

News of the Week.

CANADA.

Wm. D. Bowes, night watchman in the Chemical Fertilizer Co., St. John, fell through an open hatch Thursday and was killed.

Two railway bills were introduced into the Nova Scotia legislature last week. One provides for the commencement of the work of construction on the Nova Scotia Eastern Railway, and the other relates to the Halifax and Southwestern Railway.

George F. Grant, Millville, York Co., was accidentally shot and killed. He and his fifteen-year-old son were coming out of the woods; his son was behind him with a rifle, a twig caught the trigger and the gun went off, shooting the father in the back. He died instantly.

The *Royal Gazette* announces the appointment of James Holly to be chairman of the Provincial Board of Health in room of Dr. Bayard, resigned.

In York—John Fairley, Jr., Alex. McKay and Joseph Norrid, to be justices of the peace.

In Amherst, N. S., Wednesday, D. Hopper, an employe of Rhodes, Curry & Co. car works, was opening the valve of the blow-off of the large boilers, the pipe loosened and the hot water from the boiler scalding him severely about the body and legs.

An Italian was killed Wednesday on the Halifax and Southwestern Railway. A fragment of stone from a blast struck him in the chest, killing him instantly.

A big auction sale of crown timber lands in Algoma and Nipissing districts, containing more than 800 square miles, mostly pine, took place in Toronto Wednesday.

Robert Purvis was injured so badly on the Dominion dredge at St. John on Tuesday that he died next day.

The Wm. Richards case has been settled by the executors on the basis agreed upon, and the money has been paid over. The amount received by the heirs who contested the will is \$57,500, which is to be divided among David M. Richards, Mrs. Howard McLean, Nashwaak; Mrs. Dell Gunter, Boiestown, and two infant children of Mrs. H. P. Lint, Marysville, daughter of the late John Richards. It is understood that David Richards is to receive about \$19,000, Mrs. Dell Gunter and Mrs. McLean between \$11,000 and \$12,000 each, and a similar amount is to be placed in trust for the infants.

At Deloraine, Man., Thursday, the gas plant of the Revere hotel exploded. One man was killed and the building was badly wrecked.

Blair & Co., Bankers, St. John, have suspended payment.

The vote on the question of the incorporation of Sussex was taken last Tuesday, and the incorporation proposal was defeated by a majority of 52.

Rev. Charles J. Fulham, the priest who was seriously injured in the Ottawa university fire, died Tuesday.

Smith Bros., Ltd., Blissville, have got their new mill up and enclosed. It is considerably larger, and will be better fitted up than the one burned last August. They will saw during the winter.

The strike at the Springhill mines is settled. The men are at work again.

Bank managers in Canada have received warning from the U. S. secret service of a contemplated raid on Canadian banks by burglars.

The N. S. legislature passed the bill authorizing the separation of the Dominion Iron and Steel and Dominion Coal Companies. The bill provides for the payment of cash by the Coal Company to the Steel Company. The coal supply agreement provides that the Steel Company shall have all the coal it requires for all purposes for a period

of six years at \$1.24 per long ton, and that thereafter, at five year periods, the price may be readjusted by arbitration, the finding to be based on the cost of production.

Small pox is assuming large proportions in Cape Breton, nearly all the country districts being infected with it. New cases are being reported.

All the collieries in Cape Breton are to be put on a single shaft for the winter. As a result of the mines being put on single shafts, a large number of men will be laid off. This will last until the opening of navigation next spring.

THE EMPIRE.

Thursday a fire occurred in Queen Alexandra's bedroom at Sandringham. Considerable damage was done before the fire was extinguished. The outbreak caused considerable excitement at Sandringham, where the Queen and a number of guests are staying at present.

FOREIGN.

There were 125 murders in Chicago in the last year and not one hanging. One woman killed and fifteen injured was the result of a railway collision at New Cumberland, Ohio, Thursday.

The Greek steamers *Pyloros* and *Assos* collided at Ithaea Wednesday. The bows of the *Pyloros* were submerged, and fifty of her passengers drowned.

At Clarksburg, N. J., nearly a whole family perished in the flames that destroyed their dwelling Tuesday. Clayton Fowler, his wife and three children, aged respectively 13 years, 2 years and six months, were overcome by smoke and burned to death.

THE MAGAZINES.

The January *Delineator* contains literary and art features of value, and readable fashion information. The pictorial presentation of the season's styles is excellent. There are house buildings and house furnishing ideas; entertaining stories and pastimes for children, and matter of interest to women of all ages.

Mr. Chamberlain's fiscal proposals figure so largely in current news and discussion that a good many Americans must be glad to have an opportunity to learn from Mr. Chamberlain himself just what they are and by what arguments they are supported. This opportunity they will have in *The Living Age* for December 12th, which is to re-print without abridgment Mr. Chamberlain's famous Glasgow speech, as revised by him for publication.

The *Methodist Magazine* closes its twenty-ninth year with a strong number. An illustrated article describes the great project of draining the Zuyder Zee. "A Charlatan Elijah" describes the erratic career of Dr. Dowie. The number has quite a Christmas flavor, with numerous pictures, poems and stories. The announcement for the thirtieth year of this magazine is a strong one. The continent of South America will be described and illustrated in a series of graphic articles. Special prominence will be given to Canadian topics. November and December numbers given free to new subscribers. Toronto: William Briggs. \$2.00 a year; \$1.00 for six months.

The Missionary Review of the World for December has an article by the editor, Dr. Pierson, on "The Indebtedness of Missions to the Mystics." There is a timely article on "Notable Christmas Days in Missionary History." Besides a dozen other papers on various missionary topics, there are the news items from the world field. These in-

clude: Dowie in New York; Panama and Missions; Indulgences in Spain; Persecution in Russia; Progress in India; Changes in Hunan; A West African Congregation, etc. Published monthly by Funk & Wagnalls Company, 30 Lafayette Place, New York. \$2.00 a year.

PROTESTANTISM IN FRANCE.

France is in the midst of a serious religious struggle. The anti-clerical feeling is becoming more intense. A few days since, a strong guard was necessary to protect those who were present at mass in the Notre Dame cathedral in Paris. "Down with the priests," was shouted, but order was preserved by the military. The law of 1901, requiring the submission of the Religious Orders to the civil authorities for license, is one expression of the changing sentiment toward the Roman Catholic church. It is probable that all religious orders, licensed or not, will soon be prohibited from taking any part in public instruction. It is in the air that before much time elapses the Concordat of 1801, or agreement between the government and the Pope by Napoleon, will be repealed, and the last link between the temporal and spiritual power be broken. All this is political, but evangelical religion is making great headway. Without referring to what is done by others, the Central Society of Pro-

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testant Evangelization supports 178 workers, as pastors, evangelists and colporteurs; public worship is celebrated regularly in 450 places, the gospel is preached and visits are paid in 2,000 localities, and the aggregate attendance at these services is estimated at 100,000. It also has a preparatory school in Paris for students of the theology, at Montpelier a training school for lay evangelists, and an itinerant mission of about 40 occasional workers. The general movement away from Rome continues, and a large number of priests are now evangelical teachers. Rev. Ch. Merle D'Aubigne writes: "Protestants in France are looking to the future with something more than ordinary anxiety. . . . Our horizon is not very clear just now, and notwithstanding the great constant encouragement which our evangelistic work is giving us, we need the prayers of all our friends to sustain us in the fight, and to prepare us for the serious times which are before us."

ST. JOHN BUSINESS COLLEGE.— Great preparations are being made for next year's work. The latest and only up-to-date system of actual business practice is being added to the already most excellent course of study, a system that gives practice in the most modern features of office practice, including duplicating and triplicating of invoices, shipping bills, etc., the keeping of department ledgers, and the most up-to-date methods of classifying and systematizing. The year now closing has been the most successful in the thirty-six years of history of the college, and the prospects are that next year will be still better.—*Telegraph*.

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