

ALMOST A MIRACLE.

Wrought in the Case of a Charlottetown Lady.

THE DOCTOR SAID SHE WAS IN CONSUMPTION AND HELD OUT NO HOPE OF RECOVERY - TO-DAY SHE IS WELL, STRONG AND ACTIVE.

From the Islander, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Statistics published from time to time show the number of deaths occurring throughout this country from consumption to be as great as the number caused by all other preventable diseases combined. It is no wonder, therefore, that the medical fraternity has at last awakened to the fact that the most urgent means must be taken to prevent its further spread, and to teach the public that while the disease is readily communicated from one person to another, it is not necessarily inherited, though the tendency to it may be. It is therefore of the utmost importance that people with weak lungs should take the greatest care of themselves to prevent consumption obtaining a hold upon them. Pure, out-of-door air, lots of sunshine, wholesome food and a good tonic medicine to keep the blood rich, red and pure, will enable anyone to resist the inroads of the disease. As a blood-forming tonic, there is no medicine the equal of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills where freely and fairly used, will strengthen the weakest constitution, and have cured many cases of consumption when taken in its early stages. Proof of this is given in the case of Mrs. Abram Henry, of Charlottetown, P. E. I. To a reporter of the Islander who called upon her, Mrs. Henry said: "A few years ago I found myself growing weak and pale, and emaciated. I took various medicines on the advice of friends, but none of them appeared to do me any good, and two years ago my condition became so much worse that I was obliged to take to my bed, and call in a doctor, who said that my lungs were affected, and that I was going into consumption, and he told my mother, who was mostly in attendance upon me, that my recovery was very doubtful. I grew gradually weaker and weaker. I could not sit up for five minutes. My lungs pained me; I coughed severely, lost almost all desire for food, and when I did eat I found it difficult to retain food on my stomach. I fell away in weight from 148 pounds to 100 pounds, and I do not think any of my friends expected to see me get better. But some of them urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to do so. I began by taking one pill a day, for my stomach was very weak, but I was soon able to increase this to three pills a day, and finally as my strength was increasing under their use, I took nine pills a day. The change which came with the use of the pills was little short of miraculous, and so marked and rapid that inside of two months after I began their use, I was able to leave my bed and move about the house, and soon after I was able to walk about in the open air and make short visits to my friends. On one of these occasions I met the doctor who had attended me, and he asked me what I had been taking that made such an improvement. I replied that I had been taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he said all right, continue them; they won't hurt you anyway. Well, I continued taking them until I had used seventeen boxes, with the result that I never felt better than I do now—not even in my girlhood days. It is more than a year since I stopped taking the pills, and you can see for yourself what they did for me. I may say too that my weight has increased to 137 pounds. I am not anxious of publicity, but when I think of what the pills did for me, I believe I ought to sacrifice my own feelings for the benefit of some other poor sufferer.

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News of the Week

NEW BRUNSWICK

Thos. Wooden, of Patterson Settlement, S. Co., committed suicide by shooting, Tuesday, of last week.

The Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboat Company has decided to buy the steamer Aberdeen from the Star line for \$4,000.

Diphtheria of a severe type has broken out in the back districts of Kent Parish, Carleton county. So far seven deaths have been reported, mostly young people.

Charles Newton, an employe of the St. Croix cotton mills, in Milltown, dropped dead as he was leaving the mill Tuesday. He was about 53 years of age and has a wife and family.

In the machine shop of Small & Fisher, Woodstock, Harry Chapman, aged about 15, attempting to put a belt on a pulley, became caught in the belt, and was whirled around again and again, striking the floor above with terrific force. When taken out he was unconscious, but soon recovered and talked quite freely, but he died within half an hour. His skull and limbs were broken and he was injured internally.

Oswald J. MacGowan, clerk in the I. C. R. audit office, was found dead in bed at his residence, Moncton, Thursday morning. He was about 35 years of age.

I. C. R. Brakesman Nelson Morton was quite badly hurt at Gloucester Junction Wednesday. He fell between the platform and the car. The toes of his left foot were badly crushed under the wheels.

Joseph Patterson tried on the charge of having committed a common assault on Marion Smith at Bright, York Co., was found guilty and sent to jail for two months.

Forty moulders, union men, in the employ of the Record Foundry and Machine Company, Moncton went out on strike Friday morning. A demand for extra wages on behalf of the workmen was not acceded to by the company.

A syndicate of American capitalists has in view the establishment of pulp mills at St. George. An offer for the purchase of the Dewar lumber property on the river is now being considered. It is said that the syndicate's offer is \$60,000, while the owners have asked \$75,000.

John McGrath, quarantined in St. John, attempted suicide Sunday night by cutting his throat. He became frightened, called for help and will probably recover. He said he was lonesome.

TWENTY YEARS OF BRONCHITIS

Captain Dunlop, of Kingston, commander of the steamer Bohemian, of the R. & O. fleet, suffered unceasingly for twenty years, and although he took treatment all that time permanent relief was not obtained until he used "Catarhizone".

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NOVA SCOTIA

Early in the spring a new oyster bed will be planted in Annapolis Basin.

The body of an infant was found in the river at Parrsboro a few days ago, and the verdict given at the inquest was that the child's mother, Augusta Roberts, was responsible for its death, either through neglect or violence.

Tuesday William Fanning was badly scalded in the car works in Amherst by the upsetting of a pot of hot metal he was carrying.

Ralph Doncaster of Leicester was seriously injured while harnessing a horse; the animal kicked him against a woodpile, a piece of wood was driven into his head and his nose was almost torn off. Mr. Doncaster is 75 years old and his recovery is doubtful.

A summary of last year's business in Amherst, shows the total value of the output of all manufacturing establishments to be \$2,380,000. During the year \$455,200 was paid out in wages in the various factories of the town.

At Truro, Tuesday, H. C. Fulton, clerk in Superintendent Jarvis' office in the I. C. R., accidentally fell and smashed his knee cap.

Howard Bilgh, Halifax, representing Dennis & Sons, London, is in receipt of a cable giving returns for the sale of apples shipped on the steamer Dahome. The following prices were realized: Golden russets, 21 to 24 shillings; Baldwins, Spies and Seeks, 18 to 23 shillings.

Quite a perceptible shock of earthquake was felt in Yarmouth Friday morning about 5 o'clock. Dishes rattled and doors shook but no damage resulted. It was accompanied by a rumbling sound as of distant thunder and lasted for a few seconds only.

W. L. Libbey has completed the sale of his mine Brookfield, Queens county, to a New York syndicate. The price is about \$200,000. The syndicate will develop the property.

At Sydney, C. B., Friday the new building of Kelly & Dodge, photographers, was totally destroyed by fire. Insurance, \$2,000.

Thirty men have been discharged from the Mounted Rifles at Halifax for intoxication and other causes.

Wolfville voted for a \$35,000 system of sewerage last week. The vote stood 59 to 33.

Dan McEachran of Egg Mountain, Antigonish, was frozen to death last Saturday. He had been intoxicated.

Vaccination is being diligently attended to in Halifax.

At Halifax Wednesday the four-year-old daughter of Harry Sheridan, of Wright avenue, while passing an open grate in her night dress, caught fire and was so badly burned that she died.

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OTHER PROVINCES

Three Northwest mounted police were lost in the treacherous rapids in the Stickeen river Dec. 29, by the capsizing of their canoe.

Major Howland, of Toronto, was re-elected last week by a majority of 4,652 over W. F. McLean.

Smallpox has broken out in the settlement of the Dowrites in Stephen Township, Ont., and the health officials are being given much trouble, as the people refuse to accept quarantine or the service of physicians.

George P. Sills, lumberman of Barrett's Rapids, B. C., was accidentally shot by his son a few days ago.

The wreck is reported of the steamer collier Bristol, owned by premier Dmsmuir, of British Columbia, with the loss of seven men.

A joint survey will be commenced in the spring to re-mark the boundary between Canada and the state of New York.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS

If your little boy or girl comes home with a sore throat, the first thing to do is to rub the throat and chest with Polson's Nerviline. Don't be afraid to use Nerviline freely—a whole bottle full won't burn or blister the tenderest skin. Rub in until all taken up by the pores, and just before the child goes to sleep give him a glass of hot water into which 30 drops of Nerviline has previously been stirred. This is a sure pleasant and speedy cure. Large bottles 25 cents.

UNITED STATES

In New York Central tunnel, which runs under Park avenue, two local trains collided Wednesday morning. Fifteen passengers were killed and twice that number injured.

Two of the principal business blocks in Ellsworth, Me., were reduced to ashes Thursday. Loss \$25,000.

The Walla Walla steamer from Puget Sound to San Francisco collided with an unknown vessel off the coast. The steamer sank and 27 lives were lost.

The Rickeyite non-explosive powder company's mill at Clearfield, Pa. was destroyed by fire Friday. Two men were burned to death, a third will die from his injuries and two others were seriously burned.

The Germans of Chicago will give a demonstration in honor of Admiral Schley on the occasion of his visit to the city on Monday, January 27.

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BRITISH AND FOREIGN

Princess Louise, daughter of King Leopold of Belgium has been pronounced hopelessly insane.

The London smallpox scare continues. Last week 225 new cases were admitted to the hospitals, against 170 134 and 161 in the previous three weeks. While 665 smallpox cases were under treatment, the cases of scarlet fever were 3,137, and of diphtheria 1,381.

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It is stated that Marconi wireless telegraphy instruments are to be placed on one or two vessels, of the Dominion fishery protection fleet, so that they may communicate with stations to be similarly equipped at several points on the coast and also with other steamers using wireless apparatus.

Getting Thin

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Fat, enough for your habit, is healthy; a little more, or less, is no great harm. Too fat, consult a doctor; too thin, persistently thin, no matter what cause, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil.

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