large and varied Stock, from a rich set BRUSSELS & TAPES, to the cheapest UNION FELTS and HEMPS, will be offered for a short time at prices much below usual rates—REPPS AND DAMASKS in all the new styles at same reduction.

W. & C. SILVER. Feb. 4.

Magnificent NEW BIBLE SUCCESS.

One man just cleared \$90 in 4 days, selling the COMPLETE DOMESTIC BIBLE, just out. New type and taking features. 800 Engravings, Superior Paper, EXCELS every way and sells quickly. Big TERMS to Agents. OCTUPLE PRIZE. For full particulars address HUBBARD BROS., Paris, 53 Washington street, Bos on Feb. 4. 1 m.

Important to every man who keeps a Horse, Cow, Ox, Pig, Sheep or Poultry.

THE North British Cattle Food Company's NUTRITIOUS CONDIMENT FOR Horses and Cattle.

All the principal prize cattle at the Royal Agricultural Shows, held at the Agricultural Hall, Islington, London, Xmas, '68, '69, '70, and '71, were fed on the North British Cattle Food Co.'s Nutritious Condiment.

THE NUTRITIOUS CONDIMENT has been used by the leading breeders, proprietors of racing establishments, and feeders of cattle and horses in England and Scotland for ten years, with great success. The largest contractors, omnibus proprietors, horse car companies, and owners of horses in the principal cities of Europe, also used it with it. The success attending its introduction in Canada was greatly in excess of the most sanguine anticipations of the Company, inasmuch as the large cargo consigned to Montreal in October '72 which was considered to be sufficient to last one year, was exhausted in three months.

Six hundred of the leading Veterinary Surgeons, Horse Owners, Contractors, Farmers, Express Companies and Lumber Dealers of Canada testify to its utility as an economical, health giving food, for Horses and Cattle.

A Condiment is generally considered to be a savorer of feed. The Nutritious Condiment is, however, a great deal more than a savorer. Although it will season and render palatable any description of coarse provender, such as chaff, chopped hay, &c., it is in itself a rich nutritious food. This will be seen by the system of feeding, which, if adhered to will effect a saving of twenty per cent. in the cost of feeding, and the animals will be in a great deal better condition than when fed upon the old system.

The directions show that where the Condiment is used, one fourth of the oats used at each time of feeding are deducted, and the bulk is made up with chaff or chopped hay. One-fourth of a feed of oats costs more than four times as much as a measure of this Condiment, (quantity, one fill costs one cent.) then the cost of the chaff or chopped hay to make up the bulk is very trifling. Therefore it will be seen that the Nutritious Condiment besides possessing numerous advantages in point of health, is a cheaper method of feeding than the old system of plain oats.

The Condiment may be had at the Depot, 44 Bedford Row, Halifax, and of Sub-Agents throughout the Province.

Put up in strong Cotton Bags, 100 lbs., \$8.00; 50 lbs., \$4.25; 25 lbs., \$2.50; and 10 lbs., \$1.25. There is a Tin Measure, with full directions, in each Bag.

GEO. FRISER, Managing Agent. Dec. 10. 6m.

PREPARE FOR WINTER. THE largest and best assortment of STOVES in the Province is at RENT'S Stove & Kitchen Furnishing Depot, 29 & 31 BARRINGTON ST. Also, Coal Vases, Coal Hoops, Coal Shovels, Fine Irons, Fire Iron Stands, Spark Guards for Register Grates, Nursery Guards, Patent Sled Sifters, Fuel Economizers, Register Brushes, Carpet Sweepers, Dish Covers, Towel-rings, &c. Particular attention paid to Furnace Work and Fitting up Stoves, &c. Oct. 22.

EIDERDOWN, EIDERDOWN, AT 150 GRANVILLE STREET. Just opened per S.S. "Caspien."

EIDER-DOWN OBT QUILTS, EIDER-DOWN CRIB QUILTS, EIDER-DOWN QUILTS, middle and full sizes, EIDER-DOWN SKIRTS, EIDER-DOWN SILK VESTS, EIDER-DOWN LAMA VESTS.

WOOL GOODS, WOOL GOODS, IN LARGE VARIETY, THE BEST VALUE IN THE TRADE. SOUTH BROS. Dec. 10.

REV. MR. CARPENTER'S LECTURE.

I am now prepared to supply copies of the admirable lecture on

"THE GREAT COMMISSION," delivered by Rev. C. H. CARPENTER, of the Bureau Mission, at the Convention at Windsor, in August last.

It is published by the American Baptist Missionary Union, in the form of two tracts of 28 pages each, entitled respectively, "The Great Commission and its Fulfillment by the Preacher," AND "The Great Commission and its Fulfillment by the Church."

The price of each is FIVE CENTS, TEN for both. Everyone interested in Foreign Missions ought to have these pamphlets, and read them. They ought to be widely circulated in our Churches. Brethren send along your orders W. B. BOGGS, Sec'y. F. M. Board. Jan. 14.

DR. R. R. CUNNINGHAM, DENTIST, 40 GERMAIN ST., ST. JOHN, N.B.

Dentistry in all its branches. Artificial teeth mounted on fine Gold Plates. I keep a large assortment of teeth from the best manufacturers, in every variety of style. Vulcanite Plates made from the best English and American rubbers. My Laboratory is constantly supplied with the most expert workmen that can be procured, and with all modern contrivances in the way of tools, machinery, &c. None but perfect work allowed to leave the establishment.

Pain from Nova Scotia visiting St. John, can have artificial denture supplied with less detention than at any other office. Teeth filled with Pure Gold; also, with all the best composition fillings known.

Dr. R. R. Cunningham, 40 GERMAIN ST., St. John, N. B. March 12.

MRS. AINSLEY'S Arthranodyne Liniment.

This magical pain curer having been in use among private friends for a number of years is now offered to the public as a superlative remedy for RHEUMATIC PAINS, TOOTHACHE, NEURALGIA, SPRAINS, &c. Manufactured by Mrs. Ainsley, Halifax. Lunenburg, August 20th, 1873.

MRS. AINSLEY, DEAR MADAM,—

Having found the efficacy of your very invaluable Liniment in the case of sore throat, which by two applications I was entirely relieved both of the swelling and soreness, I was induced to apply it to the parts affected by a severe attack of Lumbago. After having my back, loin and thigh thoroughly rubbed with the mixture, I was enabled to sleep comfortably and in a few days to walk about the field. I would further add for your satisfaction that my friend with whom I board has been entirely relieved from a pain in his shoulders, which drove him nearly to madness, by freely using the Liniment twice. Also the wife of one of my neighbours who was suffering dreadfully from an attack of acute rheumatism especially in her joints and legs, told me that she had scarcely applied it to parts affected before she felt immediate relief. I have reason to believe the Arthranodyne Liniment the best now in use.

Your obedient servant, REV. D. S. SHAW. Wholesale Agents—Brown Brothers & Co. Forysth & Co. Avery Brown & Co., Halifax. Aug 13. 6ms.

Executors' Sale. VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on the premises in Middleton, Annapolis Co. on TUESDAY, 17th day February next at 10 o'clock, A. M., unless previously disposed of at private sale, all the real estate of the late Alred G. Dudge, deceased.

1st. The homestead Farm, lying under the North Mountain, about 2 1/2 miles from Middleton Station, containing One Hundred and Twenty-Eight acres, more or less, suitably divided between Mowing, Pasture and Wood Land. There is on said Farm a large, good and convenient Dwelling House, finished throughout, good frost-proof Cellar; also a good Barn, a good Horse Stable and Carriage House, a good Carpenter's Shop and other out-buildings. Said Farm cuts annually from twenty-five to thirty tons of Hay, has two fine thriving apple Orchards, just nausomely into bearing, yielding annually about Fifty Barrels of choice varieties, also a fine Plum orchard bearing well; it has good Tillage and is under a good state of cultivation; it has excellent Pasture, well wooded and well watered and is convenient to a Cheese Factory, good School and Churches.

2nd. A Farm lying on the side of the North Mountain adjoining the homestead Farm, containing One Hundred and Thirty Eight acres, more or less, suitably divided between Mowing, Pasture and Wood Land. On said Farm is a comfortable dwelling House, a large Barn and other out-buildings; said Farm cuts annually from twenty to twenty five tons of Hay; there are two orchards yielding from Seventy to Eighty Barrels of choice Apples per year; it has good Tillage, good Pasture, well wooded and well watered, convenient to School and Churches.

3rd. A Building lot on the main Post Road at the thriving little village Lower Middleton, or Pine Grove, containing two and one-half acres, more or less; also about twelve acres of Land lying within a few rods, accessible by passing Highway, lying North of the railroad, right in the vicinity of Churches, good Schools, Post Office, &c. Titles to the whole property good.

Possession given immediately. TERMS OF SALE: 10 per Cent. deposit at time of Sale, one third more on delivery of Deed, the remainder can remain on Bond and Mortgage for a term of years with annual interest. For further particulars enquire personally or by letter of the Subscribers, ARTHUR DODGE, ISAIAH DODGE, Executors. Middleton, December 1st, 1873. Dec 17. 2m.